Training Course on Macroeconomic Analysis for Central Bankers

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Banking Institute	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the foundations of macroeconomic theory in a policy-making context.
2. Apply inflation targeting frameworks in monetary policy decisions.
3. Analyze interest rate trends using dynamic economic models.
4. Forecast GDP growth using real-time economic indicators.
5. Examine exchange rate policy and its implications on trade and inflation.
6. Explore fiscal-monetary policy coordination in emerging economies.
7. Evaluate global economic trends and spillover effects.
8. Utilize leading and lagging indicators in macroeconomic forecasting.
9. Interpret central bank balance sheets and their economic implications.
10. Develop forward-looking policy responses to financial crises.
11. Use data visualization tools for macroeconomic analysis.
12. Apply empirical models to assess economic shocks.
13. Integrate climate risk and sustainability factors into economic analysis.

Target Audience

1. Central Bank Economists
2. Monetary Policy Analysts
3. Financial Stability Experts
4. Fiscal Policy Advisors
5. Government Economists
6. International Development Professionals
7. Economic Researchers
8. Graduate Students in Economics

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Course Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Macroeconomic Analysis

- Key macroeconomic indicators: GDP, CPI, unemployment
- Circular flow of income and expenditure
- Demand and supply-side economics
- Policy objectives and trade-offs
- Real vs. nominal variables
- **Case Study:** GDP revision controversies in emerging markets

Module 2: Central Banking and Monetary Policy

- Objectives of monetary policy
- Interest rate transmission mechanism
- Inflation targeting regimes
- Tools of monetary policy
- Policy credibility and time inconsistency
- **Case Study:** Reserve Bank of India’s inflation control strategies

Module 3: Inflation Dynamics and Measurement

- CPI, PPI, core inflation
- Demand-pull vs. cost-push inflation
- Phillips Curve analysis
- Inflation expectations
- Hyperinflation case studies
- **Case Study:** Zimbabwe’s hyperinflation and policy responses

Module 4: Interest Rate Analysis

- Nominal vs. real interest rates
- Yield curves and monetary policy signaling
- Taylor rule application
- Policy rate vs. market rates
- Effects on investment and consumption
- **Case Study:** Federal Reserve’s rate hikes and market reaction

Module 5: GDP Forecasting and Business Cycles

- Components of GDP
- Output gap analysis
- Business cycle phases
- Leading indicators and composite indexes
- Model-based GDP forecasting
- **Case Study:** COVID-19’s impact on global GDP projections

Module 6: Fiscal Policy and Debt Sustainability

- Government budget components
- Automatic stabilizers
- Debt-to-GDP ratio analysis
- Fiscal multipliers
- Sovereign debt crisis indicators
- **Case Study:** Greece’s debt crisis and IMF intervention

Module 7: Exchange Rates and Open Economy Macroeconomics

- Fixed vs. floating exchange rates
- Real exchange rate competitiveness
- Balance of payments
- Capital flows and currency crises
- Exchange rate regimes and inflation
- **Case Study:** Argentina’s currency crisis

Module 8: Monetary-Fiscal Policy Coordination

- Policy mix effectiveness
- Ricardian equivalence
- Coordination challenges
- Seigniorage and fiscal dominance
- Policy lags and political cycles
- **Case Study:** Japan’s Abenomics and coordinated stimulus

Module 9: Financial Stability and Systemic Risk

- Financial system components

- Risk transmission channels
- Credit cycles and leverage
- Macroprudential regulation
- Crisis prediction tools
- **Case Study:** 2008 Global Financial Crisis and lessons for central banks

Module 10: Central Bank Balance Sheets
- Asset and liability structures
- Quantitative easing implications
- Central bank independence
- Liquidity traps and policy innovation
- Financial repression
- **Case Study:** ECB balance sheet expansion post-Eurozone crisis

Module 11: Data Analysis for Macroeconomic Policy
- Macroeconomic databases (IMF, World Bank, BIS)
- Real-time data challenges
- High-frequency economic indicators
- Data quality and revision issues
- Statistical software for policy analysis
- **Case Study:** Real-time GDP nowcasting using big data

Module 12: Global Macroeconomic Interlinkages
- Global value chains and macroeconomic policy
- Spillover and contagion effects
- International coordination (G7, G20, IMF)
- Emerging market vulnerabilities
- Global macroeconomic shocks
- **Case Study:** US-China trade war and global economic ripple effects

Module 13: Climate Change and Macroeconomic Risk
- Macroeconomic risks of climate change
- Green finance and sustainable investment
- Carbon pricing and taxation
- Impact of extreme weather on output
- Role of central banks in climate policy
- **Case Study:** European Central Bank’s green monetary policy framework

Module 14: Digital Currencies and Central Banking
- Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs)
- Implications for monetary transmission
- Risks to financial intermediation
- Legal and operational challenges
- Cross-border digital payments
- **Case Study:** China’s e-CNY and its macroeconomic implications

Module 15: Crisis Response and Policy Innovation
- Early warning systems
- Emergency lending facilities
- Negative interest rate policy

- Forward guidance strategies
- Crisis simulation tools
- **Case Study:** Bank of England's response to Brexit volatility

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures with real-world examples and policy applications
- Hands-on exercises using macroeconomic data and statistical tools
- Group work and policy simulations to encourage peer learning
- Real-world case study discussions for contextual understanding
- Q&A sessions with policy experts for experiential insights
- Access to resource materials including datasets, papers, and model templates

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

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Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to FINESKILL TRAINING CENTER account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
07 Sep 2026	18 Sep 2026	Online	$2,200
14 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	$2,200
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	$2,200

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28 Sep 2026	09 Oct 2026	Online	$2,200
05 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	Online	$2,200
12 Oct 2026	23 Oct 2026	Online	$2,200
19 Oct 2026	30 Oct 2026	Online	$2,200
26 Oct 2026	06 Nov 2026	Online	$2,200

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