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BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Course Outline Part A

School of Business

Program: Transportation and Distribution

Option: Transportation and Distribution

FMGT 3550

International Aspects of Finance

Hours/Week:	4	Total Hours:	48	Term/Level:	3
Lecture:	2	Total Weeks:	12	Credits:	4
Lab:	2				
Other:					

Prerequisites

FMGT 3550 is a Prerequisite for:

Course No. Course Name
 2nd year Business, BCIT
 Transportation and Distribution Option

Course No. Course Name
 FMGT 4510 Finance II

Course Goals

The aim of this course is to familiarize the students with some of the key international aspects of Corporate Finance. The student will use textual material as well as *Business Periodicals* as source material.

Course Description

FMGT 3550 (Transportation and Distribution Option)

An introduction to Corporate Finance with special emphasis on the International Aspects of Finance.

Evaluation

Final Examination and	70%
Mid-Term Examination	
Assignments	30%
TOTAL	100%

Course Outcomes and Sub-Outcomes

The students will become familiar with:

1. The overall aims of Corporate Finance.
2. The fundamentals of Foreign Exchange.
3. The major means of International Trade Payments and Financing.
4. The basic techniques of controlling foreign Exchange Risk Exposure.

Course Record

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BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Course Outline Part B

School of Business

Program: Transportation and Distribution

Option: Transportation and Distribution

FMGT 3550

International Aspects of Finance

Effective Date

September, 1995

Instructor(s)

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Text(s) and Equipment

Required:

Basic Financial Management, Petty et al. Prentice Hall. Canadian Edition.

In addition, the student will be provided with handouts from time to time which will be used as textual material for this course in addition to Business Periodicals.

Course Notes (Policies and Procedures)

The student is required to subscribe to the "Globe & Mail" daily newspaper, as its content will be treated as textual material for this course.

Assignment Details

Assignments will be chosen from the following:

- An international trade financial settlement scenario.
- A foreign exchange risk management scenario.
- A case study of alternative sources of international trade finance.



Week of/ Number	Outcome/Material Covered
Week #1	The overall aim of Corporate Finance.
Week #2	The concept of Economic Value Added.
Week #3	International Business Finance. Exchange Rates and Arbitrage. Interest Parity Theory.
Week #4	Exposure to Exchange Risk. F.X. Risk Management Techniques.
Week #5	F.X. Risk Management Techniques (continued).
Week #6	Multinational Working Capital. Management International Financing and Capital Structure Decisions.
Week #7	MID-TERM Examination and Project Presentations.
Week #8	Methods of International Payment Settlements through the Banking System. Letters of Credit and Transport Documents used in International Trade.
Week #9	Incoterms, their purpose, their key characteristics.
Week #10	Short Term Finance for Exports.
Week #11	Medium and Long Term Finance for Exports.
Week #12	Review of Previously Covered Material.
Week #13	Examination of Previously Covered Material.