

CFALA Names Sanjay Dighe February Volunteer of the Month



Sanjay Dighe brings the same intense commitment to volunteering that he has applied to academics.

"I try to be available whenever CFALA volunteer needs arise," said Dighe, who is part of the society's Investment Performance Group and also has worked as a joint coordinator for the Fixed Income series, packed food for the Los Angeles Food Bank through CFALA, wrapped gifts for an event recognizing new charter holders, assisted with the golf tournament, and helped at the

annual forecast dinner. He also volunteers at the Institute of Management Accountants of Los Angeles Metro.

A Level Three candidate, Dighe joined CFALA in 2011 after moving to Los Angeles from the Midwest, where he was involved with the CFA Society of Milwaukee, WI. He received his MBA in Finance & International Business from the University of Wisconsin, in 2009, and became a Certified Management Accountant (CMA) in 2010. Now a permanent legal resident of the U.S., he also holds a Master of Management Studies (MBA) and Bachelor of Engineering degrees from his native India.

"Volunteering gives me a wonderful feeling of fulfillment,' Dighe said. "CFALA is a great organization and it's always exciting for me to work with other society members and be able to make a contribution. I look forward to continuing to volunteer as much as I can."

Currently associated with New York Life Insurance, Dighe helps individuals and families with financial planning, education funding, life-time income, and meeting their overall long-term financial objectives. He previously worked as an independent investment advisor and with the energy division of General Electric.