



MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Finance for Fintech		
Module Code	UMADRH-15-M	Level	M
For implementation from	September 2019		
UWE Credit Rating	15	ECTS Credit Rating	7.5
Faculty	FBL	Field	Accounting and Finance
Department	Accounting, Economics and Finance		
Contributes towards	MSc Financial Technology		
Module type:	Standard		
Pre-requisites	None		
Excluded Combinations	None		
Co- requisites	None		
Module Entry requirements	n/a		

Part 2: Description
<p>This module will introduce you to the key concepts and issues in financial management, financial markets, institutions, and instruments to give you a foundation on the applications of finance. These three key areas will give you a solid foundation for you to understand the key products and developments in FinTech.</p> <p>You will cover the key financial decisions made by financial managers. You will then examine the key financial instruments, the concepts of risk and return, and portfolio theory.</p> <p>You will also study the functioning of modern banking systems, including financial intermediation, operation of payment systems, and the conduct and transmission channels of central bank monetary policy.</p> <p>Scheduled learning will comprise 36 contact hours including a blend of weekly lectures and tutorials. The lectures will typically introduce topics and comprise delivery of concepts and the tutorials will provide you with the opportunity to obtain feedback on technical aspects of your work, and to discuss and explore the practical application of the concepts. You will familiarise yourself with the key financial databases and applications such as Bloomberg Professional.</p>

Part 3: Assessment		
<p>The module learning outcomes will be assessed via two components.</p> <p>Component A (40%): Two-hour examination that will cover the topics covered in syllabus. Component B (60%): Portfolio of work built up over the course of the module.</p> <p>Portfolio in component B will consist activities such as case studies, presentations, short essays and completion of tasks by using financial databases such as Bloomberg Professional.</p> <p>Each form of assessment addresses the learning outcomes; the portfolio of activities develop and assess a range of learning outcomes but with particular emphasis on transferable skills and critical thinking skills, while the examination emphasizes, in particular, the cognitive and subject specific skills.</p>		
Identify final timetabled piece of assessment (component and element)	Component A	
% weighting between components A and B (Standard modules only)	A:	B:
	40%	60%
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Component A (controlled conditions) Description of each element	Element weighting (as % of component)	
1. Examination(2 hours)	100%	
Component B Description of each element	Element weighting (as % of component)	
1. Portfolio	100%	
Resit (further attendance at taught classes is not required)		
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1. Examination (2 hours)	100%	
Component B Description of each element	Element weighting (as % of component)	
1. Portfolio	100%	
Part 4: Learning Outcomes & KIS Data		
Learning Outcomes	<p>On successful completion of this module students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate the key decisions employed by a financial manager and apply key tools of corporate financial management and recommend solutions to business problems (A) • Examine the risk-return theoretical framework in the context of portfolio management and the operation of financial markets (A) • Critically evaluate the role of financial intermediaries in terms of theory and practice (A) • Analyse financial information and present the findings professionally for the intended audience (B) • Critically evaluate operations of financial markets and the banking system in the context of financial technologies (B) 	

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