Modelling Professional Series
Modelling best practice principles and application
Deloitte Modelling Professional Series

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Hands on Learning

Learning is optimised through a hands-on approach. Get ready to roll up your sleeves as our classes include exercises and case studies—and you can take home the exercises and answers for future reference!

Tailored Content

Have a specific question or problem? Bring it to class, we will workshop the answer so that you not only have a solution but can see how we apply our modelling expertise. For group bookings, content can be tailored to meet your organisation’s needs.

Small Group Sizes

Our small classes allow the trainers to provide individual support throughout the class. Our expert trainer is assisted by another Deloitte modelling specialist who acts as a floater, allowing one on one help throughout the session.

Local Experts

With modelling specialists in 7 different locations across Australia, our training team are able to meet local training needs. Contact us to find out how your local representative can meet your needs.

Passionate Team

We are passionate about enhancing our clients’ ability to make business decisions and our enthusiasm is infectious. Deloitte Business Modelling is a market leader in the development and review of Excel-based financial and economic models.
Modelling Best Practice Principles and Application

Who is this course for?

Individuals who have a basic level of understanding of Microsoft Excel and are looking to enhance their capability and establish best practice modelling routines in their modelling.

Pre-requisites: Participants should have a basic level of Microsoft Excel knowledge.

What will we cover?

Day 1

- Why adhere to modelling best practice?
- Model design fundamentals
- Overview of logical worksheet flow and interface
- Modeling best practice principles (with practical examples/exercises):
  - Eliminating hardcoded
  - Naming conventions
  - Named ranges
  - Consistency – formulae/timelines
  - Formatting
  - Macros
  - Model schematic/instructions.
- Introduction to Spreadsheet Detective:
  - Shading and unshading a worksheet
  - Workbook report
  - Comparing worksheets.

Day 2

- Case study exercise 1 (in small groups):
  - Identifying issues with sample models using Spreadsheet Detective
  - Recording issues identified
  - Findings report for each sample model.
- Case study exercise 2 (in small groups):
  - Addressing issues identified in findings reports
  - Implementing model changes according to modelling best practice principles
  - Recording model updates in a model change log.
- Case study exercise 3 (in small groups):
  - Compare model versions and evaluate model updates.
- Q&A

This course may contribute to CPE hours.

Where do I go?

Courses are offered in a number of locations on a regular basis. Contact us to find out more about prices and courses scheduled in your local area at: www.deloitte.com/au/business-modelling-training