

Shari'a Advisor

In the light of impending amalgamation of Silkbank with and into United Bank Limited, the bank has appointed a Sharia Advisor instead of maintaining a full Sharia Board for the period from September 23, 2024 until the completion of the amalgamation.

Mufti Syed Umer Amaduddin, the Sharia Advisor, is a prominent and qualified scholar in the field of Islamic Finance. Below is the brief introduction to our Sharia Advisor:

Mufti Syed Muhammad Umer Amaduddin

Mufti Syed Umer Amaduddin is esteemed as a prominent Shariah scholar, boasting a distinguished educational background with specialized degrees in Shahadat-ul-Aalamia and Al-Takhassus fial-Iftaa' besides having MA in Political Science and pursuing MPhil in Public Policy. He is also a certified Shariah advisor and auditor from AAOIFI (Bahrain).

Presently he is associated with Emaan Islamic Banking (Silkbank Ltd) and serving as Resident Sharia Board Member (RSBM). He started his career working with prominent takaful company. He also participates as a speaker / panelist in national and international conferences and seminars on Islamic banking and finance. He has been teaching various Islamic disciplines in some of the Islamic educational institutions of Pakistan. He has written research articles and presented at various local and international conferences. His commitment to Islamic Banking and finance is evident through his engagements with prestigious institution such as NIBAF-SBP, NIM-Pakistan (National Institute of Management) and IBA-CEIF. He has also been awarded as "Best Trainer" by State Bank of Pakistan.

Mufti Umer had also been associated with international Halal Certification body and got various local and international certifications on Halal standards. He also represented the Pakistan National Accreditation Council (PNAC) at various occasions. Previously, he has also been involved with the National Assembly of Pakistan and experienced in the various departments including legislation and standing committees. He also holds the experience of working as a member committee with Islamabad capital (ICT) administration. Mufti Umer's diverse portfolio of engagements underscores his dedication to advancing Islamic principles at various levels.