Welcome to this section in the course, which is all about understanding cryptocurrencies wholly.

In this lecture I just want to give you an all round introduction to this section, then we’re going to dive in, and immerse ourselves in understanding everything related to cryptocurrencies fundamentally. This is our aim here in this section, so let me give you a run down of the lectures we’ll be going over to help us achieve our aim.

1. What Are Cryptocurrencies?

In this lecture we will be discussing the essence of cryptocurrencies, helping you to come to terms with something you may just know as a word right now. Hence you can be fully assured we will be breaking this down for you, ensuring you understand cryptocurrencies at their core.

2. How Cryptocurrencies Came To Be

Following on from ‘What Cryptocurrencies Are’, we’ll be diving into how cryptocurrencies actually conceptualised. As with anything, it’s important to understand the roots if you wish to attain a true grasp of the core values that come along with it.

3. How The Cryptocurrency Ecosystem Works

In this lecture we’ll be discussing how everything comes together in this decentralised ecosystem to make it work, one the things we’ll be talking about are the players involved. For example miners, and just why their job is so important.

4. How Cryptocurrencies Are Created

Following on from miners, within this lecture we’ll be talking about how cryptocurrencies are actually created. This is heavily focussed on miners. On top of that, I’ll share a personal story of mine with visiting a mining farm in Iceland, I’m sure you’ll find it fascinating.

5. What Gives Cryptocurrencies Value?

This lecture is something I’m sure will intrigue many of you! It’s generally what entices people, they want to know why some cryptocurrencies are so valuable. Well all will be revealed in this lecture, as well as the metrics many use to place their own value upon cryptocurrencies.

6. The Economic Impact Of Cryptocurrencies

Have you ever considered what impact cryptocurrencies have had on the economy? Well this is lecture where we’ll be discussing all that, because the fact of the matter is it has. Cryptocurrencies are one of the biggest wealth creators of this generation, so must discuss the impact it has had on the economy.

7. Will Cryptocurrencies Continue To Have Value?

Over here we loose track on the amount of times bitcoin has been pronounced ‘dead’. It’s a given that the market is volatile, but we as well as many other experts strongly believe in the vision of cryptocurrencies (not all to make that clear!). So in this lecture we’ll be discussing why cryptocurrencies will continue to have value.

8. How To Use Cryptocurrencies Anywhere

Now if you have ever thought that it’s difficult to use cryptocurrencies, in this lecture I’ll be showing you an extremely frictionless way to use cryptocurrencies in your daily life. In fact, I’ll also show you a way in which you can save a considerable amount of money by doing so.

9. Cryptocurrency Taxation

Towards the end of the section we’re going to discuss the boring part to some, but a very important part I must say. It’s all about how cryptocurrencies are taxed around the world, I’ll be sharing some golden pieces of advice here so be sure to tune into that lecture.

We’ll then round off with a lecture summarising this section, but as a whole that is how this whole section is structured to help you grasp the fundamentals of cryptocurrencies clearly. This will be your complete guide to understanding the fundamentals of cryptocurrencies, before we move on. Other than that, that’s everything for this lecture. I look forward to seeing you in the next lecture, where we’ll be going over what cryptocurrencies actually are.