

Macroeconomic Management in Natural Resource-Rich Countries (MMNR)

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Course No.: JV 11.02
Location: Vienna, Austria (JVI)
Date: January 31 - February 11 2011 (2 Weeks)
Language: English

Target Audience:

Mid- to senior-level officials from central banks, ministry of finance and other relevant government agencies.

Qualifications:

Participants should be involved in the design and execution of policies in resource-rich countries and have a good understanding of macroeconomic, fiscal and financial issues.

Course Description:

This two-week course, presented by the IMF Institute, aims at broadening participants' understanding of the challenges faced by resource rich countries. Drawing upon the Fund experience as well as academic contribution to the policy debate, the course aims to provide participants with analytical skills to study the challenges faced by resource-rich countries and the policy responses. The skills developed during the course would allow participants to inform a wide range of policies, including the fiscal implications of alternative strategies for natural resource exploitation, monetary and exchange rate policies, financial sector issues and structural reforms in resource-rich countries. The course will also provide the opportunity to discuss in depth a number of case studies of natural resource-rich countries.