# **COURSE DETAIL**

### **BEHAVIORAL FINANCE AND ASSET PRICING**

## **Country**

Germany

#### **Host Institution**

**Humboldt University Berlin** 

## Program(s)

**Humboldt University Berlin** 

### **UCEAP Course Level**

**Upper Division** 

## **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

**Economics Business Administration** 

### **UCEAP Course Number**

106

## **UCEAP Course Suffix**

#### **UCEAP Official Title**

BEHAVIORAL FINANCE AND ASSET PRICING

## **UCEAP Transcript Title**

**BEHAVIORAL FINANCE** 

## **UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.50

### **UCEAP Semester Units**

3.70

### **Course Description**

This course introduces the students to the behavioral finance view on asset pricing. The first part of the course takes a historical perspective on development of securities markets. The second part discusses the foundations of the efficient markets hypothesis which is the basis for the traditional "rational" view on asset pricing. The third and fourth parts focus on theoretical and empirical challenges facing the efficient markets hypothesis and consider the alternative "behavioral" interpretations of the pricing of securities. The specific topics include noise trading, investor sentiment, limits to arbitrage, overreaction and underreaction to news, excess volatility, return predictability, market boom and busts, institutional trends in market development.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

701138

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### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Wirtschaftswissenschaftliche Fakultät

#### **Course Last Reviewed**

2022-2023