

CREDIT RISK AND CASH FLOW ANALYSIS INSPIRING CASES

*Date: from 21 to 24 November 2022
Venue: Kosovo Banking Association*

CONTEXT & OBJECTIVES

Banks play a crucial role in allocating financial resources. Many companies in a country are dependent on the loans and credit facilities that banks provide. Meeting the demand of these companies for financial resources in a sustainable way will support social and economic developments. The workshop is intended to help future and current loan providers, investors and credit analysts to do their job efficiently and thoroughly. After finishing the workshop, all participants should be able to:

- ✚ Systematically determine the operating and financial strength of a specific borrower (a company). Linking operational and financial issues gives a strong analysis and protection against unreliable financials and weak business plans. Finally, the participants will be able to judge level & predictability of **future cash flows** and to assess a risk rating by hand.
- ✚ **Help the borrower** to set reasonable goals in terms of financial condition and growth and using a strategy when a borrower is facing financial difficulties.
- ✚ Give **concise and clear conclusions** and recommendations to credit committees/management.

METHODOLOGY

Real-life business cases and group exercises to apply knowledge and skills into practice. Interactive classroom discussions to exchange experiences. And a “Toolbox” that can be used as a reference both in the classroom and at home.

TARGET GROUP

The workshop is addressed to professionals involved in extending and monitoring business loans and who are interested in tricks and tips to improve their efficiency. Both senior and junior staff will enjoy the real-life examples and the lively discussions. It is exciting and fun. Pre-requisite: Knowledge about the basics of accounting.

LANGUAGE

A good command of English is required.

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EXPERT

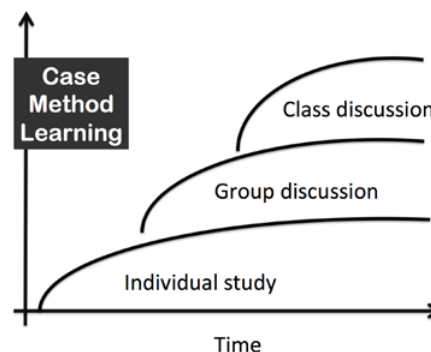
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CONTENT

SUBJECTS

Our goal is to judge the level & stability of future cash flows of a company and to assess its creditworthiness. The following subjects are needed to make this judgment and will be covered in the workshop:

- ✚ Identifying warning signals in the cash flow statement
- ✚ Measuring the debt burden
- ✚ Judging liquidity
- ✚ Preparing a financial projection to assess future cash flow quality
- ✚ Drafting an industry analysis
- ✚ Assessing management quality and reliability of financial information
- ✚ The impact of the corporate strategy and business plans
- ✚ Parent/subsidiary issues and structure risks
- ✚ Assessing a risk rating by hand (=not by computer)



WHEN IS THE WORKSHOP NOT USEFUL?

Cases about small, medium-sized and big companies are part of the program. The lessons learned are not useful to analyze very small / micro companies, financial institutions and commodity traders. The participants' list of your institution can be discussed in advance to ensure that everyone will benefit.

DAY 1

- ✚ The toolbox
A practical analytical framework for credit analysis that includes analytical tools and techniques
- ✚ Cash flow analysis
The importance of cash flows, calculating cash flows and identifying warning signals
- ✚ Debt burden and liquidity
Refreshing this part of financial analysis as well
- ✚ Industry analysis and "Product Life Cycle ↔ Cash Flows"
Two useful tools to assess the Business Risks, which is part of the operating strength of a company
- ✚ Case "A profitable retailer still going bankrupt"
What went wrong?

DAY 2

- ✚ Financial projection "Back to the Future"
How to make a financial projection: We go back in time and find a solution how we could avoid the bankruptcy of the retailer
- ✚ Bad Loans: Voluntary Debt Restructuring
The World Bank & U.N. about out-of-court debt restructuring, discussions
- ✚ Case "A Wholesaler with a Need for Growth"
Will its strategy actually work?
- ✚ Management's Attitude & Reliability of Financials
Learning an easy and effective tool to assess these items & warning signals

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DAY 3

- ✚ Case “Company Easy Bikes Ltd. is being sold”
Are the financials reliable? What do you think about the business risks? Are the owners “on the hook”?
- ✚ Maintaining an efficient credit process
Writing tips & how to co-operate
- ✚ Case “Engineering & Agriculture”
Do we accept this new customer?
- ✚ Case “Technological Disruption in the car industry”
What is the impact on two selected companies?

DAY 4

- ✚ Case “A Franchise Organisation & Aggressive Management”
Find the warning signals
- ✚ Parent/subsidiary issues and structural subordination
Theory & small exercises about analysing our priority of claim to the borrower
- ✚ Case “Change of Ownership of a Transport Company”
Group exercise & presentations to the Credit Committee
- ✚ Conclusions & Evaluation
Your findings

DAILY SCHEDULE

09:00 – 10:30 Training
10:30 – 10:45 Coffee break
10:45 – 12:00 Training
12:00 – 13:00 Lunch break
13:00 – 14:30 Training
14:30 – 14:45 Coffee break
14:45 – 16:30 Training
16:30 End of day ☺

REGISTRATION

Send your filled registration forms via email at KBA, or contact us at:
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