

BU6009

Introduction to Finance



Course Aim This course introduces the fundamental concepts and tools in business finance.

Short Title

Faculty Business

Polytechnic Level

Credits 15

Pre-requisites Nil

Co-requisites Nil

Anti-requisites BSB5009

Version 1

Effective From September-16

Indicative NQF Level 6

Student Contact hrs 60

Self-directed hrs 90

Other directed hrs 0

Total learning hrs 150

Learning

Outcomes

On successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate a detailed understanding of the main concepts of finance.
- 2 Use financial ratios to measure and evaluate a firm's liquidity, profitability, market value and asset utilization.
- 3 Apply time value of money concepts to the valuation of financial assets.
- 4 Use basic capital budgeting techniques to evaluate a project.
- 5 Demonstrate appropriate use of workplace skills and technology.

NQF Sub-strand

Theoretical
Understanding
Practical
Application of
knowledge
Practical
Application of
knowledge
Communication,
ICT, Numeracy
Generic, Problem
Solving and
Analytical Skills