

Opening (5 minutes)

- **Live poll (show of hands):**
 - *"How many of you believe RL will be widely adopted in finance within the next 5 years?"*
 - *"What is the biggest barrier to RL adoption: (i) Data limitations, (ii) Regulatory concerns, (iii) Lack of explainability, (iv) Cost & implementation?"*
- **Quick audience response:** 1-2 participants briefly share their views.

Real-world use cases (15 minutes – Panel & Audience)

- **Introduction of use cases**
 - Trading
 - Risk management
 - Customer personalization
- **Discuss industry scenario:**
 - *"Imagine you're launching a fintech startup using RL. What would be the most promising application?"*
 - Open the floor for quick audience opinions

3. Barriers & challenges (15 minutes – Audience breakout)

- **Divide the room**
 - Divide room into two groups
 - Have each group discuss one roadblock: (i) regulatory issues and (ii) technical limitations?"
- **Defend sides**
 - Representatives of both groups defend each side
 - Panelists respond and ask follow-up questions

4. Future outlook: Interactive visioning (10 minutes – Panel + Audience)

- **Audience predictions**
 - *"Will RL be dominant in finance by 2030? Why or why not?"*
 - Show of hands

- *"What major breakthrough would change the game?"*
- **Panelists react and discuss feasibility.**

5. Open Q & A (15 minutes)

- **Short, direct questions from the audience.**