

## 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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- 4 DAMODARAN, A., 2011. *Applied corporate finance*. 3rd ed. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons.