

Module Specifications

Year/Level: 6
Programme: Economics and Finance

Module:	Money Banking and Finance	Module Code:	6FBS2138	Credits:	15
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module develops students' understanding of financial economics and the operation of financial systems. Students evaluate monetary policy, financial markets, portfolio theory, and the role of central banks, applying economic analysis to assess financial risk and the impact of policy decisions on the economy.					
Module:	Anatomy of Financial Crises	Module Code:	6FBS2139	Credits:	15
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module explores the causes and evolution of major financial crises in national and international contexts. Students critically evaluate theoretical perspectives, analyse historical case studies, and assess the effectiveness of economic policies in preventing and responding to financial crises.					
Module:	Industrial Organisation	Module Code:	6FBS2140	Credits:	15
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module develops students' understanding of industrial organisation and strategic firm behaviour in competitive markets. Students develop the ability to use the tools of modern microeconomic analysis taught in level 5 to evaluate pricing strategies, market power, product differentiation, and competition policy.					
Module:	Financial Aspects of International Business	Module Code:	6FBS2141	Credits:	15
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module explores the financial issues faced by international businesses. Students develop the knowledge and techniques needed to effectively manage international financial operations, including foreign exchange risks and international financing.					
Module:	Analysis of Current Issues in Finance	Module Code:	6FBS2142	Credits:	30
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module develops students' research, critical thinking, and analytical skills through the investigation of contemporary issues in finance. Students investigate emerging topics in financial markets, regulation, corporate governance, and financial performance.					
Module:	Dissertation – Economics and/or Finance	Module Code:	6FBS2143	Credits:	30
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module develops students' ability to plan, conduct, and communicate an independent research project. Under academic supervision, students investigate an issue relevant to Economics and/or Finance, apply appropriate research methods, and present well-supported conclusions that demonstrate critical analysis and academic rigour.					
Module:	Research Methods	Module Code:	6FBS2017	Credits:	0
Module Description:				Mandatory	
This module prepares students to undertake independent research by developing the knowledge and skills required to design, conduct, and communicate academic research. Students formulate research questions, undertake literature reviews, evaluate research methodologies, and apply appropriate academic and professional standards.					
Module:		Module Code:		Credits:	
Module Description:				Mandatory/Optional	