

Navaid A. Qureshi – Speaker Bio

Navaid Akhtar Qureshi (Habib School Batch of 1970) is Chief Industry Specialist for Global Infrastructure at IFC, the private sector arm of the World Bank Group. He has been working on urban and infrastructure investments in various countries across Eastern and Southern Europe, Latin America and Caribbean, South and East Asia, Middle East and North Africa, Sub Saharan Africa, as well as in the US for the past 40 + years, including 28 years at the World Bank Group.

Navaid has been based in Washington DC since 2004. His current work focuses primarily on transportation and subnational and municipal finance in emerging markets. Between 1990 and 2003 he was closely involved with the large World Bank financed urban and infrastructure program in Pakistan. Navaid has a Bachelors in Civil Engineering from University of California, Berkeley and a Masters in Engineering from the University of Illinois. He has also attended an Executive Development Program at Harvard University.