

# CORPORATE EDUCATION CENTRE (CEC)

## COURSE OUTLINE



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**PROGRAMME:** Heriot-Watt University MSc./MBA  
**DURATION:** 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm  
**DAY(S):** Tuesday  
**MODE:** Part-Time  
**COMPONENT:** Advanced Financial Decision Making  
**LECTURER:** Andre Albert  
**CAMPUS:** Home

**Contract Hours:** 30

**Actual Hours:** 30

Lecture Number	Lecture Day & Date		Time	Hrs	Cum Hrs	Lecture Topic (s)	No./Type of Session	Important Concepts/ Ideas to know	Expected Reading	Other Matters	Questions	Items Due For Next Class
1	Tues	10-Jan-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	2.5	Introduction and Financial Decision Making Core Principles	1 / Lt	This module sets the scene for the course. It also provides an overview of the key topics covered in the core Financial Decision Making (FDM) course.	Module 0 & 1. (10/48)	Welcome and General Introduction.	-	Read Module 2.
2	Tues	17-Jan-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	5.0	Financial Reporting	1 / Lt	In this chapter, we will revisit the analysis and interpretation of financial statements and introduce another financial statement - 'statement of changes in equity and other comprehensive income'.	Module 2. (83)	-	-	Read Module 3.
3	Tues	24-Jan-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	7.5	Management Accounting	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to equip you with a critical knowledge and understanding of key advanced management accounting tools and techniques.	Module 3. (70)	-	-	Read Module 4.
4	Tues	31-Jan-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	10.0	Planning and Performance Evaluation	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to make you familiar with the complexity of organisational planning and performance evaluation.	Module 4. (93)	-	-	Read Module 5
5	Tues	7-Feb-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	12.5	Working Capital Management	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to enable you to identify, analyse and critically assess an organisation's management of the key components and elements of working capital.	Module 5. (76)	-	-	Review Module 6.
6	Tues	14-Feb-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	15.0	Investment Appraisal	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to provide students with a critical knowledge of the capital budgeting process.	Module 6. (173)	-	-	Review Module 6.
7	Tues	21-Feb-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	17.5	Investment Appraisal	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to provide students with a critical knowledge of the capital budgeting process.	Module 6. (173)	-	-	Review Module 7.
8	Tues	28-Feb-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	20.0	Corporate Valuation	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to provide you with different frameworks for valuing companies and to critically evaluate these different techniques.	Module 7. (58)	-	-	Read Module 8.

9	Tues	7-Mar-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	22.5	Mergers & Acquisitions	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to equip you with a critical knowledge of the Mergers & Acquisitions process.	Module 8. (71)	-	-	Read Module 8.
10	Tues	14-Mar-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	25.0	Mergers & Acquisitions	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to equip you with a critical knowledge of the Mergers & Acquisitions process.	Module 8. (71)	-	-	Read Module 9.
11	Tues	21-Mar-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	27.5	Risk Management	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to provide students with an understanding of the basics of risk management.	Module 9. (95)	-	-	Read Module 10.
12	Tues	28-Mar-2023	5:30-8:00pm	2.5	30.0	Corporate Restructuring	1 / Lt	The aim of this module is to equip you with a critical knowledge and understanding of corporate failure, financial reconstruction and business re-organisation.	Module 10. (61)	-	-	-

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**Key / Legend**

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