

### AIT promotes technological change and sustainable growth and development in the Asian-Pacific region through higher education, research, and outreach.

Established in Bangkok in 1959, AIT has become a leading regional postgraduate institution and is actively working with public and private sector partners throughout the region and with some of the top universities in the world.

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### Professional Masters in BANKING and FINANCE









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### Organization-Based Research Project in the Curriculum

### THE AIMS OF THE PROGRAMME:

- To empower professional bankers with knowledge and skills to meet current and emerging challenges with the fast-changing business environment in the industry.
- To develop knowledge of management of the business as might be useful for performing the role of a banker
- To provide a balanced exposure to the theory, case studies and practical skills that will enhance both the personal and professional development of the participants.



## Enhance both the personal & professional development

### **KEY FEATURES OF THE PROGRAMME:**

• Designed and delivered to suit the needs of working executives in the banking sector in the region.



- The faculty body is a combination of academics and practicing managers.
- An engagingly diverse participant group comprising of bankers from different countries in the region.
- Practical orientation with a significant organization-based research project in the curriculum.

#### **STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO:**

- understand and evaluate broad trends in banking and financial services industry and assess the impact of such trends on their business;
- evaluate and apply management tools and techniques in the context of banking and financial services industry;
- integrate the diverse body of knowledge into applications in their job through a comprehensive research project.

### **1 Year Degree Program for Bankers**

### RESPONDING TO THE NEED OF THE BANKING INDUSTRY IN THE REGION

### **PROGRAMME'S STRUCTURE:**

- The programme combines classwork and a research project in a curriculum that will be delivered over 12 months.
- The delivery will be in 3 modules. Each module will be approximate to ten weeks' duration.
- Participants' learning in each course will be tested by a combination of exams and assignments. The research project will be evaluated by a committee comprising of a faculty advisor and at least two committee members.
- Successful completion would require participants to obtain grades in line with AIT's policies and procedures.



# State-of-the-art in the business of banking & financial services industry

#### **CREDIT STRUCTURE**

- 09 Courses: 27 credits (each credit is of 15-hour class duration)
- 01 Research Project: 6 credits



### MODULE 1

- Economics for bankers
- Financial Statement & Analysis
- Financial Regulation & Supervision

#### MODULE 2

- Financial Management
- International Finance
- Strategic Management & Leadership

### MODULE 3

- Banking
- Growth & Development
- Risk Management

### **RESEARCH PROJECT**

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

To be eligible for admission to the programme, a candidate should have:

- A Bachelor's degree or equivalent, in a relevant discipline
- Relevant work experience of at least 5 years in banking and finance at an officer level
- Proficiency in English IELTS scores of 6.0 (or higher) or pass the AIT English Entry Test.

Candidates will be required to take an admission test and appear for an interview. The preparatory programme may be recommended for potential candidates based on the performance in the admission test.

## In-depth knowledge from world-class academicians



The program emphasizes applied skills along with fundamentals of banking and finance which makes it different from other academic master programs. I felt privileged listening to success stories from real-life practitioners and gaining in-depth knowledge from world-class academicians simultaneously. Above all, the multicultural environment at AIT provided me with an incredible opportunity to flourish as a human being. Nazia Haque

PMBF Batch 6, June 2018 Bangladesh Bank (Central Bank of Bangladesh), Bangladesh

## Incredible opportunity to flourish as a human being

### **INQUIRIES & APPLICATIONS**

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PMBF at AIT was a wonderful experience of my life. It not only enhanced my knowledge and skills as a professional, but diversity enriched me as a human being. **Kritika Pradhan** PMBF Batch 3, January 2013 Bank of Bhutan Limited, Bhutan.



This is the best banking qualification which I have earned so far. It enriched me in a power of analytical thinking to manage any critical situation by teaching practical aspects of knowledge without limiting to the theories. I am more competent, confident and efficient than earlier thanks to the hands-on experienced and the sound knowledge acquired through expertise lecturers in AIT from multi countries. PMBF taught us to adopt our learning in a multi-cultural diversified environment while respecting each nation." Rajith Jayawardana PMBF Batch 5, June 2015 Sampath Bank PLC, Sri Lanka.

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