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Imran has long been recognised as a leading stock picker, having worked for some of the world's leading financial companies, including HSBC, Merrill Lynch and Euroz Securities.

Having lived in Perth, home to some of Australia's largest and most successful resource companies, Imran is often asked for his expert views on the Western Australian economy and the booming mining conditions.

After graduating with a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Western Australia, Imran started his path into finance with an Internship position at Merrill Lynch International in London. After completing the internship, he was quickly recruited by HSBC Investment Bank in the European Equities Research division where he first realised his passion for equity research. In this role, he assisted the research team both on a reporting and research level and was part of the successful research conferences hosted by HSBC IB. He covered both local and international markets and developed a tremendous amount of expertise in the area of financial modelling.

In recognition of Imran's success at HSBC and in the pursuit of higher learning, Imran was offered a position at the highly recognised and prestigious Sir John Cass Business School in London (famous graduates include Mr Tae-Shin Kwon, Vice Minister of the Ministry of Finance and Economy in Korea) to undertake a Masters of Science in Banking and International Finance.

Imran graduated in March 2005 and returned home to Australia where he commenced work as an analyst with Euroz Securities Limited, a successful West Australian based stock broking firm. In early 2006, Imran decided to further his career and fulfil his goals with wise-owl.com where he has been an integral part of the research team as an Equities Analyst.