**TEMPLATE**

**Course descriptor**

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| Title of the course | **Financial-Statement Analysis** |
| Title of the Academic Programme  | Management |
| Type of the course | Elective |
| Prerequisites | Financial accounting |
| ECTS workload | 4 |
| Total indicative study hours | Directed Study | Self-directed study  | Total |
| 72 | 80 | 152 |
| Course Overview | This course focuses on using a firm’s financial statements to perform different types of analysis of the firm. Examples include analyzing a firm’s prior performance, forecasting future earnings, and valuing a firm.  |
| Intended Learning Outcomes (ILO) | After completing this course, students should be able to use a firm’s financial statements:* to use a firm’s financial statements to analyze its prior performance,
* to forecast a firm’s future earnings, and
* to value the firm.
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| Indicative Course Content | 1. the financial statements
2. evaluating a firm’s accounting quality
3. DuPont analysis
4. earnings forecasts
5. valuation models
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| Teaching and Learning Methods | The course consists of lectures and tutorials. The tutorials involve solving problems. |
| Indicative Assessment Methods and Strategy | Students’ academic progress will be measured by a mid-term exam, a group project, and a final exam. Each task may not be taken after the deadline. The final deadline for each task is determined by the course instructor. The final exam will be a two-hour closed-book written exam. |
| Readings / Indicative Learning Resources | Mandatory Material made available electronically.Optional https://www.principlesofaccounting.com/ |
| Course Instructor | Jeff Downing |