

Bachelor (PÖ4d)	Optional Module
Diploma:	Market Institutions, Strategic Thinking
Title:	Theory of Financial Markets
Lecturer:	Prof. Dr. Jürgen Eichberger
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Language of Instruction:	German
Lecture / Tutorial Hours per Week:	3 + 1
Day / Time / Room:	L/T: Mon 10:30-12:00, CB 00.010, L/T: Thu 10:30-12:00, CB 00.010
Start:	Monday, April 16, 2012

Objective:

Based on an introduction to the theory of financial markets, this course covers the basic theories and introduces the related literature. The tutorials complement the lectures using practical examples. A written exam takes place at the end of the term and (as an alternative) at the beginning of the winter term.

Content:

1. Introduction: Decision under uncertainty
2. The role of securities markets
3. Financial market systems
4. Analysis of cash flows
5. Companies and securities markets

Reading List:

Eichberger, J., I. Harper (1997) *Financial Economics*, Oxford University Press.

Brealey, R.A., S.C. Myers (2002) *Principles of Corporate Finance*, 7th, New York: McGraw Hill.

Richard A. Brealey, Stewart C. Myers, Franklin Allen, [Principles of Corporate Finance](#), 9th ed., Januar 2008, McGraw-Hill Higher Education