

# Global Central Banking & Financial Regulation MSc

## Bursary information



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# Bursary information for October 2021 intake

Blending the latest thinking in research and practical application, the Global Central Banking & Financial Regulation MSc, developed by Warwick Business School (WBS) in partnership with policy experts from the Bank of England, is an online programme designed to aid talent development, promote best practice and support staff retention.

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## Bursary information

As part of the WBS – Bank of England partnership to support technical co-operation and to create a constituency for good financial regulation, we are delighted to announce the availability of eight 50% tuition fee bursary awards to qualifying candidates from central banks in emerging market and developing countries.

## How to apply for a bursary

To be eligible for a bursary, candidates must complete the online application form for the October 2021 intake of the full MSc programme, successfully complete the required online video interview, be in receipt of an offer from WBS and be working in the central bank of a qualifying country.

Please note that applicants must complete both application form questions and indicate on the relevant drop-down option box that they wish to be considered for a bursary. Before you apply, we recommend you consider alternative forms of funding should you not be successful.

## Bursary screening criteria

The following criteria will be considered by the committee when finalising bursary decisions:

- Diversity among recipients
- Past career success with evidence of progression/and or future potential
- Future career aspirations and commitment to further progress within the Central Bank
- Strong drive and clear sense of commitment and pride in supporting the economic development of an individual's country
- Ambassadorial qualities and willingness to support WBS and the Bank of England in attracting future talent to the MSc programme.

To find out more about our MSc Global Central Banking and Financial Regulation Bursary please contact Raj Purewal:

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## Deadline to apply

The programme will commence in October 2021, and applications for bursaries must be received by midnight (GMT) on Friday 28 May 2021.

Applicants will be notified of the result no later than Friday 30 July 2021.

To find out more visit:

**W** [wbs.ac.uk/go/bankingvideo](https://wbs.ac.uk/go/bankingvideo) or click **here** to view the introduction to the Global Central Banking and Financial Regulation video.







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I chose to study this course as I had joined the Bank of Zambia in 2019, after 15 years of working as an accountant. The first module which was Comparative Central Banking really opened my mind to the similarities and differences in central bank operations and structures.

The best part of the course being so relevant is that I can immediately relate and apply what I have learnt to my job. The course structure is one that has been set up with industry professionals in mind and offers a lot of flexibility. I can work at my own pace in completing the necessary lessons and it also guides me to a lot of further reading in order to augment what has been taught. The bonus of this course is the interaction and networking we have with the other students from all over the world. The discussions with my peers on module lessons and our different country experiences has been invaluable.

I believe this course will certainly help me to achieve my future career ambitions as it will develop my knowledge and skills in monetary policy, financial stability as well as financial regulation which is the perfect mix for career aspirations on the operations side of central banking. I would definitely recommend this course to anyone in central banking who wishes to enhance their skill base and fully understand the operations of a central bank.

**Merina Phiri Ndumba**  
Senior Economist – Macro Prudential  
Statistics and Data Support, Bank of Zambia

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Aspiring to high office in central banking in my country, I seized the first opportunity to study the MSc Global Central Banking and Financial Regulation jointly conducted by the Bank of England and Warwick Business School. I chose to study the course to hone, consolidate and advance my knowledge, skills and competencies as a central banker and also to gain fluency in central banking.

Already, I am able to see the value of the teaching on this course because it has helped to clarify the foundations of some of the things that I already partly knew, but also to flesh the ideas and concepts out fully and even start to see the direction of their future development.

I believe that central banking is a unique endeavour, requiring a multidisciplinary set of skills and body of knowledge, that may not be properly acquired other than through a deliberate programme of training. No longer is it adequate to simply be an economist, or finance expert, or lawyer, or administrator, to be a world-class central banker because central banking has evolved in such a way that general skills or otherwise transferable skills might not suffice. As such, I would recommend studying for the MSc Global Central Banking and Financial Regulation to everyone aspiring for a career in central banking and closely related fields.

**Akura Mugenyi**  
Central Banker – the Bank of Uganda



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The programme initially intrigued me with the selection of modules and the partnership behind it (academics from Warwick Business School and policy experts from the Bank of England). The course material is very concentrated and diverse (reading lists, summarised material and great interviews with remarkable experts and leaders from the financial world).

The course is taught via the my.wbs online learning platform, which is a great learning facility. With this platform, I feel like I have an admin who does all the organising in my place. It is simple, functional and at the same time very comprehensive and well-structured. The learning programme is flexible and I can freely organise my learning time, although I found it useful to follow the general structure of the module, which presumes learning a lesson per week in a relaxed pace.

I can already see how this course enriches my legal skills and I look forward to being a complete central banker, who easily shifts from the legal expert to the economic expert shoes. I cannot refrain from continuously telling my colleagues and friends about the amazing experience with this programme, and I would recommend the programme to anyone who works or is interested to work in the financial world.

**Valentina Rusu**  
In-house Lawyer – Central Bank of Moldova