
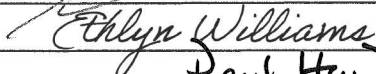

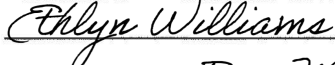

 FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	NEW/CHANGE PROGRAM REQUEST Undergraduate Programs		UUPC Approval <u>10/10/22</u> UFS Approval _____ Banner _____ Catalog _____
	Department ^{Finance} College _{Business}		
Program Name Finance major	<input type="checkbox"/> New Program* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Program*	Effective Date (TERM & YEAR) Spring 2023	
<p>Please explain the requested change(s) and offer rationale below or on an attachment.</p> <p>External reviewers suggested that we increase the flexibility of the finance program. Following their suggestion, we propose to reduce the required finance core courses from five to four, and expand the choices of electives correspondingly.</p> <p>Specifically, we move "FIN4604 International Finance" from the required finance core courses to finance electives, and we also add four other courses to the list of finance electives.</p> <p>The electives are to be selected to align with various career paths of interest, for example, in investment management, business finance, investment banking, commercial banking, Fintech, real estate, or risk management & insurance.</p> <p>See attachment.</p>			
<p><small>*All new programs and changes to existing programs must be accompanied by a catalog entry showing the new or proposed changes.</small></p>			
Faculty Contact/Email/Phone Doug Cumming/cummingd@fau.edu/-73995		Consult and list departments that may be affected by the change(s) and attach documentation	
Approved by Department Chair <u></u> College Curriculum Chair <u></u> College Dean <u></u> UUPC Chair <u></u> Undergraduate Studies Dean <u></u> UFS President _____ Provost _____		Date <u>Sept 8, 2022</u> <u>9/21/22</u> September 26, 2022 <u>10/10/22</u> <u>10/10/22</u> _____ _____	

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CATALOG CHANGE: FINANCE MAJOR

EXPLANATION

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The current and the proposed catalog listings are enclosed below. In the proposed listing, the courses to be added to the list of finance electives are highlighted in red.

CURRENT CATALOG LISTING

Finance Major Courses (Minimum Grade “C”)	
Course or Requirement Title	Prefix and Number
Advanced Managerial Finance	FIN4424
International Finance	FIN4604
Financial Institutions	FIN4303
Investment Analysis	FIN4504
Cases in Financial Management	FIN4422
Choose ONE Finance major electives:	
Corporate Risk Management	RMI4353
Financial Management of Institutions	FIN4313
Financial Derivatives	FIN4533
Real Estate Finance	REE4204
Real Estate Investment	REE4303
Special Topics (subject matter varies)	FIN4934
Upper Division Business Elective (UDBE): Minimum One Course Required	
Requirement	Suggested Option: Internship
All business core majors must complete 51 credits (17 courses) of upper division business coursework. FIN requires 16 courses in the core and the major; the 17 th course is an elective chosen by the student.	Students interested in an internship as their Business Elective may schedule an appointment with the College of Business Career Development and Internship Coordinator.
Choose ONE 3000 or 4000 level business course not already taken in the core or major.	

PROPOSED CATALOG LISTING

Finance Major Courses (Minimum Grade “C”)	
Course or Requirement Title	Prefix and Number
Advanced Managerial Finance	FIN4424
Financial Institutions	FIN4303
Investment Analysis	FIN4504
Cases in Financial Management	FIN4422
Choose TWO Finance major electives. The electives are to be selected to align with career paths of interest, for example, in investment management, business finance, investment banking, commercial banking, Fintech, real estate, or risk management & insurance.	
International Finance	FIN4604
Financial Derivatives	FIN4533
Financial Management of Institutions	FIN4313
Crowdfunding	FIN4162
Student Managed Investment Fund	FIN4560
Global Capital Markets	FIN4663
Real Estate Finance	REE4204
Real Estate Investment	REE4303
Insurance and Financial Planning	RMI4116
Corporate Risk Management	RMI4353
Special Topics (such as Private Equity)	FIN4934
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