Price 3361:020 Financial Management
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Text: Practical Financial Management by Lasher (8th edition)
Calculator: HP 10B-II
Course Technology: Blackboard

Course description: The course covers financial management and valuation of the firm; working capital policy; capital budgeting; cost of capital; and long-term financing.

Prerequisites: Accounting 2301

Learning Objectives: After completing this course, students will be able to:
Apply course material to improve critical thinking skills
Acquire specialized knowledge, such as time value of money, relating to corporate financial management
Develop financial skills, such as analytical thinking, critical analysis, creativity and problem solving
Identify ethical and unethical practices with regard to financial management
Acquire an understanding of the current globalization trend and its impact on corporate financial management

These learning goals will be assessed through assignments and exams.

Grading: There will be 4 exams, including the final exam. Each exam will count 20% of the final grade. The remaining 20% of the final grade will be the average of class assignments. These assignments may be completed using the textbook or notes and the problems on the exam will be similar to the assignments.

Exam Material is as follows:
Exam I Chapters 1-3 Exam III Chapters 10-12
Exam II Chapters 4-6 Final Exam Chapter 13-15

The exams will be a combination of multiple choice questions and problems. Some problems may be contained in multiple choice questions and others will be in the form of short answer where you will show your answer on the exam.
Submitting Assignments and Exams

All assignments and exams will be done on Blackboard. Students must be able to utilize Blackboard functionality. Deadlines are absolute and assignments and exams are due by the due date. If I do not have possession of your assignment or exam by the due date, then it is late and will not be accepted. This includes accidentally submitting the wrong assignment or an incomplete assignment and not realizing your error until after the due date. Also, "pages" files (which I think is the default word processor for Mac computers) are not acceptable. If you attach files, make sure I am able to open it in either a pdf or doc file. If you need technical support, contact the Technology Service Center at 325-942-2911 or email at helpdesk@angelo.edu or the Elearning Center (especially for Blackboard issues) at 325-486-6263.

The only exception to the late work policy is if you are physically incapacitated due to severe illness or injury (a certified medical statement must be shown) or the ASU technology system is down. Excuses such as weather, technology issues on your part, and work or family issues do not count. One way to avoid being late is to start on assignments prior to the due date.

The schedule at the bottom of the syllabus shows the due dates for assignments and dates of the exams.

Academic Honesty: Students are expected to maintain complete honesty and integrity in the classroom. Students are responsible for understanding and complying with the university Academic Honor Code and the ASU Student Handbook. Cheating will not be tolerated in this course and is a violation of the University’s academic policy. Any student found guilty of dishonesty in academic work is subject to disciplinary action.

Students with Disabilities: Reasonable accommodation for students with disabilities will be made. Students desiring academic accommodations must contact the Student Life Office and are encouraged to do so early in the semester.

Course Drop: Information concerning how to drop this course and important drop dates is available through the Registrar's office.

Grade Appeals and Incompletes: As stated in the ASU Operating Policy and Procedure, a student may appeal the final grade in a course. Details are available in Operating Policy 10.03. If a student is unable to complete a course due to illness or misfortune, an incomplete grade may be available. Details are available in Operating Policy 10.11.
College of Business Code of Ethics

Students, faculty, administrators and professional staff of the College of Business should always:

- Be forthright and truthful in dealings with all stakeholders
- Take responsibility for one’s actions and decisions
- Serve as an example of ethical decision-making and behavior to others
- Admit errors when they occur, without trying to conceal them
- Respect the basic dignity of others by treating them as one would wish to be treated

Title IX at Angelo State University:
The University prohibits discrimination based on sex, which includes pregnancy, sexual orientation, gender identity, and other types of Sexual Misconduct. Sexual Misconduct is a broad term encompassing all forms of gender-based harassment or discrimination including: sexual assault, sex-based discrimination, sexual exploitation, sexual harassment, public indecency, interpersonal violence (domestic violence and/or dating violence), and stalking. As a faculty member, I am a Responsible Employee meaning that I am obligated by law and ASU policy to report any allegations I am notified of to the Office of Title IX Compliance.

Students are encouraged to report any incidents of sexual misconduct directly to ASU’s Office of Title IX Compliance and the Title IX Coordinator at:

Michelle Miller, J.D.
Title IX Coordinator
Mayer Administration Building, Room 210
325-942-2022
michelle.miller@angelo.edu

You may also file a report online 24/7 at www.angelo.edu/incident-form.

If you are wishing to speak to someone about an incident in confidence you may contact the University Health Clinic at 325-942-2171, Counseling Services at 325-942-2371 or the ASU Crisis Helpline at 325-486-6345.

For more information about Title IX in general you may visit www.angelo.edu/title-ix.
Finance 3361 – Schedule – Spring, 2021

Week of Jan. 25-29  Chpts. 1-2
Week of Feb. 1-5  Chapter 2  Assignment #1 Due – Monday 2/1  Assignment #2 Due – Friday, 2/5
Week of Feb. 8-12  Chapter 3  Assignment #3 Due – Wed. 2/10
Week of Feb. 15-19  Chapter 3  Assignment #4 Due-Monday, 2/15
Week of Feb. 22-26  Assignment #5 Due-Friday 2/26
Week of March 1-5  Chapter 4  Assignment #6 Due-Wed.,3/3
Week of March 8-12  Chapter 6  Assignment #7 Due- Wed., 3/9
Week of March 15-19  Chapter 6  Assignment #8 Due – Wed, 3/17
Week of March 22-26  Exam I – Monday, 2/22
Week of March 29-April 2  Chapter 10  Assignment #9 Due-Monday, 3/29
Week of April 5-9  Chpts.10-11  Assignment #10 Due-Tuesday 4/6
Week of April 12-16  Chpts. 11-12  Assignment #11 Due – Monday 4/12
Week of April 19-23  Chapter 13  Assignment #12 Due – Wed., 4/21
Week of April 26-30  Chapter 13  Assignment #13 Due – Monday 4/26
Week of May 3-7  Chapter 14  Assignment #14 Due - Friday, 4/30
Week of May 10-14  Chapter 15  Assignment #15 Due – Wed., 5/5
Week of May 17-21  Final Exam – Monday, 5/10
Chapters 13-15