GTC Transforming Emerging Economies

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Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs) and the Future of Payments

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course provides a detailed framework on Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs) and their transformative impact on the global financial landscape. It explores the design, deployment, and strategic policy aspects of CBDCs, including effects on monetary policy, cross-border payments, and financial inclusion. The course prepares delegates to navigate the evolving digital currency ecosystem with a balanced understanding of opportunities and risks. Participants will analyze how CBDCs integrate with existing financial institutions, cryptocurrencies, and payment innovations, while addressing related challenges in regulation, security, and privacy.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This course is designed for central bankers, financial regulators, policymakers, banking executives, payment system professionals, fintech leaders, compliance officers, and strategy consultants. It is also highly valuable for corporate finance leaders and technology innovators seeking to understand the opportunities and challenges CBDCs present in shaping the future of digital payments.

COURSE OUTCOMES

Delegates will gain the skills and knowledge to:

- Understand the principles, architecture, and policy objectives of CBDCs.
- Analyze the impact of CBDCs on monetary policy, banking systems, and financial inclusion.
- Evaluate the opportunities and risks of CBDCs in domestic and cross-border payments.
- Compare CBDCs with cryptocurrencies, stablecoins, and other digital assets.
- Apply global regulatory frameworks to CBDC design, adoption, and governance.
- Forecast the future trends in digital finance.

KEY COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

At the end of the course, you will understand;

- The conceptual framework of digital currencies and the broader monetary ecosystem.
- The comprehensive coverage of CBDCs, from design to real-world pilots.
- Case studies on CBDC initiatives from leading central banks.
- Technological insights including blockchain and non-blockchain CBDC infrastructures.
- Practical insights into CBDCs’ role in monetary policy and payment innovation.
- Risk management, cybersecurity, and privacy considerations for CBDCs.
- Perspectives on the future of digital money and payments transformation.

All our courses are dual-certificate courses. At the end of the training, the delegates will receive two certificates.
1. A GTC end-of-course certificate.
2. Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Certificate of completion with earned credits awarded.