FIN 405 – Advanced Financial Management

Course Description

This course provides an extensive coverage of corporate finance theory and the applicability of this theory for the financial manager. Topics covered include capital budgeting under uncertainty; the relevance of capital structure decisions on security valuation and risk; mergers and acquisitions; option pricing; real options; measuring and managing a firm's risk exposures; risks and rewards of international financial markets. Cases are used.

Instructional Materials

Graham, J., Smart, S. B., & Megginson, W. L. (2010). *Corporate finance: Linking theory to what companies do: 2011 custom edition* (3rd ed.). Mason, OH: South-Western Cengage Learning.

Course Learning Outcomes

- 1. Describe the main components of the corporate finance theory.
- 2. Evaluate applications of financial management for the financial manager.
- 3. Formulate approaches to current asset management, capital budgeting, financial structure, dividend policy, long-term financing, and mergers.
- 4. Analyze approaches to current asset management, capital budgeting, financial structure, dividend policy, long-term financing, and mergers.
- 5. Describe the use of corporate planning models.
- 6. Use technology and information resources to research issues in financial management.