

## Fundamentals of Alternative Investments® Certificate Program

**Propel your career in financial markets.** Get a practical foundation in alternative investments with the Fundamentals of Alternative Investments certificate program.

Supplement your education. Get informed about the new instruments and asset classes that are making portfolio construction more complex all the time.

With continued growth in alternatives, you'll need a solid base of knowledge on the options for generating returns and protecting against downside - key for every successful manager.

### Practical. Affordable. Flexible.

- ✓ A self-paced, introductory course, designed to provide a strong foundation of core concepts in alternative investments.
- ✓ 20 one-hour web-based videos, concluding with a 10 question self-study quiz, accessible at any time.
- ✓ Covers topics and practical guidelines that supplement your coursework.
- ✓ Enrollment open year-round.



Quick access to self-paced, online videos



Learn from leading experts in alternatives



Receive a certificate of completion



Understand core concepts of alternative investments



Supplement your current coursework



**Reduced Rates** for students: US \$295







# Professional Development and Training

Developed by the experts at the CAIA Association, the global leader in alternative investment education.

### **FUNDAMENTALS INCLUDE**

- Traditional vs. Alternative Investments
- 2. Investment Returns & Risks
- 3. Correlation & Efficient Frontiers
- 4. Portfolio Management & Asset Allocation
- 5. Due Diligence
- 6. Risk Management
- 7. Hedge Funds 1: Structure, Categories & Biases
- 8. Hedge Funds 2: Relative Value & Event Driven Strategies
- 9. Hedge Funds 3: Macro & Managed Futures Strategies
- 10. Hedge Funds 4: Equity Strategies
- 11. Hedge Funds 5: Funds of Funds
- 12. Real Assets 1: Timberland, Farmland & Intellectual Property
- 13. Real Assets 2: Real Estate Equity & Debt Markets

- 14. Private Equity 1: Introduction & Performance Analysis
- 15. Private Equity 2: LBO, VC & Debt Strategies
- 16. Commodities 1: Markets & Inflation Protection
- 17. Commodities 2:Beta Products, Alpha Products& Benchmarks
- 18. Structured Products 1: Credit Default Swaps
- 19. Structured Products 2: Collateralized Debt Obligations
- 20. Capstone:
  The Risks & Rewards of
  Alternative Investments

### **Bonus Topics:**

- Liquid Alternative Investments
- Opportunities in Private Credit Investments
- Environmental, Social, Governance Investing

This offer is available to students currently enrolled in a qualifying institution. See below for details.



The Fundamentals of Alternative Investments certificate program was developed by the Chartered Alternative Investment Analyst (CAIA) Association.

The CAIA Association is best known for the CAIA Charter, an internationally recognized credential, granted only upon successful completion of a rigorous two-level exam series, combined with relevant professional experience.

CAIA's Fundamentals of Alternative Investments certificate program is a natural extension of CAIA's mission to promote excellence in alternative investment education.

Please contact unifi@caia.org for information on enrolling in the program. CAIA Association will provide a discount code upon verifying your student status.

