

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: FIN-266 Managerial Finance

Department: Business

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
FIN-266	Managerial Finance	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Fall, Spring	56	ACCT-111 Accounting I; ECON-262 Principles of Macroeconomics; MATH-220 Statistics
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Business	Lower Division	English

Course Description

It is a fundamental course in finance with emphasis on financial analysis, valuation concepts, investment decisions, long term financing, and working capital management. Specific topics to be covered include (NPV) and its application to capital budgeting investment, portfolio theory and the CAPM, dividend policy, capital structure, and valuation of financial securities.

Instructor

Melita Stephanou Charitou

Course Aims and Objectives

The objective of this course is to provide students with a sound understanding and critical appreciation of the principles of financial management. The course describes both the theory and practice of financial decision making by corporations, and shows how financial theory can be used to address practical problems and illuminate institutional aspects of the financial world.

Teaching Methods

The course is structured around lectures, problem and case discussions, individual and group-prepared assignments. A real application of the concepts learned in the course will be applied to real foreign and Cypriot organizations.

Course Teaching Hours

56 hours. The course is delivered during the fall and Spring semesters in 14-weeks (4 hours/week).

Evaluation and Grading

Project: 10%
Mid-Term: 40%
Final Exam: 50%

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

Besley and Brigham, Essentials of Managerial Finance, 12th Edition, Dryden, 2000.

Recommended Reading

Financial Times and the Economist.