

BUS 232, Corporate Finance

3 credits, 4 hours lecture

Course Description

Corporate Finance investigates the corporation's perspective on financing and investment decisions. The financing decision, current asset management, and short-term financing are examined as components of working capital management. Capital budgeting decisions consider the time value of money, stock and bond valuations and returns, cost of capital and risk. Finally, capital markets, the underwriting process, debt and lease financing, stock financing, dividend policy, and derivatives are investigated as part of long-term financing.

Pre and Co-requisites

BUS 110 and BUS 131

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

Upon successful completion of the course, the student shall be able to:

CLO1 Examine and appraise capital structure.

CLO2 Execute and examine techniques for risk management.

CLO3 Execute and examine techniques for valuations of capital assets.

CLO4 Execute and examine techniques for working capital management.

CLO5 Apply capital budgeting techniques to evaluate investment opportunities.

CLO6 Critique the goals of financial management and assess the role of financial markets.

CLO7 Determine the opportunity cost of capital and explain its importance in capital budgeting.

Evaluation

| Assessment Type | Percentage |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Projects/Assignments | 35% |
| Midterm Exams | 40% |
| Final Exam | 20% |
| Total | 100% |

Course Completion Requirements

Minimum passing mark of 50% or D is required.

Grading Scale

| 4.0 Grade Scale | Alpha Grade | Percentage Grade |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------|
| 4.0 | A+ | 93-100 |
| 4.0 | A | 85-92.9 |
| 3.7 | A- | 80-84.9 |
| 3.3 | B+ | 77-79.9 |
| 3.0 | B | 74-76.9 |
| 2.7 | B- | 70-73.9 |
| 2.3 | C+ | 67-69.9 |
| 2.0 | C | 64-66.9 |
| 1.7 | C- | 60-63.9 |
| 1.3 | D+ | 55-59.9 |
| 1.0 | *D | 50-54.9 |
| 0.0 | F | 0-49.9 |

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