



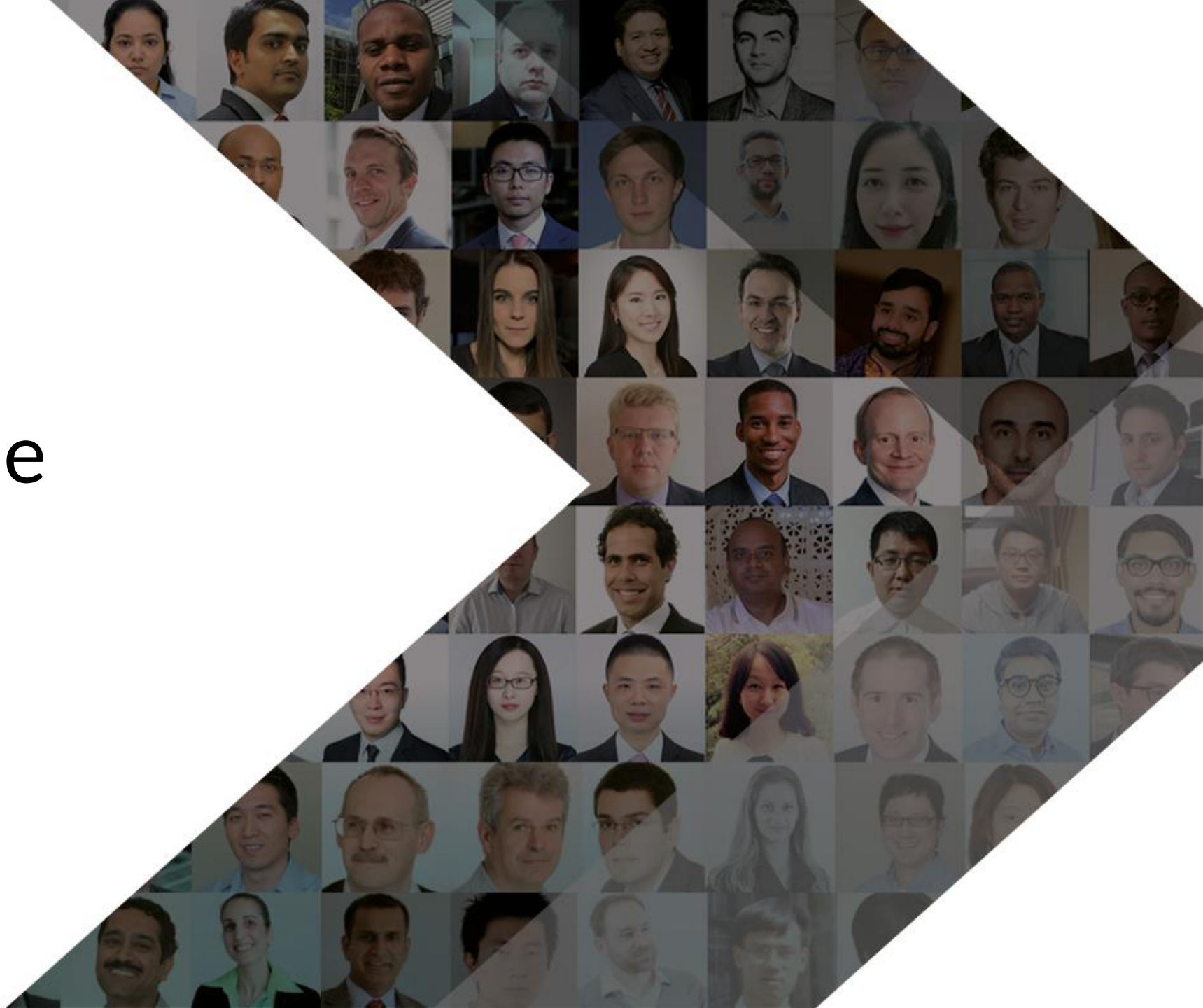
Welcome to the January 2025 CQF Program

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Your CQF Program: Overview

- The CQF program is made up of 6 core modules.
- At the end of module six, you will choose 2 advanced electives from a range of options.

Module	Module Title	Module Start Date	Module End Date
Module 1	Building Blocks of Quantitative Finance	23 rd January 2025	10 th February 2025
Module 2	Quantitative Risk and Return	11 th February 2025	07 th March 2025
Module 3	Equities and Currencies	10 th March 2025	10 th April 2025
Module 4	Data Science and Machine Learning I	15 th April 2025	09 th May 2025
Module 5	Data Science and Machine Learning II	13 th May 2025	03 rd June 2025
Module 6	Fixed Income and Credit	05 th June 2025	23 rd July 2025
Advanced Electives	Various Titles		

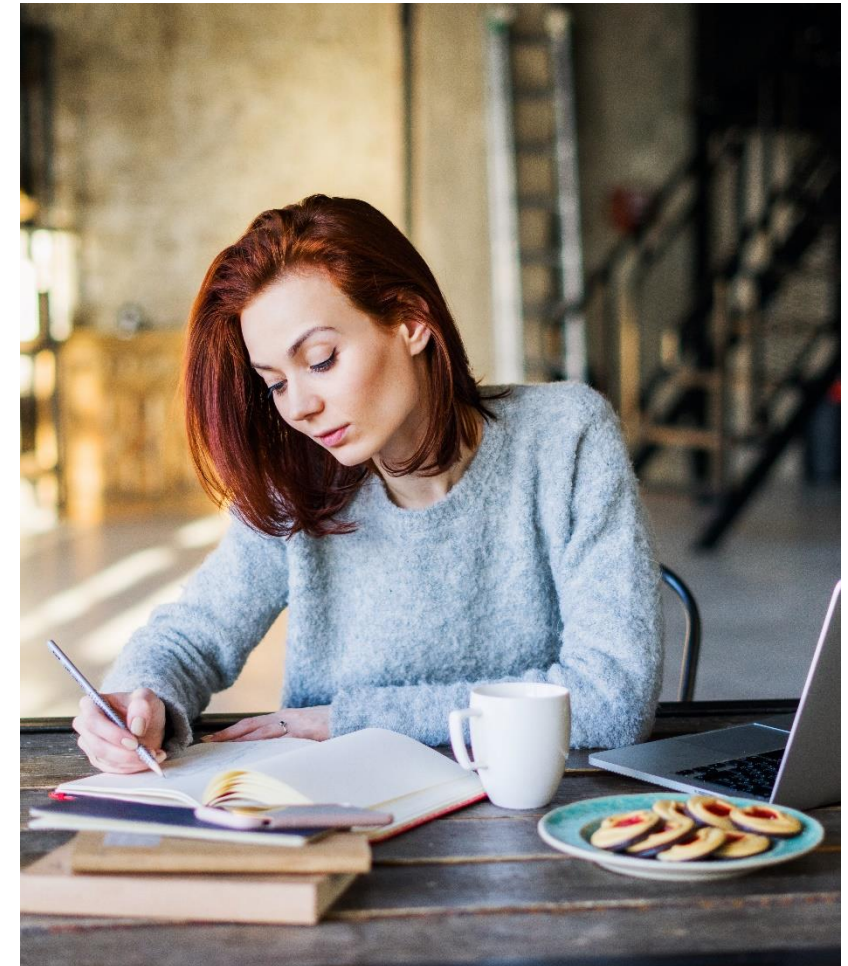
Your CQF Program: Exams

- You need to complete **3 exams** and **1 final project**.
- All exams are **open book**. You will have **2 weeks** to complete each exam.
- Once completed, please **upload exams onto your Learning Portal** for marking.
- **Make a copy** of your exams to ensure against all eventualities. *Please follow submission format instructions.*
- Exam results will be released through your **Learning Portal**.

Exam	Exam Distributed	Exam Deadline	Exam Weighting
Exam 1	06 th March 2025	20 th March 2025	20%
Exam 2	10 th April 2025	24 th April 2025	20%
Exam 3	15 th May 2025	29 th May 2025	20%
Final Project	26 th June 2026	21 st August 2025	40%
Final Optional Distinction Exam	06 th September 2025	06 th September 2025	Distinction

Your CQF Program: Support

- **Ask Questions** - Ask questions and interact with faculty during each lecture.
 - **Helpdesks** - Faculty members are on hand to help and answer your questions.
 - **Wilmott Forum** - Dedicated forum to network and foster great collaborations.
 - **Learning Pathway** - Guide you through the CQF with a core reading list, further reading, and Lifelong Learning lectures.
 - **FAQs** - Answers can be found on your Learning Portal under the Support tab.
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- **Maths Support Sessions** - Additional live online math support sessions during module one and two.
 - **Python Labs** - Labs to guide you through the implementation of the models taught in lectures.
 - **Tutorials** - Faculty-led tutorials work through key concepts and examples relating to lecture content.
 - **Project Workshops** - Workshops guide you through your Final Project and give guidance on what is required.



Your CQF Program: Questions

If you have any questions about your CQF program, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the CQF Team.

The best way to contact us is to use the helpdesk on the CQF Portal

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Your CQF Program: Portal



All your CQF material is available on the CQF Portal.
To access this, please go to www.cqf.com and log on using your username and password.

Course Materials

24 hours prior to each lecture, all associated lecture material (lecture notes, exercises) will be uploaded to the learning portal for you to access.

The exercises are for you to complete in your own time and do not need to be submitted for marking. Solutions will be available on your portal.

Recordings

Recordings of all CQF lectures will be made accessible for playback on demand and will be uploaded to the learning portal no later than 24 hours, or one business day, following the live lecture.

To access the recordings, go to www.cqf.com, on the landing page click the Learning Platform button.

On your Dashboard locate the Course you wish to view. Click into the Course to view the lectures.

Reading Materials

If you have not received your CQF textbooks – please email CQFProgram@fitchlearning.com

App

The mobile App allows you to have offline functionality on your own iOS or Android device. If you have not already downloaded the App, please email the team for instructions.

Your CQF Program: Additional Information



CQF Forum

The CQF Forum is a great way to interact with fellow CQF delegates and alumni and ask any technical questions you may have.

You need to register at:

<https://forum.wilmott.com/ucp.php?mode=register> and send the following details to CQFProgram@fitchlearning.com: Your name, email address, and Wilmott.com username.

Wilmott Magazine

By joining the CQF program, you are entitled to a one-year subscription to Wilmott Magazine to help you keep up to date with the latest advancements in quant finance.

Email Communications

We will communicate with your personal email address. If you are not receiving emails, please check your junk email folder.

Lifelong Learning

Access to Lifelong Learning is granted once your full fees have been paid.

On the CQF Portal Study page you will find access to the pre-course primers, CQF extra lectures, masterclasses, C++ classes, and CM2 lectures.

Awards

First in Class Award – Highest overall marks across the program

CQF Institute Award – Best overall project

Wilmott Award for Excellence – Best results in the distinction exam

Non-Official WhatsApp Groups

WhatsApp study groups with your fellow CQF delegates allow you to support each other throughout the program.

The CQF Institute



The CQF Institute is the awarding body of the CQF and a global membership organization.

It is strongly encouraged that you sign up for a free membership to benefit from the institute's events and resources.

www.cqfinstitute.org

Industry Talk



Advances in Quantum Optimization Solvers for Near-term Hardware and Beyond

Date: Tuesday, 11th February 2025

Time: 18:00 - 19:00 GMT

Speaker: Dr. David Venturelli

Conference



Portfolio Management in Quant Finance Conference

Date: Wednesday, 12th March 2025

Time: 12:30 - 18:30 GMT

Speaker: Dr. Jan Rozenzweig, Professor Natalie Packham, Adil Reghai, and more.

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Industry Talk



The New Superpower: Agility in the Supply Chain

Date: Tuesday, 18th March 2025

Time: 18:00 - 19:00 GMT

Speakers: Peter Benda

CQF January 2025 - Welcome Session



You are invited to join tomorrow's welcome session.

This session will include:

- An introduction from Managing Director, Dr. Randeep Gug
- Online one-to-one networking with your fellow delegates
- Opportunities to get any questions answered by the CQF Program team

Event Details

Date: Friday, 24th January 2025

Time: 12:00 PM GMT / 07:00 EST / 20:00 SGT

Virtual Doors Open: 11:50 GMT / 06:50 EST / 19:50 SGT

Duration: 2 hours

Please follow the link to register for the event:

[Event Link](#)

