In Progress

Please note that this Unit Profile is still in progress. The content below is subject to change.



FINC19011 Business Finance Term 2 - 2024

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General Information

Overview

This unit covers the basic concepts, tools and techniques that financial managers use in the contemporary business context. You will learn about the principle functions of financial managers, the different business structures, and capital markets and financial securities. You will also examine the valuation of investments and portfolio, project evaluation, the cost of capital, market efficiency, risk management, basics of foreign exchange and international financial market, and dividend policy. Completion of the unit will raise your awareness on how businesses and corporate organisations decide on short and long term investment decisions, and the global and domestic economic and contextual factors which influence these decisions.

Details

Career Level: Undergraduate Unit Level: Level 2 Credit Points: 6 Student Contribution Band: 10 Fraction of Full-Time Student Load: 0.125

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites

ECON11026 or ECON11030 or STAT11048 or MGMT11169

Important note: Students enrolled in a subsequent unit who failed their pre-requisite unit, should drop the subsequent unit before the census date or within 10 working days of Fail grade notification. Students who do not drop the unit in this timeframe cannot later drop the unit without academic and financial liability. See details in the <u>Assessment Policy and</u> <u>Procedure (Higher Education Coursework)</u>.

Offerings For Term 2 - 2024

- Brisbane
- Melbourne
- Online
- Rockhampton
- Sydney

Attendance Requirements

All on-campus students are expected to attend scheduled classes – in some units, these classes are identified as a mandatory (pass/fail) component and attendance is compulsory. International students, on a student visa, must maintain a full time study load and meet both attendance and academic progress requirements in each study period (satisfactory attendance for International students is defined as maintaining at least an 80% attendance record).

Website

This unit has a website, within the Moodle system, which is available two weeks before the start of term. It is important that you visit your Moodle site throughout the term. Please visit Moodle for more information.

Class and Assessment Overview

Recommended Student Time Commitment

Each 6-credit Undergraduate unit at CQUniversity requires an overall time commitment of an average of 12.5 hours of study per week, making a total of 150 hours for the unit.

Class Timetable

Regional Campuses

Bundaberg, Cairns, Emerald, Gladstone, Mackay, Rockhampton, Townsville

Metropolitan Campuses

Adelaide, Brisbane, Melbourne, Perth, Sydney

Assessment Overview

Assessment Grading

This is a graded unit: your overall grade will be calculated from the marks or grades for each assessment task, based on the relative weightings shown in the table above. You must obtain an overall mark for the unit of at least 50%, or an overall grade of 'pass' in order to pass the unit. If any 'pass/fail' tasks are shown in the table above they must also be completed successfully ('pass' grade). You must also meet any minimum mark requirements specified for a particular assessment task, as detailed in the 'assessment task' section (note that in some instances, the minimum mark for a task may be greater than 50%). Consult the <u>University's Grades and Results Policy</u> for more details of interim results and final grades.

CQUniversity Policies

All University policies are available on the CQUniversity Policy site.

You may wish to view these policies:

- Grades and Results Policy
- Assessment Policy and Procedure (Higher Education Coursework)
- Review of Grade Procedure
- Student Academic Integrity Policy and Procedure
- Monitoring Academic Progress (MAP) Policy and Procedure Domestic Students
- Monitoring Academic Progress (MAP) Policy and Procedure International Students
- Student Refund and Credit Balance Policy and Procedure
- Student Feedback Compliments and Complaints Policy and Procedure
- Information and Communications Technology Acceptable Use Policy and Procedure

This list is not an exhaustive list of all University policies. The full list of University policies are available on the <u>CQUniversity Policy site</u>.

Previous Student Feedback

Feedback, Recommendations and Responses

Every unit is reviewed for enhancement each year. At the most recent review, the following staff and student feedback items were identified and recommendations were made.

Feedback from Self & Student

Feedback

Can add more examples with difficulties similar to final exam.

Recommendation

Explore addition of more examples in some weeks that students typically feel challenging.

Feedback from Self

Feedback

Can update some resources.

Recommendation

Continue the normal yearly update process to keep the content relevant.

Feedback from Self & Student

Feedback

Can improve exam question structures.

Recommendation

Some changes have already been undertaken, and more adjustments on the question structure are to continue with the unit returning to the invigilated standard test.

Unit Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this unit, you will be able to:

- 1. Identify and explain the critical problems corporate financial managers encounter and solve
- 2. Apply finance theories and synthesise related information for corporate valuations, capital structure analysis, financial decision making, and dividend policy formulation
- 3. Analyse and form investment decisions using sound capital budgeting techniques
- 4. Analyse risk and return for financial decision making
- 5. Explain the valuation of financial securities (bonds, shares etc.) and the role of efficient markets.

Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes

N/A Level Level

Introductory Intermediate Level

Graduate Level

Professional Advanced Level

Level

Alignment of Assessment Tasks to Learning Outcomes

Assessment Tasks	Learning Outcomes						
	1	2	3	4	5		
1 - Practical and Written Assessment - 30%	•			•	•		
2 - Online Quiz(zes) - 10%		•	•				
3 - Online Test - 60%	•	•	•	•	•		

Alignment of Graduate Attributes to Learning Outcomes

Graduate Attributes	Learning Outcomes						
	1	2	3	4	5		
1 - Communication	•	•	•	•	•		
2 - Problem Solving	•	•	•	•	•		
3 - Critical Thinking	•	•	•	•	•		
4 - Information Literacy							
5 - Team Work	•			•	•		
6 - Information Technology Competence	•	•	•	•	•		
7 - Cross Cultural Competence							
8 - Ethical practice							
9 - Social Innovation							
10 - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultures							

Textbooks and Resources

Information for Textbooks and Resources has not been released yet. This information will be available on Monday 17 June 2024

Information for Academic Integrity Statement has not been released yet. This unit profile has not yet been finalised.