

# CERTIFICATE IN DERIVATIVES MARKET STRATEGIES (CDMS)

Welcome to the dynamic derivatives landscape – home of some of the most complex financial instruments in the investment community. The Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies helps unravel this complex topic into actionable knowledge that you can immediately employ in your current or future role. If you are looking to be recognized as a specialist who understands the more complex facets of the market – the CDMS is right for you.

## YOU WILL DEVELOP

An advanced global proficiency standard in derivatives

Advanced knowledge in the features, benefits and risks of exchange traded and OTC derivative products.

A deep understanding of how derivatives are used to manage interest rate, equity, currency and commodity risk

Competence in the various trading techniques using options and futures.

Understanding of how derivatives are used to help create structured products.

A deep understanding of the supply and demand fundamentals of various financial and commodity markets.

## LEARNING PATHWAY

INTRODUCTION TO  
FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES  
FUNDAMENTAL COURSE

\$905 USD

**OR**

DERIVATIVES  
FUNDAMENTALS AND  
OPTIONS LICENSING COURSE  
\$1,245 USD

(price includes volume-1 & 2)

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ADVANCED DERIVATIVES  
MARKET STRATEGIES  
COURSE

\$985 USD

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MARKET STRATEGIES**

**NOTICE – 3 YEAR RULE:** The educational path must be completed not more than 3 years prior to being granted the certificate. If an individual has exceeded the 3 year time line, completion of the highest level requirement in the educational path (or equivalent) will be required prior to being granted the certificate.

**LEADS TO CAREERS SUCH AS:**

- Institutional Trader
- Investment Advisor
- Risk Management Professional
- Corporate Officer
- Corporate Finance Specialist/Analyst
- Portfolio Manager

## **CERTIFICATE IN DERIVATIVES MARKET STRATEGIES**

Become a recognized specialist in the most dynamic area of finance today with **APII®**'s Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies.

This educational path is your solid entry point into the rewarding careers related to the use of derivatives . The use of these instruments including options, futures and swaps, is common place now extending to managing risk in both financial and non-financial settings, trading in both an institutional and retail setting and structuring various types of financial products like Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and structured notes. As a recipient of a Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies, you will be recognized for your specialized knowledge in the advanced concepts and applications of derivative investments and risk management.

**WHO SHOULD ENROL**

- Investment advisory with a focus on derivatives trading
- Institutional sales and trading
- Risk management professionals in both financial and non-financial corporations
- Conventional and alternative portfolio management
- Structured product development
- Equity and fixed income research
- Treasury

***This certificate will help you:***

- Develop an in-depth understanding of options, futures and swaps

- Gain a deep understanding of various underlying financial and commodity markets
- Understanding the various applications of derivatives including managing risk, trading and product construction.
- Distinguish yourself as a derivatives specialist

#### **LICENSING & REGISTRATION**

- Successful completion of the Derivatives Fundamentals and Options Licensing (DFOL) course allows you to apply for licensing to sell exchange-traded options to the public.
- Successful completion of the Derivatives Fundamentals Course and the Futures Licensing Course allows you to apply for licensing to sell futures contracts to the public.

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