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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL Via Email: dimuthu999@gmail.com

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## **Notice of Investigation**

Dear Mr. Ratnadiwakara:

Professional Conduct at CFA Institute promotes and protects the integrity and reputation of the CFA designation. We do so by diligently enforcing the CFA Institute Code of Ethics and Standards of Professional Conduct.

We recently learned that you are holding yourself out as a CFA charterholder and/or misusing the CFA designation. Enclosed for your reference is a copy of where you are using the designation and evidences this misuse. Our records indicate that your CFA charterholder status in CFA Institute lapsed in 2019 after you failed to pay annual dues and file an annual Professional Conduct Statement.

CFA Institute's Bylaws and Standard of Professional Conduct VII(B) state that only those who (1) have annually completed their Professional Conduct Statements and (2) paid their dues have earned the right to use the CFA designation and are permitted to hold themselves out as CFA charterholders. Those who have not completed both are not permitted to present themselves as CFA charterholders or use the CFA designation.

In addition to numerous emails that are sent by the organization to remind you of your obligation to pay your annual dues and file an annual Professional Conduct Statement, Professional Conduct sent you an email on 23 November 2020 which stated that you were found to be using the designation one-year following your lapsed date and requesting your compliance with Standard VII(b) of the Code and Standards. To date, you have not completed your reactivation nor corrected your use of the designation.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that we have opened an investigation into your conduct. In connection with this investigation, we request that you provide the following information within 21 days of the date of this letter:

- 1. Please state whether you believe you were entitled to hold yourself out as a CFA charterholder and use the CFA designation in the instance(s) we cited above. If your answer to this question is "yes," please explain why?
- 2. Have you ever held yourself out as a CFA charterholder and used the CFA designation in any other ways or places (other than those identified above)? If your



answer to this question is "yes," explain how, where, when, and under what circumstances you did so.

- Please provide evidence that you have either ceased holding yourself out as a CFA charterholder and using the CFA designation (as identified above) or that you have successfully completed your reactivation as a CFA charterholder. To reactivate, please email our contact center at <a href="mailto:info@cfainstitute.org">info@cfainstitute.org</a>.
- 4. If any of your other contact information changes, you must log into your account at <a href="https://www.cfainstitute.org">www.cfainstitute.org</a> and make the necessary updates as soon as possible. Because of security restrictions, Professional Conduct cannot change this information on your behalf—you must make all changes through your CFA Institute account.

If you do not respond to this letter or fail to take one of the two actions outlined in question 3 in the time allowed, you may be subject to a disciplinary proceeding and sanction, and/or publication of your name on the CFA Institute website and elsewhere.

Please note that our investigation and any disciplinary proceeding that may result will be governed by the 2017 Rules of Procedure: Matters Related to Professional Conduct. Copies of the CFA Institute Bylaws, Code of Ethics and Standards of Professional Conduct, and Rules of Procedure may be found on our website at: <a href="Professional Conduct Program">Professional Conduct Program</a>.

If you have any questions, contact us by email at <a href="mailto:pcenforcement@cfainstitute.org">pcenforcement@cfainstitute.org</a>.

Sincerely,

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### Experience



#### **Assistant Professor**

Louisiana State University · Full-time Aug 2019 – Present · 1 yr 10 mos

#### Analyst

Liege Capital

Feb 2011 – Aug 2016 · 5 yrs 7 mos

#### Consultant

Aptivaa Consulting

2010 – May 2011 · 1 yr



### Risk Analyst

DFCC Bank

Mar 2009 - Aug 2010 · 1 yr 6 mos

#### Researcher

LIRNEasia

2007 - 2009 · 2 yrs

### Education



#### University of Houston

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), Finance

2013 - 2019



#### University of Peradeniya

BSc, Statistics and Computer Science

2003 - 2007

Computer Science, Statistics, Mathematics

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### People you may know



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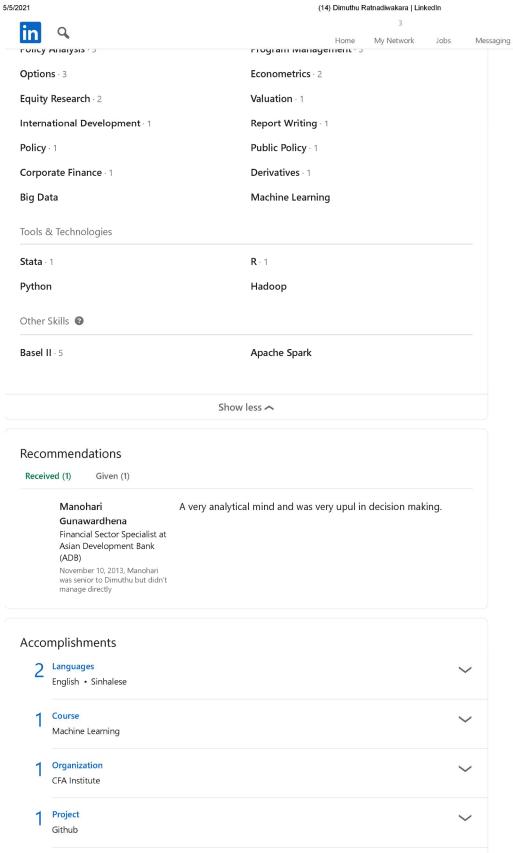
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