



COURSE: INTERNATIONAL FINANCE		
DEGREE: INTERNATIONAL STUDIES and POLITICAL SCIENCES	YEAR: 4	TERM: 1

WEEKLY PLANNING								
WEEK	SESSION	DESCRIPTION	GROUPS (mark X)		Special room for session (computer classroom, audio-visual classroom...)	WEEKLY PROGRAMMING FOR STUDENT		
			LECTURES	SEMINARS		DESCRIPTION	CLASS HOURS	HOMEWORK HOURS (Max. 7h week)
1	1	Globalization and the Multinational Corporation	X			Read chapter 1, text book	1,5	6
1	2	Globalization and the Multinational Corporation		X		Competitive advantage cases	1,5	
2	3	Ownership and Corporate Governance	X			Read chapter 2, text book	1,5	6
2	4	Ownership and Corporate Governance		X		Case discussion	1,5	
3	5	The International Monetary System	X			Read chapter 3, text book	1,5	6
3	6	The International Monetary System		X		Case discussion	1,5	
4	7	The Balance of Payments	X			Read chapter 4, text book	1,5	6
4	8	The Balance of Payments		X		Case discussion	1,5	
5	9	.The Financial Crisis	X			Read chapter 5, text book	1,5	6
5	10	The Financial Crisis		X		Case discussion	1,5	
6	11	The Foreign Exchange Markets: Spot and Forward	X			Read Chapter 6, text book	1,5	6
6	12	The Foreign Exchange Markets: Spot and Forward		X		"Forex" Simulator	1,5	
7	13	Relationship between Spot and Forward markets	X			Read Chapter 6, text book	1,5	6
7	14	Relationship between Spot and Forward markets		X		Case discussion	1,5	

8	15	International Parity Conditions	x			Read chapter 7, text book	1,5	6
8	16	International Parity Conditions		x		The Economist, PPP "Big Mac" standard	1,5	
9	17	Forecasting. The determination of exchange rates	x			Read chapter 9, text book	1,5	6
9	18	Mid-term exam		x		Mid-term exam	1,5	
10	19	Currency Derivatives: Futures and Options Markets	x			Read chapter 8, text book	1,5	6
10	20	Currency Derivatives: Futures and Options Markets		x		Case discussion	1,5	
11	21	Hedging Currency Risk with Derivatives	x			Read chapter 8, text book	1,5	6
11	22	Hedging Currency Risk with Derivatives		x		Class Presentations	1,5	
12	23	Foreign Exchange Exposure	x			Read chapters 10,11 y 12, text book	1,5	6
12	24	Translation, Transaction and Operating exposure		x		Class Presentations	1,5	
13	25	International Portfolio Theory	x			Read Chapter 16, text book	1,5	6
13	26	International Portfolio Theory		x		Class Presentations	1,5	
14	27	Foreign Direct Investment and Valuation	x			Read chapter 17, text book	1,5	6
14	28	Multinational Investment and Acquisitions		x		Class Presentations	1,5	
15	29	International Trade Finance and Political Risk	x			Read chapter 18, text book	1,5	6
15	30	International Trade Finance and Political Risk		x		Course review	1,5	
Subtotal 1							45	90
Total 1 (Hours of class plus student homework hours between weeks 1-15)							135	
		Tutorials, homework, handing-in, etc		x			15	
		Assessment and evaluation					15	15
Subtotal 2							30	30
Total 2 (Hours of class plus student homework hours between weeks 1-15)								
TOTAL (Total 1 + Total 2)							75/120	