

Course Descriptions Bachelor 2015-2016

Course Title Financial Economics

Course Code EBC2119

ECTS Credits 6,5

Assessment Whole/Half Grades

Period	Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
4		1-2-2016	1-4-2016		X			X

Level Advanced

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Language of instruction English

Goals understand the function of the financial system
understand development on financial markets.

Description Financial economics focuses on financial markets in an economy and in particular on understanding financial assets, yields and financial crises. In addition, banking and banking regulation will be discussed. In the course topics from macroeconomics, finance and financial econometrics pass in revue and this course prepares students for a master program in financial economics.

Literature Textbook and articles I

Prerequisites An intermediate level of economics is recommended. Coverage of intermediate macroeconomics, exchange rates and microeconomics. In addition, basic econometrics courses (time series analyses and stationarity problems) and basic finance courses are required. Exchange students, can only enroll if they follow a Bachelor in economics at their home university.
An advanced level of English

Teaching methods PBL / Presentation / Lecture / Assignment / Papers / Groupwork

Assessment methods Final Paper / Attendance / 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 Economics	Economics Electives
Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation Economics and Management of Information	Free Electives