



COMMERCE PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

What is the difference between the Workshops and the Exam Prep Lecture programs?

The **exam preparation lectures** run for three hours (+30 min optional Q&A session) and will provide students with coverage of the key strategies to employ when preparing for the final examination. The lecturers will instruct students on **how to apply their knowledge** in the exam, which will include emphasis on the common errors to avoid, 'tips and tricks' to employ, and strategies to write concise responses. Like the course revision lectures, there is limited opportunity for questioning throughout the presentation, as the lecturers will seek to cover as much ground as possible. The optional 30 minute Q&A session at the conclusion of the lecture is the only time available for student input.

In contrast, the workshops are full-day catered events (9.15-4.00pm) that are designed to **engage students in 'hands on' activities** that help them to apply their knowledge in the final examination. Like the exam preparation programs, the workshops will start with a focus on common errors and 'tips and tricks' for students to employ. In addition, students will be guided through a step-by-step approach for structuring responses to challenging questions. However, unlike the lecture programs, the workshops will provide students with numerous opportunities to put into practice the strategies learned throughout the day. The emphasis, therefore, is on engagement and interaction, with students encouraged to quiz our **'experienced examination assessors'** about any concerns or issues they have in relation to the examination.

Each workshop will include the preparation of sample A+ responses as well as the analysis of those responses that lack sufficient detail or contain common mistakes. Participants will also be guided through a series of exercises to unpack the most difficult parts of the course as well as strategies to incorporate relevant and/or contemporary information into their responses.