



As a Capital Markets professional, Priya Radha is responsible for Scotiabank Global Banking Market's Fixed Income Interest Rate Options Business globally. Prior to running the Options Business, Priya was a successful Swap trader in the U.S. and Canadian markets as a market maker for Scotiabank as well as a Swap Trader and market maker in European and Sterling interest rates.

In 2006, Priya was appointed by Senior Management to assist with the build-out of the Emerging Markets Trading Platform. She successfully managed a team within Capital Markets and Banking and helped launch the business. The EM platform has grown into a successful global Sales and Trading Business for the Capital Markets Group at Scotiabank.

Priya joined Scotiabank in 2000 on the Bank side via the Commercial Banking Development Program. After 3+ years as a Relationship Manager, she moved to Capital Markets through the Sales and Trading Rotational program and has held progressively senior roles within Fixed Income Trading.

Priya is a firm advocate for women in business and has been involved with Women in Capital Markets since she started in the industry. She was the Chair of the Professional Development Committee overseeing over 12 program series that are run by volunteers, for over 3 years. She now has been appointed to a new role as co-chair of Gender Diversity and Inclusion, a new committee within WCM.

Priya is on the Board of Directors for the Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation. As a former recipient of the Scholarship, Priya is grateful to be able to give back to an organization like this which is focused on Education, Accountability and Community Service.

Priya is also the Treasurer and sits on the Board of Directors for a grassroots non-profit organization, REA'son D'etre Dance Productions.

She was awarded the Executive Coaching Award in 2016 as a high potential candidate who exemplifies exceptional business leadership. She mentors and coaches several junior and intermediate men and women in Capital Markets both within Scotiabank and outside the firm. She was most recently nominated by her firm for the WCM Rising Star Award for 2017.

She has spoken as a panelist and a moderator for several WCM events and has been a keynote speaker for Women's Social Clubs such as Women Building Wealth as well as the York University Finance Club. Her passion for women and finance has driven her to start discussions aimed at increasing financial literacy for women. She writes in her blog www.kittenheeldiaries.com to help women and mothers fulfill their lives in a holistic manner.

Priya holds both a B.B.A. (Hon.) and an M.B.A (Dean's List) with a Specialization in Finance and Strategic Management from the Schulich School of Business at York University.