ARFP Sub-workstream

Overview
• Galvanizes industry input, provides best practices and identifies resources to support the successful development and launch of the Asia Region Funds Passport (ARFP)
• Provides advocacy and conducts outreach to policy makers and regulators on ARFP-related issues
• Consists of 30+ representatives from the banking, financial, asset management, accounting and legal sectors, trade associations, and multilateral and research institutions
• Key 2014 contributions: ARFP Consultation Paper comment letter, presented at the APFF symposiums and a white paper article in the Clear Path Analysis

2015 Objectives
• Strengthen engagements with ARFP jurisdictions such as Korea, Australia and Singapore, through outreach and collaboration with local industry associations and stakeholders
• Focus outreach to key jurisdictions currently not signed up in the ARFP such as Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, and Taiwan

2015 Activities
• Roundtable discussions with regulators on the sidelines of ABAC or APFF activities/meetings
• Partnership with industry associations to development workshops on specific ARFP issues
• Focus on outreach and advocacy on membership enlargement