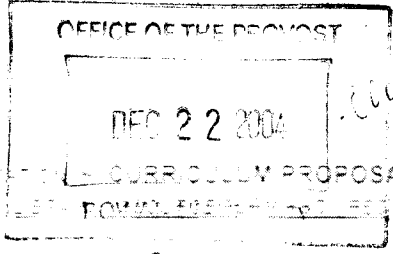


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PROCESS A NON-GEN-ED COURSE CURRICULUM PROPOSAL

SOO #04-05

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Support 2004 to be implemented by 2005 or later; 2008 to be implemented Spring 2008

Elimination of

PROPOSAL TITLE: 1. FINANCIAL MARKETS (0504-420)

Secretary: Ihsan Isik, PhD

DEPARTMENT: Accounting & Finance

COLLEGE: Business

Liberal Arts & Sciences [ ] History Humanities [ ] Math Sciences [ ] Social Behavioral Sciences [ ]

[x] UNDERGRADUATE [ ] GRADUATE

THE ATTACHED NON-GEN-ED PROPOSAL IS BEST DESCRIBED BY THE ITEM(S) CHECKED

- New non-gen-ed course
- Existing non-gen-ed course
- Minor curricular changes (fewer than three)
- Existing non-gen-ed course
- Non-gen-ed degree requirements
- Major
- Minor, specialization, concentration, track, certificate program

THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURES REPRESENT APPROVAL

Department Chair: [Signature] Date: 10-5-04  
 Department Curriculum Chair: Alexandra M. Wideman Date: 10-5-04  
 Academic Dean: Edward J. Shoen Date: 10-5-04

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

OPEN HEARING Date: 11/29/04 Approved:  Not Approved:   
 COLLEGE CURRICULUM CHAIR: Mammal Pante  
 Robert D. [Signature] Date: 12/20/04

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT/PROVOST Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/21/04

Approved:  Not Approved:

REGISTRAR

Signature: [Signature]

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**Rowan University College of Business**

**Department of Accounting & Finance**

**PROPOSAL: Minor Curricular Change to Finance Specialization**  
(Add Finance Elective of Three Credits)

**1. Details**

**a. Changes in Requirements for Finance Specialization**

- Replacement of two finance specialization courses [Financial Markets (0504-420) and Financial Intermediaries (0504-432)] with a new course [Financial Institutions and Markets (0504-4xx)]
- Increasing the number of finance electives from 6 to 9 credits to compensate for the 3 credit loss from the elimination of net one specialization course

From:

Accounting and Finance Requirements		
Intermediate Accounting I	3	
Concepts in Taxation	3	
<b>Financial Markets (0504-420)</b>	<b>3</b>	
Financial Management I	3	
Financial Management II	3	
Investment/Portfolio Analysis	3	
<b>Financial Intermediaries (0504-432)</b>	<b>3</b>	
International Financial Management	3	
<b>Finance Electives</b>	<b>6</b>	
Business Elective	3	<u>33</u>

To:

Accounting and Finance Requirements		
Intermediate Accounting I	3	
Concepts in Taxation	3	
<b>Financial Institutions and Markets (0504.4xx)</b>	<b>3</b>	
Financial Management I	3	
Financial Management II	3	
Investment/Portfolio Analysis	3	
International Financial Management	3	
<b>Finance Electives</b>	<b>9</b>	
Business Elective	3	<u>33</u>

- b. **Sponsor:** Ihsan Isik, Ph.D., Department of Accounting and Finance
- c. **Implementation:** Starting Fall Semester, 2005

## 2. Rationale

### a. Statement of “Need” for Such a Change:

- The change is needed to give finance students a chance to pursue their interest in a specific subfield of finance by providing more flexibility and exposure in their undergraduate experience.

### b. Statement of Curricular Effect

- Currently, finance students have to take two finance electives out of four options: 1) Supervised Internship in Finance, 2) Risk Management, 3) Seminar in Finance and 4) Intermediate Accounting II. After the above proposals, the number of required finance electives in the Finance Specialization area will increase from 2 (6 credits total) to 3 (9 credits total) using the same list of electives given above. Thus, there is no impact on the business core. The changes are illustrated on the attachment.

### c. Results of Consultation

No consultation needed as

- No other Departments have similar course content
- No other Departments might be affected by this proposal

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CURRICULUM PROPOSAL  
LIBRARY RESOURCE FORM

The purpose of this form is to provide a channel of communication between the library and faculty changing and designing new courses/programs. The information will be used to assess the resources available in the library, and to identify resources the library should acquire to support the course/program. The information will also provide rationale for institutional support for library acquisitions.

This form should be completed in a coordinated effort between the course sponsor(s) and the academic department liaison librarian. THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ALL CURRICULUM PROPOSALS.

- The sponsor(s) complete parts A & B. If assistance is required to complete parts A & B, please notify the liaison librarian.
- Forward this form to the librarian who will complete parts C, D & E.

**This form must be completed and attached to the original curriculum proposal before being approved by the Senate Curriculum Committee**

A. College Business Department Accounting & Finance  
 Proposed by Ishan T. Sik Date 11/30/04  
 Course Title Minor Curricular Change to Finance Specialization  
 Anticipated Date for Course/Program Offering: \_\_\_\_\_

B. List specific resources that should be acquired to support this course.

C. Describe the resources available in the library to support this course/program, including reference, monographic, electronic databases, audio-visual materials, etc. A summary statement is sufficient.

D. List key periodicals available in the library to support this course/program.

E. Librarian comments and recommendations Elimination of a course; require no review of library resources

Name: LIBRARIAN LIAISON Connie Rosenberger Librarian Signature Connie Rosenberger