



Maryland Bankers Association
A Local ABA Training Provider

ABA Bank Financial Management Diploma

**Total
Diploma Price***
\$3,595

**Training You Can
Depend On!**

How well your staff is trained impacts your bank's performance. That's why so many banks turn to ABA, the leader in bank training. Courses are available whenever and wherever your staff needs them.

ABA certificates and diplomas have long been recognized industry-wide.

Either as stand-alone courses to meet immediate needs, or as important initial steps along a financial services career path, ABA offerings enhance the skills of your staff and your organization's position in the marketplace.

For more information on ABA diploma programs, contact the MBA's Member Services at 410-269-5977.

This diploma is designed for individuals who are involved in the financial management of their bank, including junior officers up through CEOs, CFOs and other senior officers who make key decisions that affect bank profitability.

The courses required for this diploma cover the analysis of bank performance, the measurement and management of interest rate risk, and the management of funding, liquidity and capital. All the core courses use the same textbook, and each course includes exercises in which participants apply these concepts to their own institution. Candidates should have an understanding of accounting and financial markets before beginning the required courses. Experience in the use of electronic spreadsheets is helpful but not required.

Required Courses

Students must successfully complete the following courses. No substitutions or previous college credit will be accepted for this diploma.

Course	Recommended Delivery Method	Current Price*
Analyzing Bank Performance	Instructor-Led Online	\$875
Ethical Issues for Bankers	Self-paced Online	\$95
Managing the Bank's Investment Portfolio	Instructor-Led Online	\$875
Managing Funding, Liquidity and Capital	Instructor-Led Online	\$875
Managing Interest Rate Risk	Instructor-Led Online	\$875

*Prices are subject to change. Prices reflected in this flyer are effective as of 9/1/14 and apply to MBA Members only. The total Diploma price for non-members is \$4,630.



Delivery Methods

A variety of delivery methods are available, however the current recommended methods are listed. The availability depends on the specific course.

Instructor-Led Online—These traditional online courses offer flexibility, but give you the support of an instructor and student network. Students complete assignments within a set timeframe.

Self-paced Online—These short and fast courses are easily completed in as little as a few hours, using self-check quizzes.

Classroom—Courses are occasionally offered through local Community Colleges or through in-bank training.

FAQ

How do I register for the courses?

Students may register online through the Maryland Bankers website at www.mdbankers.com, faxing a registration form or by emailing mdbankers@mdbankers.com.

How long does it take to complete this diploma?

It's up to you and depends on how often the classes are offered. Typically, the diploma can be completed in less than one year.

How many classes can I take at one time?

Also, up to you. To balance with work, family and study, we recommend that students take no more than two instructor-led online courses at one time.

Are any of the courses reciprocal for college credit?

Yes, 12 of the ABA Instructor-led online courses have been recommended for college credit. Alternatively, any of your previous college coursework is eligible for review toward ABA diplomas.

Other questions?

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