

Course Outline
Economics of Banking
2022-23

This course focuses on the role of banks and financial intermediaries in the economy. The aim is to provide students with the economic framework to understand the role and practice of financial intermediation in the economy.

Upon Completion the student should be in position to:

Describe the process of liquidity creation and be aware of the major changes and trends in international banking sector, describe the main risks relating to banking and be familiar with the main techniques of risk management, describe and interpret the regulatory framework relating to the banking system.

Textbook:

Matthews, K. and Thompson, J.L. (2008). *The economics of banking*. Chichester, England, Hoboken, NJ: Wiley.
(The book is available at the UOI Central Lib-Main Collection, Call No. 332.1 MAT)

Topics

Theory of Financial Intermediation
Banks Typology and International Banking
Risk Management
Securitisation
Bank Runs, Regulation and Free Banking