

MINOR INTERNATIONAL FINANCE AND CONTROL

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Catalogue Code	Course Name	30 ECTS
3000ADM_20	Accounting for Decision Making	5 ECTS
3000BHF_20	Behavioural Finance	5 ECTS
3000FRM_20	Financial Risk Management	5 ECTS
3000IFA_20	International Financial Accounting	5 ECTS
3000INA_20	Investment Analysis	5 ECTS
3000MAC_20	Management Control	5 ECTS

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Brief Description

The minor International Finance and Control offers you a strong and global foundation in the areas Accounting & Control and Finance & Investment. You are being equipped to make business decisions as a corporate executive (e.g. as controller or CFO), and to evaluate investments as a financial analyst in the international capital markets (e.g. at a hedge fund or investment bank). The minor has been designed to enable you (if desired) to choose a specialisation in either Accounting & Control or Finance & Investment during your exchange, internship, and/or thesis. The minor also offers you a solid basis for a master programme.

The minor provides an invaluable experience for the financial management specialist of the future, as it enables you to become a knowledgeable and critical practitioner. One of the main strengths of the minor is the application of theory into practical assignments that are directly derived from the professional work field. Moreover, the six modules within the minor have been carefully aligned to give you an integrated perspective on current developments in business and finance. With both students and lecturers from different countries, the minor offers you a truly international experience. Finally, where possible, the contents has been synchronized with professional charter programmes such as the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), and the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Institute.

Admission Requirements

It is recommendable that you have an affinity with finance and accounting, master the English language sufficiently, and possess the ambition to work and learn within an international context.

Admission advice:

- Command of the English language at CEF level B2.
- Foundation-level knowledge of the three main financial statements, financial ratio analysis, time value of money, and capital budgeting.

When in doubt, feel free to e-mail the contact person for this minor.

Learning Goals

Having followed the minor, you are able to:

- prepare and interpret financial statements compiled under different international accounting standards.
- apply risk management techniques (e.g. using financial derivatives) to deal with financial risks.
- evaluate business decisions within a management control environment.
- execute business decisions using enterprise resource planning (ERP) software.
- exploit investment opportunities in stocks, bonds, and other securities, by using contemporary finance theories and techniques.
- evaluate the social and behavioural aspects that affect international finance.



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