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Faisal Ameen awarded Transaction Banker of the Year in Asia Pacific (International Bank) in The Asian Banker Leadership Achievement Awards 2017

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- **Under his leadership, Bank of America Merrill Lynch recorded impressive growth in transaction banking in 2016**
- **He was instrumental in building a comprehensive product suite and establishing a client-centric product management and treasury advisory organization**

Singapore June 8th 2017 —Faisal Ameen received the award for **Transaction Banker of the Year in Asia Pacific (International Bank)** at the prestigious The Asian Banker Leadership Achievement Awards for 2017. The awards ceremony was held in conjunction with the prestigious Asian Banker Future of Finance Summit 2017, the foremost annual meeting for decision makers in the financial services industry in the Asia Pacific region, held at the Asian Civilisations Museum, Singapore.

He joined the bank as head of the treasury management products business in 2010 and was promoted in 2016, to managing director and head of Asia Pacific Global Transaction Services (GTS). Based in Singapore, he leads a team of 250+ treasury and trade professionals in 12 markets across Asia Pacific.

During his capacity as the product management head, he was instrumental in building a comprehensive product suite and establishing a client-centric product management and treasury advisory organisation. The treasury management business grew by 434%, with 80+ on-the-ground product management and treasury advisors in the region. He was transaction banking and MNC subcountry head of another leading international bank for four years.

The Transaction Banker of the Year Award is the highest distinction that can be given to an individual in the transaction banking business. The award is divided into two categories for Domestic Bank and International Bank respectively, to recognise the different roles that each plays in supporting customers.

The programme is predicated on the core belief that “Leadership is demonstrated by the ability to execute to a well communicated vision, by inspiring a strong management team, with courage and passion in overcoming specific adversities in order to deliver a strong and sustainable financial and business performance acceptable to all its stakeholders.”

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