

# Panel Data for Banking Sector Analysts

**Online course** 

# **COURSE AGENDA**

All times CET

#### Week 1: Self-paced Course Activities

#### Friday, 07 March

• You will receive the login credentials to access the online platform and the Introductory Module.

Monday, 10 March 09:00	<ul> <li>Start of the course</li> <li>The course platform is open 24/7. Participants progress in the modules at their own pace in: <ul> <li>viewing the module video lectures</li> <li>completing the homework assignments</li> <li>posting in the discussion forum for the peer review</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday, 11 March</b> 15:30 – 17:00	Live 'Brush up' Session (optional)
<b>Thursday, 13 March</b> 16:00 – 18:00	Office Hours 1 with Teaching Associates (optional)
Week 2: Self-paced Course Activities	
<b>Thursday, 20 March</b> 16:00 – 18:00	Live Class 1: Recap of Modules 1-6
Week 3: Self-paced Course Activities	
Tuesday, 25 March 15:00 – 17:00	Office Hours 2 with Teaching Associates (optional)
Wednesday, 26 March 15:00 – 17:00	Live Class 2: Recap of Modules 7-16
Friday, 28 March 17:00	Homework 1 and 2: Deadline

#### Week 4: Lab Work

Thursday, 03 April	
15:00 - 17:00	Live Class 3: Lab 1
17:00 - 18:30	<b>Office Hours 3</b> with the Course Director (optional, upon appointment)
Week 5: Lab Work	
Thursday, 10 April	
15:00 - 17:00	Live Class 4: Lab 2
17:00 - 18:30	Office Hours 4 with the Course Director (optional, upon appointment)
Friday, 11 April	
17:00	Closing of the course

After the closing, access to the course material and forums will be allowed until 11 May 2025.

## **LIVE CLASSES**

The course features five live sessions:

- an optional 'brush-up' session for those wishing to review the basic concepts behind the course
- two recap live classes led by Prof. Wooldridge
- two lab sessions including:
  - exercises in breakout rooms (60 minutes) of individual work followed by TA-led discussion within groups
  - o discussion and Q&A with the course director

**Participation in live sessions is mandatory**. Participants who cannot attend one or multiple classes due to serious and pressing personal or professional reasons are required to notify the course facilitator beforehand.

*Live classes are occasions for active interaction between course participants and faculty members. Consequently, you are required to connect to all live sessions with an active webcam and a microphone.* 

# **OFFICE HOURS**

**Office hours** are occasions for course participants for individual online meetings with Prof. Wooldridge and the Teaching Associates (TAs). *Participation is optional. Slots with Prof. Wooldridge must be booked via the online platform.* 

### HOMEWORK

In Weeks 1, 2 and 3, you will be asked to complete two homework exercises.

- The homework assignments will be reviewed and assessed by our TAs, but will not be graded.
- You are encouraged to review the homework exercises submitted by the other course participants, in small groups.