

Finance

FIN 1000 Special Topics

Prerequisites: MATH 0203 or adequate math placement and ENGL 0203 or adequate placement score, or by meeting determined measures.

1-4 Credits This is a study of variety of topics in which the student will be exposed to such topics as preparing for a career in the financial services industry, assessing the job market, etc. The course may be repeated with a change of topic.

FIN 1013 Personal Finance

Prerequisites: MATH 0203 or adequate math placement and ENGL 0203 or adequate placement score, or by meeting determined measures.

3 Credits The student will solve problems involved in personal finance, including budgeting, borrowing, charge accounts, installment buying, insurance, savings, social security, home ownership, banking services, taxes, wills and estates. He or she will demonstrate mastery of these problems by applying the techniques involved to simulated personal finance problems.

FIN 2023 Introduction to Business Finance

Prerequisites: MATH 0313 or adequate math placement, ACCT 2113

3 Credits The student will study the basic concepts essential to the management of business finances and apply these concepts to problems involving financial planning, capital investments, budgeting, time value of money and financial decision making.

FIN 2033 Fundamentals of Investments

Prerequisites: MATH 0313 or adequate math placement and ENGL 0203 or adequate placement score, or by meeting determined placement measures.

3 Credits The student will examine the basic concepts of investing, methods for evaluating risk, and types of investments. The fundamental concepts will be applied to establishment of investment goals, portfolio creation and management, and determining the effects of government regulation. (This course is generally offered in the spring semester only.)

FIN 2500 Financial Services Internship

Prerequisites: MATH 0203 or adequate math placement, FIN 1013 or BF 1303, and by evaluation. Criteria for evaluation is in division office.

1-6 Credits The course will assist students in earning academic credit in a planned process that integrates academic preparation with supervised work experience. Students will work in an approved financial services environment with cooperating employers for a specified period of time, and will attend arranged lectures relating to a variety of financial services topics.