



### **KASB continues to dominate CFA Pakistan awards**

KASB Group continued its impressive run at Excellence Awards organized by CFA Association of Pakistan (CFAAP). The awards considered an industry benchmark are based on a wide ranging poll of respondents from banks, domestic asset management companies and other financial institutions which have an interest in equity markets.

At the CFA Excellence Awards, KASB Bank Limited won the prestigious award of Best Corporate Finance House of the Year – Equity & Advisory for the second consecutive year. This repeat win clearly establishes KASB as the premier investment bank in Pakistan. The award was given in recognition of Investment Banking Group's work with several reputable clients including Pakistan Petroleum Limited, Thal Limited, and Kashf Microfinance Bank Limited on transactions including mergers, acquisitions, and equity capital raising.

KASB Securities impressive run at CFA Excellence Awards continued this year as well, as KASB Securities was named the Best Brokerage House in Pakistan for the fifth consecutive year based on continued outstanding performance on research, execution and ethical practices. The latest recognition adds to KASB's list of achievements both home and abroad where KASB was ranked the Best Domestic Equities House in Pakistan by AsiaMoney in 2012, to go with KASB Securities dominance of the AsiaMoney Polls in 2011, where KASB secured the top spot in all seven of the research sub-categories as well as winning best sales and best execution.