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| 4000LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Introduction to Financial Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  The aim of the module is to provide students with a sound foundation in basic bookkeeping and accounting techniques. | *Learning activities:*  A combination of weekly workshops with individual student activities and private study. | *Assessment:*  In-class Test (25%) Closed Book Examination (75%) |
| 4001LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Business Mathematics & Statistics  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To introduce different data types and the approaches required for analysis.  2. To enable the student to appreciate the role of statistical and mathematical methods in a business environment.  3. To develop an awareness of the scope and limitations of quantitative analysis.  4. To enable the student to formulate and evaluate problems.  5. To facilitate basic forecasting and hypothesis testing for data sets.  6. To develop student skills in linear programming techniques.  7. To use computer packages for data analysis. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly workshops with individual/group activities and private study. | *Assessment:*  Diagnostic Test (20%) Closed Book Examination (80%) |
| 4003LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Academic & Professional Awareness  (20c) | *Aim:*  To prepare students for academic life at university and to engage the student in the preparation professional skills necessary for future employment. | *Learning activities:*  Workshops with individual and group activities built in. | *Assessment:*  Individual 1000 words (60%) Self-awareness statement (10%) Group Presentation (30%) |
| 5001LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Management Accounting for Decision Making  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To demonstrate the importance of costs and drivers of costs in the production, analysis and use of information for decision-making in organisations.  2. To provide competencies on how to analyse information on costs, volumes and prices to take short-term decisions on products and services and to develop an understanding of risk on these decisions.  3. To use budgeting as a means of short-term planning to execute the strategy of organisations. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly workshops with individual/group activities. Students will be expected to undertake private study as part of this module. | *Assessment:*  In-class Test (20%) Closed Book Examination (80%) |
| 5004LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Developing Employability  (20c) | *Aim:*  The aim of this module is to provide students with the practical skills necessary to secure undergraduate work experience placements/summer internships and/or graduate employment. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures will be used to give students exposure to a range of employer/careers advisors/professional bodies in the form of guest lecturers.  Workshops with a high level of personal development and practical activities. | *Assessment:*  Psychometric Test (20%) Recruitment Documents (80%) |
| 5005LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Law for Accountants  (20c) | *Aim:*  This module enables students, as potential Accountants, to understand and apply a knowledge of the English Legal System, the basic Law of tort (negligence), The Law of contract, and agency.  The module provides an understanding of the legal nature of the limited company and of its constitution; the basic rules for the protection of potential investors; the company law requirements concerning corporate reports and accounts; the duties of directors and auditors; the concept of majority rule and minority protection and the corporate insolvency regimes. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures and seminars. | *Assessment:*  Essay 1500 words (20%) Closed Book Exam (80%) |
| 6001LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Strategic Management Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  To develop more advanced/complex techniques underpinning management accounting and to provide students with current technical & theoretical areas within management accounting. | *Learning activities:*  Lecture and workshop. The workshop provides students with an opportunity to develop their knowledge and understanding of management accounting. | *Assessment:*  Individual 2000 words (20%) Closed Book Examination (80%) |
| 6002LBSAF  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Corporate Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  To provide an in-depth analysis of a firm's financing, distribution and risk management decisions. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly workshops involving individual student activities. | *Assessment:*  Closed Book Examination (100%) |
| 7001FIMMSC  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Quantitative Methods for Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  This module aims to equip students with the necessary foundations in mathematics and statistics to successfully study other modules of the MSc Financial Management by providing students with mathematical and statistical underpinning for the study of Financial Management. It will enable the use of appropriate software for mathematics of Financial Management and statistical analysis necessary for research and research analysis. | *Learning activities:*  The module will be delivered by a combined weekly one hour lecture and two hour workshop. The workshops will involve use of appropriate computer packages to undertake required calculations for specific exercises. | *Assessment:*  Report (40%) Closed book Examination (60%) |
| 7003FIMMSC  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Corporate Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  To provide an in-depth analysis of corporate financing, liquidity management, owner return, control and risk management decisions. | *Learning activities:*  Workshops | *Assessment:*  Individual Presentation (40%) Unseen, Closed Book Exam (60%) |
| 7007FIMMSC  Semester 1  *Accounting and finance* | Strategic Financial Management  (20c) | *Aim:*  To introduce students to the financial strategy process in a range of organisational contexts and assist them to acquire practical experience in dealing with strategic financial management issues. | *Learning activities:*  Workshops include: discussion of current strategic management issues, case study analysis, facilitated group discussions, problem solution, application of theory to real-life scenarios. | *Assessment:*  Individual Report (75%) Individual Presentation (25%) |
| 4002LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Introduction to Economics  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To provide students with an introduction to modern economic principles.  2. To develop students' understanding of micro and macro economics. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures and seminars. The weekly seminar follows up on lecture material and also focuses on the applied side of each topic. | *Assessment:*  Group Presentation (40%) Closed Book Examination (60%) |
| 4004LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Introduction to Financial Reporting & Corporate Governance  (20c) | *Aim:*  This module builds on the module Introduction to Financial Accounting. It develops students’ financial accounting knowledge and provides an introduction to the regulatory framework of accounting corporate governance and ethics. | *Learning activities:*  A combination of lectures, workshops (with student activities) and private study. | *Assessment:*  Group Presentation (25%) Closed Book Examination (75%) |
| 4005LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Management & Cost Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To explain the principles in designing management and cost accounting information systems.  2. To explain the principles involved in evaluating management and cost accounting information. | *Learning activities:*  Delivery of this module will be via twice weekly workshops. Students activities will be bedded in to the workshops.  Private study is also expected for this module. | *Assessment:*  Individual 500 words (25%) Closed Book Examamination (75%) |
| 5000LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Financial Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  To enable students to formulate and evaluate financial statements within the context of the prevalent regulatory framework and to demonstrate an awareness of the alternative methods of the preparation of financial statements. | *Learning activities:*  A combination of lectures, workshops and private study. | *Assessment:*  Closed Book Examination (80%) Pre-seen in-class test (20%) |
| 5002LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Financial Management  (20c) | *Aim:*  To provide an introduction to corporate, investment and international finance decision making. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly workshops with individual student activities. | *Assessment:*  Closed Book Examination (100%) |
| 5003LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Data Analysis for Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To equip students with the technical skills to be able to accurately perform data modelling using Microsoft Excel  2. To facilitate the development of analytical skills | *Learning activities:*  Workshops to facilitate the acquisition of Microsoft Excel.  On-line tutor support as part of a business simulation exercise. | *Assessment:*  In-class Test (25%) Indiviual 2000 words (75%) |
| 6000LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Advanced Financial Accounting  (20c) | *Aim:*  To enable students to prepare group financial statements within the context of the prevalent regulatory framework and to demonstrate an awareness of the significance of accounting theory in contemporary and practical contexts. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures and workshops. Workshops will include student activities to consolidate learning. | *Assessment:*  Closed Book Examination (100%) |
| 6004LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Taxation  (20c) | *Aim:*  To give students a sound understanding of the UK tax system. | *Learning activities:*  Each week a two hour lecture which will provide students with the key concepts of taxation, and an understanding of the legislation that taxpayers must adhere to.  Each week a two hour seminar in which students will consolidate knowledge by practice questions and discussion on the lecture topics. | *Assessment:*  Individual Report (20%) Closed Book Examination (80%) |
| 6005LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Auditing & Assurance  (20c) | *Aim:*  To develop knowledge and understanding of the audit process and its application in the context of the external regulatory framework and for business control purposes. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures with interactive seminars. Students are also expected to undertake private study as part of this module. | *Assessment:*  Individual 2000 words (20%) Closed Book Examination (80%) |
| 6006LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Personal Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  To provide students with a rigorous framework within which to make personal  financial decisions. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures and seminars. | *Assessment:*  Individual 2000 words (40%) Closed Book Examination (60%) |
| 6007LBSAF  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | International Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  1. To provide an international perspective to corporate finance.  2. To provide the student with an understanding of the nature and role of the exchange rate in finance and economics.  3. To increase awareness of market risk and the mechanisms available to mitigate this risk. | *Learning activities:*  The module delivery mainly is through a combination of the lectures and seminars, with the purpose of equipping students with a blend of theories and applications in the area of International Finance.  The module contents builds upon students’ existing knowledge foundations on Corporate Finance, and attempts to expand and advance all the basic aspects of corporate finance into the international level.  Each topic will require students’ active engagement in receiving lectures and practicing in various ways, such as case studies, group discussions, and solving numerical problems. A trader simulation game in FX market will also open to students. It offers an opportunity and healthy competitive environment for a ‘hands-on’ experience in the international finance world. | *Assessment:*  Individual 2000 words (40%) Closed Book Examination (60%) |
| 7002FIMMSC  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Financial Markets and Institutions  (20c) | *Aim:*  The aim of this module is to examine and understand why financial markets and institutions exist, and what services those institutions and markets offer. Through the critical analysis and evaluation of both institutions and markets students will be expected to provide suitable decisions and recommendations to limit failures within the industry. | *Learning activities:*  Lectures and seminars will be used to impart knowledge and develop understanding of key areas. Group discussions and activities will be used within seminar sessions. | *Assessment:*  Presentation (40%) Unseen;Closed Book Examination (60%) |
| 7004FIMMSC  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Globalisation of Finance  (20c) | *Aim:*  To understand the global financial system and the causes of global financial instability. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly lectures supported by weekly seminars, e-learning resources, readings and research tasks. | *Assessment:*  Individual Essay (50%) Individual Report (50%) |
| 7005FIMMSC  Semester 2  *Accounting and finance* | Portfolio Management  (20c) | *Aim:*  To develop students’ understanding of the theory, practice and empirical research in portfolio management and asset allocation at an advanced level. | *Learning activities:*  Weekly workshops with biweekly seminar combine theories with practices. E-learning discussions and environment and simulation competitions boost cooperation and participation. | *Assessment:*  Individual Essay (40%) Unseen, Closed Book Exam (60%) |