

Course Descriptions Bachelor 2015-2016

Course Title Financing Emerging Economies

Course Code EBC2157

ECTS Credits 6,5

Assessment Whole/Half Grades

Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
5	11-4-2016	3-6-2016	X/E			X/E	

Level Intermediate

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Language of instruction

Goals This primary goal of this course is to teach the students to recognize the underpinnings of well-functioning financial markets, and to understand how such markets can be created in rapidly evolving economies. After the course the students should also be familiar with the key financial topics of practical interest for companies active in emerging markets.

Description The overall theme of the course is to analyse how financial institutions and markets function or can be created within emerging economies. The course combines major areas of finance, such as corporate finance, investments and capital markets, all covered from the perspective of emerging markets. It also covers areas of particular interest to emerging economies, including microfinance, payment systems and pension systems in countries with limited social protection. China is used as an example of a country that has managed to create its own financial markets, which is contrasted by other emerging economies that so far lack well-developed financial institutions.

Literature to be added

Prerequisites Completed all first year courses in either the International Business bachelor or in the Economics and Business Economics bachelor.

Keywords

Teaching methods PBL / Presentation / Lecture / Assignment

Assessment methods Participation / Written Exam

Evaluation in previous academic year For the complete evaluation of this course please click <http://iwio-sbe.maastrichtuniversity.nl/rapporten.asp?referrer=codeUM>

This course belongs to the following programme / specialisation

Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation Emerging Markets	Year 2 Compulsory Courses
Bachelor International Business Specialisation Emerging Markets	Year 2 Compulsory Courses