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Financial management 121 (FBS 121)

Faculty Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences

Module credits 10.00

Undergraduate

Programmes BCom Accounting Sciences

PrerequisitesOnly available to BCom (Accounting Sciences) students

Contact time 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition Separate classes for Afrikaans and English

Academic organisation Financial Management

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

Qualification

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Introduction to management accounting, critical reasoning skills and problem solving techniques for management accounting, cost concepts, simple linear regression analysis for the purpose of forecasting future sales volumes and costs, time series analysis for the purpose of forecasting future sales volumes, Indexing for the purposes of inflating and deflating a set of financial data, introduction to financial management, the functioning of the financial markets including interest rate and foreign exchange mechanisms, mathematics for business including time value of money calculations, and the critical reasoning skills and problem solving techniques in a financial management context. Where appropriate spread sheet applications (Excel) will be addressed as part of the respective topics being covered.

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