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### **PREFACE**

"Financial Inclusion means that individuals and businesses have access to useful and affordable financial products and services that meet their needs – transactions, payments, savings, credit and insurance – delivered in a responsible and sustainable way."

Financial Inclusion in this book various chapters are described as the method of offering banking and financial solutions and services to every individual in the society without any form of discrimination. Giving everyone access to basic financial services without taking a look at a person's income or savings is its main goal of integrating everyone into society. The main goal of financial inclusion is to treat the economically disadvantaged members of society fairly while offering them dependable financial solutions. It aims to offer financial solutions devoid of any indication of disparity. Additionally, it pledges to be open and honest while providing financial support with no additional fees or surprises.

#### Objectives:

- Describe a framework for the expansion of the financial market and the importance of financial inclusion for the advancement of the economy.
- Determine tactics and laws to assist the growth of capital markets and financial intermediaries in a nation, taking into account the preconditions and connections between the financial industry and the macroeconomy.
- Recognise the particular difficulties SMEs have obtaining financing. Explain
  how financial intermediaries can better customise their offerings to meet the
  needs of small and medium-sized businesses.

Learn about the different applications of technology in the financial industry, or Fintech, and how it can be leveraged to increase the accessibility and effectiveness of financial services without creating unstable financial conditions.

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