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### **BankingorBust Releases New Financial Modeling Courses**

BankingorBust Releases Earnings Projection, DCF & LBO Courses for Students and Job Seekers on a Budget

Chicago, IL – May 13, 2009 – Uncertainty in today’s job market has prompted many job seekers to actively retool their skill-set. This is especially true in the financial services sector, where tangible analytical skills are increasingly important, particularly for junior-level employees. However, many courses are expensive for students and job seekers on a budget, with some sporting price tags in excess of \$1,000.

Bankingorbust.com has recently released three financial modeling courses catered to students and job seekers wishing to polish their skills before entering today’s fiercely competitive job market. Each course features Microsoft Excel screenshots to guide the user through each step of completion.

#### *Earnings Projection and Discounted Cash Flow (DCF) Analysis – 102 pages*

This course helps the user build earnings projection and DCF models from a blank Excel spreadsheet. The user will learn to project all three financial statements (income statement, balance sheet, statement of cash flows) and subsequently value a firm based on forecasted cash flows.

#### *Earnings Projection and Leveraged Buyout (LBO) Analysis – 163 pages*

The user will learn to project all three financial statements and prepare a model for private equity buyout transactions. This course emphasizes leveraging a firm with debt (within the context of an LBO transaction) and modeling the corresponding effect on cash flow and firm valuation.

#### *Earnings Projection and Leveraged Buyout (LBO) Analysis – 152 pages*

This course teaches the most commonly used Excel shortcuts for financial services applications (e.g. leveraged buyout analysis, comparable companies analysis, etc.). The intent is for the user to become a master of all the crucial functions, including Solver,

Goal Seek, VLOOKUP/HLOOKUP, Data Tables and more – all within a financial services context.

### **About Bankingorbust.com**

BankingorBust.com offers students and job seekers resources to prepare for careers in financial services. The site features an arsenal of free resources, including finance job postings, finance coursework, resume tips, sample interview questions and forums to promote group support and education.

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