

Sustainability and Innovation of Money and Banking – a Nordic Perspective

Hanken School of Economics – ECTS 3

Examiners

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Course description

The global financial crisis of 2008 marked the beginning of an intense discussion on the consequences of financial system on the organization of our societies. The crisis highlighted the need for sustainable finance and high-quality corporate governance practices. This course focuses on how the corporate world are developing sustainable finance and governance practices from the top-down to promote financial innovation that is able to stand up to our sustainability challenges. During the course we co-operate with local companies so that students can get an idea of the Nordic business practices related to the topics of the course.

Course category

In class (Online if needed due to the global situation)

Learning Goal

You are aware of the corporate governance practices in general and have a in depth knowledge of the corporate governance practices in the banking industry. You are familiar with the role of sustainability in the banking industry.

After completing the course, you will be able to

- recognize relevant research topics within the area of sustainable finance and banking governance.
- present arguments of strengths and weaknesses for sustainable finance strategies and corporate governance practices.
- identify future challenges and main issues related to sustainable finance strategies and corporate governance practices.

Total student workload

80 hours divided into
Scheduled contact hours: 40 hours
Non-scheduled hours: 40 hours

Participation right

The course is open to international students from Hanken's partner universities.

Pre-requisites

Students need to have completed one year of studies in Business Administration.

Instructions

Mandatory attendance

Literature and course material

Selected research papers announced by the lecturer.

Assessment

Assignment and presentation 100%

International learning experience

The course participant consists of a mix of students from multiple international universities.

Collaboration with the business world

Guest lectures

Limited number of participants

50