

COURSE SYLLABUS

General information

Course title:	Financial Markets and Institutions
ISVU course code:	225660
Course instructor:	Nikolina Smajla, Ph. D., professor
Course assistant:	-
Study programme and specialization in which the course is taught:	Bachelor study of Hospitality Management
ECTS credits:	5.0
Semester of the course execution:	V
Exam prerequisites:	-
Course objectives:	The aim of the course is to acquaint students with the functioning of modern financial systems, financial markets and financial institutions with an emphasis on the functioning of the financial system in the Republic of Croatia - the financial market and banking and non-banking financial institutions.

Course structure

Teaching mode	Number of contact hours per semester:	Student's requirements per teaching mode
Lectures:	30	attendence 80%
Exercises (auditory, linguistics):	30	attendence 80%
Exercises (laboratory, practical):		
Field work:		
Other:		
TOTAL:	60	

Monitoring of students' work and knowledge evaluation during the course

OUTCOM	ΞS	Preliminary written exam 1	Preliminary written exam 2	Practical work	Total	Pass	Time frame for the recognition of the outcome
Outcome 1	To define basic terms in the field of the financial system and financial markets and their functioning	20			20	10	Until the end of the academic year
Outcome 2	To explain the operations of individual non- bank financial institutions and alternative forms of financing	20			20	10	Until the end of the academic year
Outcome 3	To understand functions and objectives of banks' operations and their role in the financial system		20		20	10	Until the end of the academic year



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Outcome 4	To describe the types of bank loans and the loan process		20		20	10	Until the end of the academic year
Outcome 5	To research and present financing options through the financial system			20	20	10	Until the end of the academic year
Total % gr	ade points	40	40	20	100	50	
Share in E	ECTS	2	2	1			

Knowledge evaluation on exams

Exam pre	requisites					
OUTCOMI	OUTCOMES			Oral exam	Total	Pass
Outcome 1	To define basic term the financial system markets and their fu	and financial	20		20	10
Outcome 2	To explain the opera individual non-bank institutions and alte financing	financial	20		20	10
Outcome 3	To understand functions and objectives of banks' operations and their role in the financial system		20		20	10
Outcome 4			20		20	10
Outcome 5	To research and present financing options through the financial system			20	20	10
Total % of	Total % of grade points		80	20	100	50
Share in E	Share in ECTS		2	2	1	

Review of units per week with associated learning outcomes

Week	Lecture course content and learning	Outco	Exercises course content and	Outco me	
	outcomes:	me	learning outcomes:		
1.	Basic concepts of finance, division of finance. Financial system.	L01	Introductory exercises - students' obligations, preparation of practical work	L01	
2.	Financial instruments. Financial pyramid.	L01	Types of financial instruments. Analysis of the elements of the financial pyramid	L01	
3.	Direct and indirect financing	L01	Direct and indirect financing - examples	LO1, LO5	
4.	Financial institutions. Financial markets. Primary and secondary market. Stock exchange and money market. Brokers and dealers.	IndaryFinancial institutions in the world.I moneyFinancial institutions in Croatia.		L01, L05	
5.	Savings and deposit institutions. Housing savings banks. Investment funds	L02	Investment funds in Croatia	L02, L05	
6.	Insurance companies	L02	Insurance companies in Croatia	LO2, LO5	



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7.	Alternative forms of financing: business angels, venture capital funds, private equity funds	LO2	Alternative forms of financing - excercises	LO2, LO5
8.	Banks. Development of banks in history. Bank theory.	L03	Preliminary written exam 1	L01, L02
9.	Basic functions and objectives of bank operations. Principles of banking.	L03	Banks in Croatia	LO3, LO5
10.	Credit-deposit multiplication. Microcredit multiplicator. Macrocredit multiplicator.	L03	Credit-deposit multiplication.	L03
11.	Loan approval process. Types of banking business.	L04	Credit-deposit multiplication.	L03
12.	Business loans – short term.	L04	Types of short term business loans (examples).	LO3, LO5
13.	Business loans – long term.	L04	Types of long term business loans (examples).	LO3, LO5
14.	Loans to individuals.	L04	Types of loans to individuals.	L03
15.	Loans to individuals.	L04	Preliminary written exam 2	L03, L04

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References (compulsory / additional)

1. Saunders, A., Cornett, M., Erhemjamts, O.: Financial Markets and Institutions, 8th Edition, McGraw Hill, 2022