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Key Takeaways¹

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1. Mutual Fund Investor Onboarding Made Simple

Speaker: Monali Chitnis, Vice President & Head Ops

Context: This session aimed to enhance investors' knowledge of the simplified mutual fund onboarding process, emphasizing key considerations for a smooth and seamless experience. It also highlighted the benefits of online access for effective tracking and management of Mutual Fund investments.

❖ Session Highlights:

- Provided a step-by-step walkthrough of the Mutual Fund onboarding journey, focusing on the key requirements essential for a seamless process.
- Highlighted the benefits of digital onboarding, including faster processing, greater efficiency, and enhanced convenience.

✓ Key Takeaways:

- Completion of KYC registration with a KYC Registration Agency (KRA) is a mandatory prerequisite for onboarding.
- Investors should carefully select their tax status and mode of holding and provide other essential details, such as contact information, bank details, FATCA information, and nominee details.
- Leveraging an MFU CAN (Common Account Number) enables a streamlined experience for investment execution, folio valuation tracking, and efficient transaction management across various mutual funds.

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2. Building Your Nest Egg: How to grow and multiply your pre-retirement savings

Speaker: Renu Maheshwari, Certified Financial Planner & SEBI RIA

Context: The session focused on understanding the realities of retirement in India and building a retirement corpus through disciplined saving, inflation-aware planning, and long-term investing.

❖ Session Highlights:

- Used the case study of Anurag and Sheetal to estimate retirement needs and retirement corpus requirements.

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- Demonstrated the impact of inflation, showing how expenses can increase significantly over time.
- Reviewed retirement investment options, including Mutual Funds, NPS, PPF/EPF, and annuities.

✓ **Key Takeaways:**

- Retirement planning should begin early to reduce the savings burden.
- Inflation is a major challenge and must be factored into retirement calculations.
- Defining a clear retirement corpus target helps convert retirement goals into an actionable savings plan.
- Consistent SIP investing and the power of compounding are essential for long-term wealth creation.
- Successful retirement planning requires disciplined financial behaviour and appropriate investment choices.

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3. Conflict Free Portfolio: Choosing investments that put you first

Speaker: Renu Maheshwari, Certified Financial Planner & SEBI RIA

Context: The session focused on building a goal-based, conflict-free portfolio. The session explained how different investment products, asset allocation strategies, and retirement risks work together to support long-term retirement goals.

❖ **Session Highlights:**

- Introduced the concept of a conflict-free portfolio driven by financial goals, asset allocation, and clearly defined product roles.
- Discussed the role of various investment products, including fixed deposits (FDs), Employees' Provident Fund (EPF), Public Provident Fund (PPF), National Pension System (NPS), mutual funds, real estate, and gold.
- Explained portfolio construction strategies for both the pre-retirement and post-retirement stages.
- Covered key retirement risks, including inflation, longevity, healthcare expenses, and sequence-of-returns risk.

✓ **Key Takeaways:**

- Start with financial goals and asset allocation rather than product selection.
- Pre-retirement investing requires a disciplined focus on growth, while post-retirement investing requires a disciplined focus on generating income.
- Inflation and longevity can significantly impact retirement planning outcomes.
- Every investment product should have a clearly defined role within the portfolio.
- Regular monitoring and portfolio rebalancing are essential to keep retirement plans on track.

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4. Digital frauds and their safeguard

Speaker: Dr. Ajeet Kumar Mauryaa, Assistant Professor - Hindu College

Context: To educate participants about safe digital practices and preventive measures for protecting personal and financial information.

❖ Session Highlights:

- Discussed common digital frauds such as phishing, OTP scams, fake links, online payment frauds, and investment scams.
- Explained precautionary measures, including creating strong passwords, verifying online requests, and using digital payment platforms safely.
- Created awareness about stock market-related scams and emphasized the importance of following regulatory guidelines and relying on verified investment sources.

✓ Key Takeaways:

- Participants learned never to share sensitive information such as OTPs, passwords, PINs, or banking credentials with anyone.
- They should always verify the authenticity of websites, links, phone calls, and messages before making any financial transaction.
- Participants were encouraged to stay updated on emerging fraud techniques and follow cybersecurity best practices to ensure safe digital transactions and investments.

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