

Standard Chartered announces new senior appointments in Retail Clients

UAE, 24 November, 2014 - Standard Chartered announced today the appointment of Raheel Ahmed as the new Global Head – Strategic Transformation, Retail Clients. In his new role, Raheel Ahmed will focus on the re-alignment of the business to the refreshed strategy. In his previous role, Raheel was the Regional Head (Retail Clients) – MENAP, Europe & Islamic Banking. Raheel has been with the Bank since 2004 and has held various other international senior roles in Credit Risk, Distribution, and Country and Regional Leadership.

Jaydeep Gupta, currently head of Retail Clients in UAE, will replace Raheel Ahmed as Regional Head of Retail Clients – UAE, MENAP and Europe. He will continue to be the Head of UAE Retail Clients and will be based in Dubai. In his new role, Jaydeep will lead the Retail Clients strategy across the Middle East, North Africa, Pakistan and Europe. Jaydeep has over 20 years of experience working with Standard Chartered, holding senior roles within Distribution & Segments in India, Africa and the UAE.

Both Raheel Ahmed and Jaydeep Gupta bring a wealth of professional experience in the banking industry which will help the Bank realise its aspiration to be the leading international retail bank in Asia, Africa and the Middle East. The appointments are effective from 16 November 2014.

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