FIN 1300 Personal Finance (3)
Evaluation and structure of a lifetime personal finance program are developed. Financial strategies, alternatives and problems for small investors are explored. Topics covered include Insurance, real estate, estate planning, portfolio investments. Course cannot be applied towards the finance major but may be used as a free elective.

FIN 3310 Management of Corporate Finance I (3)
Principles and procedures of finance and their applications to typical management decisions are developed. Financial analysis and planning with emphasis on the procurement and allocation of funds and the concept of the risk-return trade-off are examined.
Prerequisite: ACCT 2200, MATH 1044.

FIN 3311 Management of Corporate Finance II (3)
Theory and practices of Financial Management with emphasis on long-term management decisions are further developed and explored. Cost of Capital, Capital Budgeting analysis, Capital Structure, and Dividend policies in firm valuation under conditions of risk and uncertainty are examined. Other Financing including leases, and mergers and acquisitions are explored.
Prerequisite FIN 3310.

FIN 3320 Preparation and Analysis of Financial Statements (3)
A study of the techniques applied in preparing, analyzing and interpreting the financial statements of industrial and commercial business enterprises. Published statements of business concerns will be discussed and analyzed. Course is designed for both accounting and non-accounting majors.
Prerequisites: ACCT 2205 and Fin 3310.

FIN 3350 International Business Finance (3)
Examines the circumstances under which a business firm operates and finances its activities in a multinational environment. Management, finance and investment problems peculiar to foreign operations are examined. The political environment, foreign exchange risk, investment and incentives for foreign expansion are explored. The financial activities of the multinational corporation and the continuing evolution of this form of organization are further examined.
Prerequisite: Fin 3310, 3311.
Writing Emphasis Course

FIN 3380 Introduction to Derivatives (3)
An introductory course which provides a foundation in the basic principles on what options are, market structure, principles of price determination and risk/return characteristics of option contracts, futures contracts, swaps and other financial derivates. Their application as hedging instruments is also stressed.
Prerequisite: FIN 3311.

FIN 4300 Investment and Portfolio Management (3)
This course studies the basic principles of investments suitable for individuals and for business organizations. It covers in detail topics such as analysis and valuation of securities, issues of market efficiency and behavioral finance, derivatives, and the creation and management of security portfolios.
Prerequisite: FIN 3311, FIN 3380. MATH 2400.

FIN 4310 Financial Institutions and Markets (3)
The course examines the role of financial markets and institutions in the economy, and the effects of the Federal Reserve Bank’s monetary and regulatory policies. The course focuses on the working of various financial market sectors, financial institutions and the interaction between users and financial markets. Topics include interest rates and term structure, money and capital markets, financial innovations, asset and liability management, credit risk, international financial markets, currency markets and the management of currency risks.
Prerequisite: FIN 3310.
Writing Emphasis Course
FIN 4320 Capital Budgeting Management (3)
Theoretical and analytical skills applied to the study of capital budgeting are developed and explored. The interrelationship between financing and investment decisions are examined. A comprehensive examination of current techniques and tools required for the capital budgeting analysis are explored.
**Prerequisite:** Fin 3311.

FIN 4330 Working Capital Management (3)
Current techniques used to manage corporate cash, accounts receivable, and inventories are explored. The analytical tools and skills needed to manage corporate short-term investments and financing are developed and examined.
**Prerequisite:** Fin 3310.

FIN 4350 Principles and Practices of Asset Valuation (3)
This is an advanced course with the objective of studying different techniques for the valuation of any asset, specifically the valuation of stocks, businesses, franchises, and real assets. The course covers in detail the process of valuation using different techniques such as discounted cash flow valuation, relative valuation, and contingent claim valuation.
**Prerequisite:** MGS 2150, FIN 3380.

FIN 4500 Seminar in Selected Topics in Finance (3)
The course surveys areas in finance influenced by contemporary developments in the discipline that result from changes in the economy, financial markets, technology or methodological breakthroughs.
**Prerequisites:** Fin 3310, 3311.

FIN 4800-4806 Cooperative Education Finance (1-6)
Students will take one or two semesters of off-campus, on-the-job training in various aspects of finance and/or economics. Interrelationships between theory and practice will be emphasized. No more than six (6) credits in co-op education can be used within the major.
**Prerequisites:** Juniors and seniors majoring in finance, and subject to approval by faculty advisor.