

Financial Institutions and Markets

In this course, students will be introduced to different types of financial institutions, instruments, and markets and they will learn to understand the difference between the principle actors in these markets, as well as the specifics of the regulatory framework in which they function. This way, students are prepared for careers in financial institutions, as well as to maintain relationships with financial institutions and markets they will come into contact with as representatives of the corporate sector. Different financial instruments will be covered – from the most simple (stocks and bonds), to the more complex (derivatives). Financial institutions covered in this course include financial intermediaries in the banking and non-banking sectors, while financial markets covered include the money, foreign exchange, and capital markets.