

## Breaking into Banking 201: Analyzing Repayment Sources

**Course Description:** This 9-module online course is a "sequel" to the 101 course and is best taken after

completion of that course, though it is not a prerequisite. The 201 course includes a case study and dives deeper into topics covered in modules 4, 6, and 8 of the 101 course: analyzing a borrower's balance sheet, income statement, collateral, and risk ratings.

**Target audience:** This course is most appropriate for credit analysts, lenders, portfolio managers, and

others who need skills in financial statement analysis and writing credit documents.

**Duration:** *In-person workshop*: One day (6 hours of facilitation plus breaks)

Online videos: Nine 20-minute modules, total of three hours of instruction, plus exercises

and self-checks

Outline of course objectives and topics
Understanding primary and secondary repayment sources
Why banks need accurate loan data to estimate credit losses
Better definitions of assets, liabilities, and equity
Measuring liquidity: beyond formulas and ratios
Quality of current assets
The difference between debt and equity
How to measure leverage
Highly leveraged lending
Analyzing revenues: growth and drivers
Keys to analyzing gross margin and operating margin
Why Return on Assets (ROA) matters
Explanation of fixed charges
EBITDA as a proxy for cash flow
Measuring debt service coverage and fixed charge coverage
Why bankers need a back-up plan
Commercial real estate as collateral
How to evaluate fixed assets
Understanding self-liquidating collateral
How to assess the value of inventory
Analyzing a borrower's Accounts Receivable
Understanding Accounts Receivable Aging reports
Borrowing base formulas and certificates
Unsecured and under-secured loans
Assessing an obligor's likelihood of repayment
Dual risk ratings and expected loss
Provision for Credit Losses and why it matters