

OMBA 6923 - Corporate Financial Management

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Course Description

6923. Corporate Financial Management . Participants will gain an understanding of financial analysis techniques are used when evaluating businesses, projects, budgets and other related decisions. Participants will develop a set of analytical tools for conducting historical analysis (analysis of the income statement, cash flow statement, balance sheet, interpretation of various financial ratios) as well tools associated with capital budgeting, capital structure and cost of acquiring capital. Prereq.: graduate standing, admission to the OMBA Program or permission from the MBA Program. 3 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
Required	Fundamentals of Corporate Finance with CONNECT.	Stephen Ross, Randolph Westerfield, Bradford Jordan.	

If you have any questions for Connect access, please contact McGraw-Hill Rep Haley Loebig at: haley.loebig@mheducation.com and copy me.

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Schedule of Topics and Assignments

Week of	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
8/24	Week one study plan	Business Finance Fundamentals	Topic: Business Finance Fundamentals Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.

8/31	Week two study plan	Financial Statement Analysis-Income and Balance Sheet Statements	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.
9/7	Week three study plan	Financial Statement Analysis-Cash Flow Statement	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.
9/14	Week four study plan	Cost of Capital	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.
9/21	Week five study plan	Capital Budgeting	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.

9/28	Week 6 study plan	Capital Structure	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.
10/5	Week seven study plan	Evaluating and Selecting Business Projects	Readings: Please read the corresponding chapter in McGraw-Hill ebook, PPT lecture, Video presentations, extra lecture videos if any, and LinkedIn learnings in the first half of the week to prepare yourself for all class activities of the week. Discussion: Post response(s) to the discussion prompt(s) no later than Wednesday of the week. Then follow-up on classmates' posts by the end of the week on Sunday. Assignment(s): two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Mini-case: two attempts. No make-up. Due by Sunday. Quiz: one attempt. No make-up. Due by Sunday.

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