



## SWIFT Institute

*Bridging the Gap Between Academia and the Financial Industry*

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### SWIFT Institute's core objectives

Extend understanding of current practice and future needs in global financial services, with a particular focus on transaction banking.

Foster independent research by giving grants, access to research data and publication opportunities for approved projects.

Act as a catalyst for bringing the SWIFT community and academics together to explore ideas, share knowledge and extend mutual understanding.

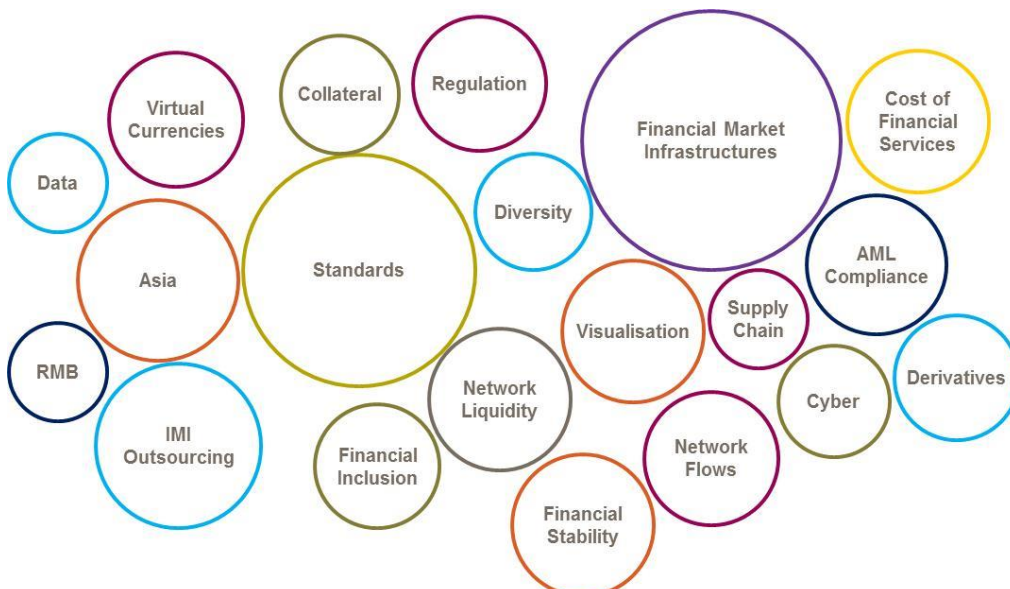
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- Thought leaders in the financial industry and academia
- Including SWIFT's CEO and the Chairman of the SWIFT Board

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