Training Course on Risk Management Frameworks for Central Banks

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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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the core principles of central bank risk management frameworks.
2. Apply Basel III risk-based approaches to monetary operations.
3. Identify and assess cybersecurity threats in financial infrastructures.
4. Design integrated operational risk management plans.
5. Utilize ERM (Enterprise Risk Management) tools specific to central banking.
6. Build capacity for financial stability risk analysis.
7. Monitor macroeconomic and systemic financial risks.
8. Ensure regulatory compliance and risk governance alignment.
9. Analyze liquidity risk stress testing scenarios.
10. Implement digital transformation risk controls.
11. Evaluate climate-related financial risks in monetary policy.
12. Develop data-driven risk intelligence models.
13. Apply scenario planning and crisis management strategies.

Target Audience

1. Central Bank Risk Officers
2. Financial Supervisors and Auditors
3. Compliance Officers in Monetary Authorities
4. IT and Cybersecurity Analysts in Banking Systems
5. Treasury and Asset Managers
6. Economists and Financial Analysts
7. Strategic Policy Planners
8. Banking and Finance Consultants

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Risk Management in Central Banks

- Overview of central bank functions and risk areas
- Key international standards (Basel III, ISO 31000)
- Risk classification and taxonomy
- Importance of risk culture in public financial institutions
- Evolution of risk frameworks in central banks
- **Case Study: Bank of England's Enterprise Risk Management System**

Module 2: Governance and Regulatory Compliance

- Principles of risk governance

- Risk oversight committees and responsibilities
- Regulatory frameworks and alignment
- Risk appetite and policy frameworks
- Reporting and communication standards
- **Case Study: European Central Bank’s Governance Reforms**

Module 3: Operational Risk Management

- Definition and typologies of operational risks
- Control frameworks and Key Risk Indicators (KRIs)
- Incident management and reporting
- Business continuity planning
- Risk mitigation strategies
- **Case Study: Operational Risk Challenges at Reserve Bank of India**

Module 4: Cybersecurity Risk in Central Banking

- Cyber risk threat landscape
- Cybersecurity frameworks (NIST, ISO 27001)
- Threat modeling and vulnerability assessments
- Third-party risk management
- Cyber incident response protocols
- **Case Study: Bangladesh Bank SWIFT Cyber Heist**

Module 5: Market and Liquidity Risk

- Identifying market risk exposures
- Interest rate risk in monetary operations
- Foreign exchange risk management
- Liquidity assessment and stress testing
- Reporting liquidity risk metrics
- **Case Study: Federal Reserve's Liquidity Risk Strategy**

Module 6: Credit Risk in Central Banking

- Sources of credit risk in lending and operations
- Risk-based capital adequacy frameworks
- Collateral management techniques
- Default probability and credit scoring
- Credit exposure monitoring
- **Case Study: South African Reserve Bank Credit Portfolio Management**

Module 7: Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) in Public Institutions

- Structure and components of ERM
- Risk registers and control libraries
- Strategic risk integration
- Risk aggregation techniques
- Risk ownership and accountability
- **Case Study: IMF Risk Management in Central Banks Report**

Module 8: Stress Testing and Scenario Analysis

- Stress testing methodologies
- Macroeconomic shock modeling
- Adverse scenario development
- Reverse stress testing
- Use of stress results in policy decisions
- **Case Study: ECB Comprehensive Assessment Stress Tests**

Module 9: Crisis and Contingency Management

- Principles of crisis preparedness
- Emergency risk communication
- Crisis management committees
- Systemic risk escalation procedures
- Post-crisis recovery strategies
- **Case Study: Central Bank of Iceland's 2008 Crisis Response**

Module 10: Data and Risk Analytics

- Role of big data in risk management
- Risk dashboards and KPIs
- Predictive modeling techniques
- Data governance frameworks
- AI and machine learning for risk prediction
- **Case Study: Bank of Canada's Use of AI in Financial Risk Analytics**

Module 11: Strategic and Reputational Risk

- Identifying strategic and reputational risks
- Media risk and stakeholder expectations
- Aligning strategy with risk appetite
- Crisis PR planning
- Mitigating reputational fallout
- **Case Study: Swiss National Bank's Strategic Communication Plan**

Module 12: Emerging Risks and Innovation

- Climate and environmental financial risks
- Digital currency and crypto risks
- Geopolitical risk forecasting
- Fintech disruption and central bank roles
- Emerging regulatory technologies (RegTech)
- **Case Study: Central Bank of Kenya and Mobile Money Risk Mitigation**

Module 13: Internal Controls and Audit Functions

- Establishing internal audit frameworks
- Risk-based internal auditing
- Controls testing and assurance
- Ethics and compliance checks
- Reporting findings to stakeholders
- **Case Study: Bank of Japan's Risk-Based Internal Audits**

Module 14: Capacity Building and Knowledge Transfer

- Talent development in risk management
- Peer learning and knowledge networks
- Institutional capacity audits
- Creating internal risk training hubs
- Performance evaluation frameworks
- **Case Study: ASEAN Central Banks' Capacity Building Initiatives**

Module 15: Integrated Risk Management Strategy

- Synthesis of all risk areas
- Risk integration in monetary policy
- Strategic planning and execution
- Enterprise-wide risk reporting
- Continuous improvement frameworks
- **Case Study: Central Bank of Brazil's Integrated Risk Strategy**

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures by global risk management experts
- Hands-on workshops and group simulations
- Real-time scenario analysis and decision labs
- Case study discussions with regional insights
- Peer-to-peer knowledge exchange forums
- Pre- and post-training assessments for learning evaluation

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

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

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

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
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000

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