

科目コード／科目名 (Course Code / Course Title)	抽選登録／Basics in Finance		
テーマ／サブタイトル等 (Theme / Subtitle)	Introduction to Financial Markets and Investment		
担当者名 (Instructor)	アブダーリ(ABU-DARI MAZEN M. M.)		
学期 (Semester)	秋学期(Fall Semester)	単位 (Credit)	2単位(2 Credits)
科目ナンバリング (Course Number)	GBU2301	言語 (Language)	英語 (English)
備考 (Notes)			

#### 授業の目標 (Course Objectives)

Finance studies money and its management. Like economics, it explores the allocation of resources, and this allocation occurs over time. Firms invest in inventory, plant, and equipment, but the returns are earned in the future. And since the future is uncertain and unknown, investors and portfolio managers, etc, may take action to manage risk, but the risk still exists and still a major component in the study of finance. Therefore, managers need to understand, at least, the basics of finance to help them make decisions.

#### 授業の内容 (Course Contents)

This course introduces the basics of financial institutions, financial tools, investments, and touches on some basics of corporate finance.

#### 授業計画 (Course Schedule)

1. Why Study Financial Markets and Institutions?
2. Overview of the Financial System
3. What Do Interest Rates Mean and What Is Their Role in Valuation?
4. Why Do Interest Rates Change?
5. How Do Risk and Term Structure Affect Interest Rates?
6. Why Do Financial Institutions Exist
7. Central Banks
8. Midterm Test
9. Conduct of Monetary Policy
10. The Money Market
11. The Bond Market
12. The Stock Market
13. The Foreign Exchange Market
14. Final Test

#### 授業時間外(予習・復習等)の学習 (Study Required Outside of Class)

Instructions to be given during the class.

#### 成績評価方法・基準 (Evaluation)

Quizzes(30%)/Midterm Test(35%)/最終テスト(Final Test)(35%)

Full attendance is required. Attendance will be required to acquire the course credits in general.

#### テキスト (Textbooks)

1. Frederic Mishkin & Stanley Eakins. 2017. *Financial Markets and Institutions* 9e. Pearson

#### 参考文献 (Readings)

#### その他(HP等) (Others(e.g.HP))

#### 注意事項 (Notice)