

## Course Descriptions Master 2016-2017

Course Title Financial Markets (EFR)  
 Course Code EBC4077  
 ECTS Credits 6,5  
 Assessment Whole/Half Grades

Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
4	6-2-2017	7-4-2017		X		X	

Level Advanced  
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 Language of instruction English

Goals This course provides a more formal background to price fluctuations on financial markets, portfolio management and the notion of risk.

Description This course provides an introduction to research in Financial Economics. We discuss the most exiting research applications and insights that have emerged over the last decades. Topics range from financial markets, asset pricing, portfolio management and derivatives to corporate finance. In addition, a variety of faculty members of the Finance department will host sessions sharing their specific research expertise with you.

Literature

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- Dewatripont, Mathias and Jean Tirole (1995). The Prudential Regulation of Banks. Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA: MIT Press.
- Krszozner, Randall S. and Philip E. Strahan (2014). Regulation and Deregulation of the U.S. Banking Industry: Causes, Consequences, and Implications for the Future, Chapter in NBER book Economic Regulation and Its Reform: What Have We Learned?, Nancy L. Rose, editor (p. 485 - 543). Available at: <http://www.nber.org/chapters/c12571>.
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Prerequisites only for Research Master and Phd students

Teaching methods PBL / Presentation

Assessment methods 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

Master Business Research	Free Electives
Master Business Research Track OR	Free Electives
Master Economic and Financial Research	Compulsory Courses
SBE Non Degree Courses	Master Courses