**Finance (FIN)**

**FIN 500 - INVESTMENT PRACTICUM**  
Semester Hours: 4

Small number of students work closely with finance faculty in the UAH Capital Management group (CMG) to manage actual investment portfolios. Emphasis is placed on individual stock selection and management of the portfolio to meet objectives. Prerequisite: FIN 560 and permission of instructor.

**FIN 531 - ADVANCED CORPORATE FINANCE**  
Semester Hours: 3

Advanced corporate finance theories and their applications. Topics include long- and short-term financial planning, project valuation, capital structure policy, dividend policy, mergers and acquisitions, and risk management.

**FIN 554 - INTERNATIONAL FINANCE**  
Semester Hours: 3

An introduction to international finance for tomorrow's global business leaders, with a focus on the financial management dimensions of leading a multinational enterprise.

**FIN 560 - INVESTMENTS**  
Semester Hours: 3

A study of standard investment securities, as well as an overall view of the investment decision process. Securities covered include equities, fixed income, options, futures, and mutual funds. Associated topics include financial markets, valuation models, and fundamental portfolio theory.

**FIN 561 - PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT**  
Semester Hours: 3

A continuation of FIN 560 with an emphasis on the application of investment portfolio management. An understanding of the functional areas of portfolio management is stressed, including investment policy, investment strategy, portfolio construction, performance evaluation, and portfolio protection. Prerequisite: FIN 560.

**FIN 595 - INTERNSHIP IN FINANCE**  
Semester Hours: 1-3

With the supervision of a faculty advisor, the student serves as an intern in a position that enhances their disciplines educational goals. Subject to college's guidelines on internships.

**FIN 601 - FINANCIAL DECISIONS UNDER UNCERTAINTY**  
Semester Hours: 3

Designed to introduce concepts and tools for financial decision-making in uncertain environments. Topics include financial statement analysis, time value of money, capital budgeting, cost of capital, and risk and return. Prerequisites: ACC 600 and ECN 600.

**FIN 620 - SEMINAR IN BEHAVIORAL FINANCE**  
Semester Hours: 3

A study of the issues and anomalies related to the psychology of financial decision-making and the psychology of financial markets. The course content will consist of readings from the behavioral finance literature with an emphasis on student discussion.

**FIN 650 - SELECTED RESEARCH TOPICS**  
Semester Hours: 3

Research in a particular topic in finance relevant to administrative science by one student or group of students. The research paper must be an original contribution showing a research design and results that meet the highest standards of social science research.