FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING
COURSE SYLLABUS AND GUIDELINES

Course: Financial Accounting
EBGN 305
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12:00 am to 12:50 am

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10:50 to 11:50
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Required Text: Harrison, Horngren and Thomas, Financial Accounting, 9th edition

The following syllabus is a guideline and is subject to change at any time, therefore it is recommended you attend all classes so you may be apprised of any modifications.

Grading:

Exams (100 points each) 400
Homework & Quizzes 50*
Financial Analysis Paper 75
Pro Forma Project 75
Total 600

*The homework and quizzes will be weighted to 50 points at the end of the semester.

Grading Policy:

540 to 600 points A
480 to 539 points B
420 to 479 points C
360 to 419 points D
359 points and below F
HOMEWORK AND POP QUIZZES: Homework will be assigned and put on blackboard and will be collected randomly. Pop quizzes may also be given randomly and the grades for those will be included with your homework points. The homework will be regularly updated on blackboard.

EXAMS: Exams cover material previously gone over in class and will be given according to the syllabus. There will be NO make-up exams except in the case of emergencies or school approved activities. I must be notified in advance if at all possible and will make the determination as to whether or not a make-up test will be allowed.

ANNUAL REPORT PROJECT: There will be a paper assigned on financial analysis and will include topics covered throughout the entire semester. The assignment for the project will be handed out during the 3rd or 4th week of class. This paper will be a team project and will be due according to the syllabus on blackboard.

PRO FORMA PROJECT: There will be a proforma project assigned during the second half of the semester which will also be due according to the syllabus on blackboard. You will use excel to do this project.

EXTRA CREDIT: THERE WILL BE NO EXTRA CREDIT WORK THAT CAN BE DONE TO IMPROVE YOUR GRADE. If is unfair for extra credit to be given for some and not allowed for all. Please do not ask for extra points at the end of the semester.

COMMUNICATION: Blackboard will be the primary way of communication with this class, so please check it regularly to be advised of any changes to the syllabus or updates for the class.

CHEATING: Any cheating will result in an automatic “F” for this class, and you will be disciplined in accordance with the University guidelines.