



The Society of Technical Analysts Limited

STA Administrative Services  
Dean House  
VERNHAM DEAN  
Hampshire SP11 0JZ  
Telephone: 0845 0039549  
Telephone: 020 7125 0038  
Fax: 020 7900 2585

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### Dates for the Diary

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2008

#### **6.00 PM Monthly Meeting & AGM**

Guest Speaker: Rashpal Sohan  
**Rathbone Investment Management**  
*Using Quantitative Techniques to Reduce the Subjectivity in Technical Analysis*

**City Conference Centre**  
**80 Coleman Street, LONDON**  
**EC2 5BJ**

#### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2008

#### **6.00 PM Monthly Meeting**

Speaker: TBA

### **Chairman's Notices**

- Only paid up Full Members may vote at the AGM, but Associate members and guests are invited to sit through the proceedings, which normally take only a few minutes
- Will members please note that the MARCH meeting will be held on TUESDAY, 11<sup>th</sup>, due to the City Conference Centre being unable to accommodate the Society on the normal Wednesday

### Monthly Meeting & AGM

#### **Guest Speaker:**

Rashpal Sohan  
Asset Allocation Analyst  
**Rathbone Investment Management**

#### ***Using Quantitative Techniques to Reduce the Subjectivity in Technical Analysis***

Rashpal graduated from the London School of Economics and Political Science with a first class degree in Actuarial Science. He has been working as an asset allocation analyst at Rathbone Brothers, formerly assistant to Robin Griffiths (before his retirement in December 2007) and specialises in the use of quantitative techniques in the analysis of global markets with particular emphasis on building models for system trading and investment purposes. He has also co-authored a book with Robin, *Grow your own money tree*, due for release in March.

Living in a fast paced world filled with a myriad of investment opportunities buried beneath a sea of market noise, news, data and other perilous distractions, getting to the pearls can be a real challenge. Relying on your brain to digest and process large amounts of information in a limited amount of time comes at its own perils, owing to cognitive impediments that make us vulnerable to information overload.

Revealing some of the biases exhibited by investors, Rashpal will explain the benefits of simple quantitative techniques in arriving at the answer, and go as far as revealing one simple, backtested system that is born out of the concept of *trends*.

### **Enclosures**

- Report & Accounts to 30 June 2007
- Minutes of the AGM held on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2007
- Notice & Agenda for the 21<sup>st</sup> AGM, scheduled for Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2008