



SWISS  
PRIVATE BANKING



# John A. Sandwick

special guest of KBL EAM  
on Thursday, September 16, 2010  
9.30 AM - 2 PM

A pioneer in Islamic asset management, Mr. Sandwick will answer your questions related to this booming market.

Currently an independent consultant specializing in Islamic wealth and asset management, he is also an international lecturer, a leading expert for numerous corporate groups and the author of a large amount of specialized articles in the international and arabic press. His book *The Gulf Cooperation Council* (1987) is used as a graduate textbook for emerging-market courses at several prominent U.S. universities.

Mr. Sandwick came to Geneva in 1993 as a private banker (Deutsche Bank, Banque Leu), and became in 1999 an independent asset manager. He was one of the first Islamic bankers anywhere to develop practical Islamic wealth

management solutions for the private banking industry, including creating Islamic model portfolios for all major investment strategies. He is one of the most active innovators in Islamic banking, having created several first-ever investment products such as a sukuk fund, a sukuk basket participation note.

He is currently developing other long-term fixed-asset Islamic funds for individual and institutional investors and soon a Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT) in Saudi Arabia..

Originating from California, Mr. Sandwick lived in Abu Dhabi, Bahrain, Kuwait and Saudi Arabia.

