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### Special Issue of *Asia-Pacific Journal of Financial Studies* on Advances in International Finance in Emerging Markets

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- Financial market regulation and reforms in emerging markets
- Financial policies in emerging markets
- Corporate financing and investment in emerging markets
- Asset allocation, asset management, and asset flows
- The role of Fintech in emerging markets
- How corporations can minimize foreign exchange exposure in emerging markets
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- Effects of macro-prudential policies, currency fluctuations, and capital flows

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