

Module Details		
Module Title	Multinational Finance and Investment	
Module Code	AFE5013-B	
Academic Year	2024/5	
Credits	20	
School	School of Management	
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 5	

Contact Hours				
Туре	Hours			
Lectures	24			
Tutorials	12			
Directed Study	164			

Availability			
Occurrence	Location / Period		
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 2		

Module Aims

To introduce firms' investment and financing decisions in both national and international settings. To provide an understanding of the fundamentals of building investment portfolios. To equip with practical knowledge and understanding of the functioning of foreign exchange markets. To analyse both international and national investment strategies

Outline Syllabus

Diversification and risk reduction; Mean-variance analysis; Capital asset pricing model; Risk and risk aversion; Bond and Equity Valuation; International Financing; Active Portfolio Management; Evaluating Fund Performance, The foreign exchange markets and the international monetary system; determinants of foreign exchange rates: parity conditions, asset approach and balance of payments; forms of foreign currency exposure (economic, transaction and translation)

Learning Outcomes			
Outcome Number	Description		
01	Assess how investment and financing decisions are made by firms and investors in both national and international contexts.		
02	2a) Make quantified foreign and domestic currency financing and investment decisions. 2b) Recognise the practical limitations of applying theoretical concepts. 2c) Have an understanding of and how finance investment decisions impact on business.		
03	Appreciate that different strategies may be required in different business circumstances.		

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

Knowledge disseminated in lectures on the theory and practice of finance and investment decisions (LO 1, 2a, 2b, 2c, 3) this is then supported and reinforced by both online and face-to-face tutorials based on set work where oral feedback is given (LO 1, 2a, 2b, 2c, 3)

Students will be prepared for the exam through practical exercise and discussions during weekly tutorials. Sample exam questions will be reviewed with students during revision session at the end of term.

This module has a pre-requisite of AFE4004-B.

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Mode of Assessment					
Туре	Method	Description	Weighting		
Summative	Examination - Closed Book	Closed book In person exam 3 hours	100%		

Reading List	
To access the reading list for this module, please visit <u>https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html</u>	

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