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# Updates from Israel Society of Investment Professionals (ISIP)

Invitation to Blackrock Alpha Beta
Investment Forum

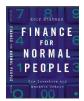
iShares, the sponsor of the Israel Society of Investment Professionals, is hosting the 2017 BlackRock Alpha Beta Investment Forum, and their Israel Office Opening Reception next week in Tel Aviv (Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>).

This will be an opportunity to exchange views on the shorter and longer term challenges in our industry. Keynote speakers will include Rob Kapito, President of BlackRock.

If you are a CFA charterholder or candidate, Blackrock would be delighted to see you there – please get in touch and I will send on details. Anyone else that is interested, please contact me and I can check availability (email below).

#### Finance for Normal People

Professor Meir Statman, who was a keynote speaker at one of our previous events, has just published his latest book, available on Amazon.



Professor Statman will be in Israel in mid-May, presenting his latest research at a behavioral finance conference in Tel Aviv on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.

If you would like to know more details about the conference, please be in contact.

#### ISIP Website Development

Our temporary website (<a href="http://www.isip-il.org/">http://www.isip-il.org/</a>) is about to go through an upgrade with exciting new content and format. If you are, or know, a web developer who would like to be considered for the project please be in contact.

We are also launching other exciting projects and events. Looking for volunteers to get involved so please let us know if you would like to help out.

If you would like to be on our mailing list or have any questions about ISIP or the CFA® qualification please email: matthew.salter@int-markets.com

#### **NEWSLETTER**

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## Membership Renewal .. or join for the first time

The membership year for the CFA Institute begins on the 1st July.

#### Sign up or renew at:

https://www.cfainstitute.org/community/ membership/dues/pages/index.aspx

If you are a CFA charterholder who has not paid membership dues, you are not permitted to use the CFA designation. But now is a great time to re-activate your membership – if you renew now for the year beginning 1st July, you receive two months free membership for April and May!

You do not have to be a CFA charterholder to be a member of the CFA Institute - see our May 2016 newsletter (http://www.isipil.org/isip-newsletters/) for some of the great benefits of becoming a member of the CFA Institute