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MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Corporate Financial Management

Reference	BSM007	Version	9
Created	August 2021	SCQF Level	SCQF 11
Approved	July 2019	SCQF Points	15
Amended	August 2021	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

To provide students with both the theoretical underpinning and the analytical skills required to effectively evaluate corporate financial management decisions.

Learning Outcomes for Module

On completion of this module, students are expected to be able to:

- 1 Undertake a comprehensive risk profile of a company.
- 2 Estimate firm's weighted average cost of capital to evaluate its capital structure.
- 3 Understand the main drivers behind firm value.
- 4 Critically evaluate firm's capital investment decisions.
- 5 Critically assess the theoretical and practical aspects of firm's dividend policy.

Indicative Module Content

Firm's risk profiling; estimation of firm's weighted average cost of capital; optimal capital structure; firm value models; shareholder value analysis; firm's payout policy; the theory and practice of capital investments; corporate bonds; risk management; corporate restructuring; sustainable growth frameworks.

Module Delivery

This module is delivered through a mix of interactive teaching sessions including lectures, tutorials, case studies and group work.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	36	36
Non-Contact Hours	114	114
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	150	150
<i>Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body</i>		

ASSESSMENT PLAN

If a major/minor model is used and box is ticked, % weightings below are indicative only.

Component 1

Type:	Coursework	Weighting:	100%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Description:	Individual coursework involving critical evaluation and analysis of corporate financial management issues and decisions.				

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR**Explanatory Text**

Component 1 comprises 100% of the module grade. To pass the module, a D grade is required.

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
A	A
B	B
C	C
D	D
E	E
F	F
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module	None.
Corequisites for module	None.
Precluded Modules	None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

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