

## IFIE 2<sup>ND</sup> GLOBAL INVESTOR EDUCATION SURVEY

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#### Methodology

- The second IFIE Global Investor Education Survey was conducted in the fall of 2010.
- The survey targeted current IFIE members and other investor education organizations/professionals who had been invited to participate in earlier IFIE events.
- Responses were provided by 68 organizations (a 35% increase over the last survey in 2009)— 30 IFIE members and 38 non-members.
- 26 IFIE regional committee members provided responses 19 from AFIE and 7 from MENA.
- Six survey respondents operate on a global basis and 29 focus on a specific country continuing the pattern from the last survey of local focus.

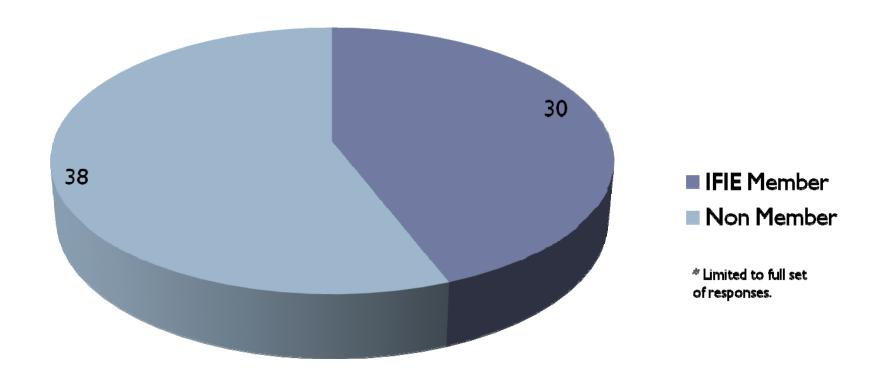
Full survey findings are available to Members of IFIE.

#### **Executive Summary**

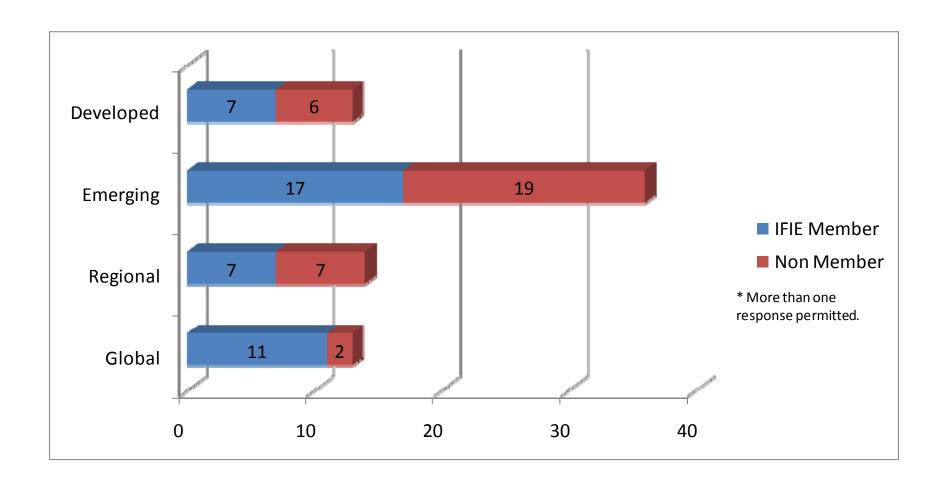
# The second annual IFIE Global Investor Education Survey by the International Forum for Investor Education found:

- A growing global participation in investor education.
- Despite the world wide economic downturn, spending on investor education has remained strong.
- Spending in 2011 is expected to increase (47%) or remain the same (50%) by respondents.
- ▶ 70% of respondents reported measuring some or all of their programmes.
- 86% reported using financial services professionals to deliver investor education programmes.

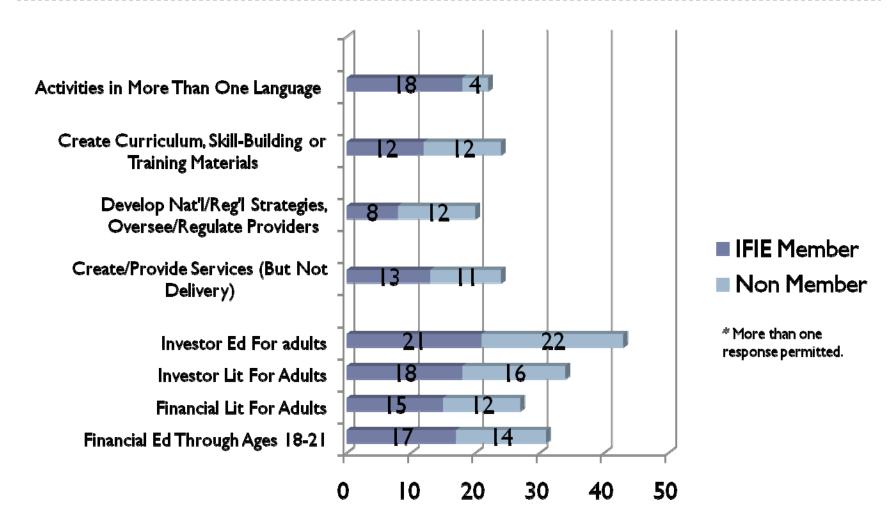
#### Type of Survey Respondents



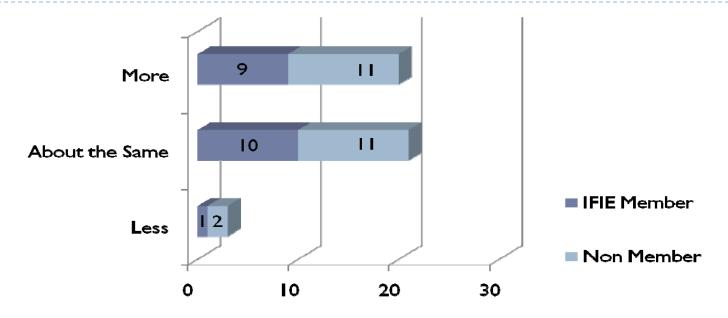
### Type of Market



#### Types of Programmes/Activities

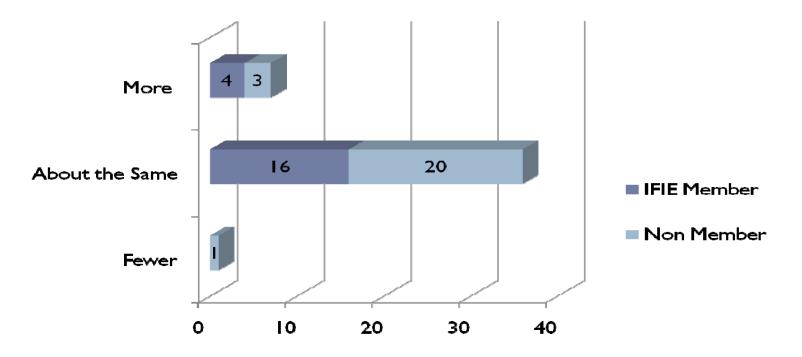


#### Expected Spending on Programmes/ Activities in 2011 (in US Dollars)



 Spending expected to continue to grow next year for nearly half (47%) of respondents

## Individuals Served (*Current* Year Versus Last Year)



The number of respondents reporting that they served more individuals in the current year dropped to 16% in 2010 from 63% in 2009 suggesting a focus on existing programmes.

#### About IFIE

- ▶ The International Forum for Investor Education IFIE is a unique alliance chartered in 2005 that brings together private sector and public sector providers of investor education to improve the effectiveness of investor education programs around the world.
- The IFIE website (www.ifie.org) serves as a clearinghouse for the exchange of information and ideas among providers of investor education from different jurisdictions, including organizations that are just developing or planning to develop investor education programs.
- For more information, contact <u>secretariat@ifie.org</u>.