

COURSE OVERVIEW

FOUNDATIONS OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Here is a quick overview of your course plus useful information about navigating the online platform.

Your semester starts once you have completed your onboarding.



***Tomorrow belongs to people
who prepare for it today.*** - AFRICAN PROVERB



PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

Learn the foundational knowledge of financial management, and explore pertinent topics such as the preparation and analysis of financial statements, working capital management, budgeting, risk and return considerations, and time value of money.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

Your course contains 8 substantive modules/units. See an overview below:

- Discuss the various financial accounting and financial management concepts and principles.
- Record basic accounting transactions and prepare financial statements for a sole trader.
- Analyse financial statements and interpret financial results.
- Outline the importance of working capital management.
- Discuss financial planning and budgeting, and prepare a cash budget.
- Calculate present and future value of single amounts, uneven cash flows & annuities using compound interest rates.
- Explain the concept of risk and return and its impact on financial decision making.
- Calculate the expected and actual rate of return of an investment.

ASSESSMENT INFO

You must submit and pass formative assessments that are compulsory for each unit, and then also one summative assessment at the end of your course. All assessments are completed online via a digital quiz on the student portal.

- 4 months
- ± 8h study time per week
- Fully online | Mobile friendly
- Earn an industry-ready certificate

HOW TO STUDY ONLINE

You will study entirely online, using our iQ Virtual Campus as follows:

- Log into your profile.
- Complete the Onboarding (including New Rules).

Your course starts once you have completed your Student Onboarding on the Virtual Campus, where you will gain access to the Programme rules and your Programme Guide.

Content for each module will be made available based on a structured learning path to guide you through the learning process over a fixed period. For your convenience, the study guide units for each module are available separately in the respective unit sections on the learning platform (in digital format).

You can download this for offline use.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

We understand that studying online can sometimes be isolating and challenging, so we have worked hard to ensure your course is interactive and you are supported to ensure academic success. If you need to contact your course coordinator or require admin or account related support, complete a form for assistance, [click here](#).

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- | 19 YEARS OF INNOVATIVE LEARNING
- | OVER 50,000 SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS
- | ENDORSED BY SAIOSH AND OPSA
- | REGISTERED AND ACCREDITED WITH SAQA AND DHET
- | CURRICULA DEVELOPED BY LEADING ACADEMICS AND INDUSTRY EXPERTS
- | QUALITY ASSURED QUALIFICATIONS

