COURSE DETAIL

FINANCIAL MARKETS AND INSTITUTIONS
Country Italy
Host Institution University of Commerce Luigi Bocconi
Program(s) Bocconi University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Economics Business Administration
UCEAP Course Number 171
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FINANCIAL MARKETS AND INSTITUTIONS
UCEAP Transcript Title FINANCIAL MRKT&INST
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course provides students with a general understanding of the different functions performed by financial markets and institutions and their role in the economic system. The course begins with a brief overview of the functions of the financial system and its connections to the real economy. The course then studies the functioning of financial markets and the main financial instruments. Finally, the course studies the economics of different types of financial institutions. The first part of the course analyzes in detail the characteristics of the major financial assets, and describes the institutional characteristics of the markets in which these assets are traded. The second part of the course studies in detail the objectives as well as the organization of the major financial intermediaries (commercial banks, investment banks, mutual funds) that allow to match demand and supply of funds when securities markets do not function perfectly. The course recommends students have background knowledge in Mathematics (applied), Management, Accounting, and Financial Statement Analysis as a prerequisite.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
30006

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