



Corporate Finance Certificate Courses

ACTG 4610 Financial Accounting and Reporting (4 credit hours)

The purpose of this course is to provide students with an understanding of the financial statements issued by companies to external parties, such as shareholders and creditors. The course covers the fundamentals of accounting, from recording economic events in the accounting records to the preparation of the company's financial statements. In addition, the course examines major transaction categories, accounting policy choices of business firms and their financial statement implications, as well as the content of publicly-traded companies' Form 10-K annual reports.

FIN 4630: Managerial Finance (4 credit hours)

Analytical skills and tools of finances; theoretical concepts and practical applications. Topics include ratio analysis, breakeven analysis and leverage, securities valuation, capital budgeting, financial forecasting, and working capital management. Prerequisite: ACTG 4610, Co-requisite: FIN 4200

FIN 4410 Financial Planning and Analysis (4 credit hours)

This course integrates financial decision-making tools, techniques and theory in order to allow students to better understand and analyze corporate finance activities. The main objective of this course is that students can critically analyze corporate issues from a financial perspective so that they are able to provide financial analysis and financial planning inputs to support major corporate decisions. Students will acquire the financial analytical knowledge, skills and abilities required to deal with new problems that arise in the ever-changing business environment. Specific topics will include cost of capital and capital structure, financial planning, business valuation, as well as an introduction to corporate events such as mergers and acquisitions or IPOs. Co-requisite: FIN 4630