Course Title		Corporate Finance
Course Code Number		MGT 385
Credit Hours		03
Year: IV		Semester: VIII (Finance Specialization)
<b>Course Obje</b>	ectives:	
Main Objective		This course aims to Introduce concepts and practices on short-term financing, Term Loans and Lease Financing, Common Stock Financing and Long-Term Debt and Preferred Stock Financing.
Enabling Objectives		<ul> <li>After the completion of all the learning units of the course, participants will be able to:</li> <li>Understand the basic concepts and theories of corporate finance</li> <li>Analyze the cost of short-term financing</li> <li>Analyze the term loan and lease financing</li> <li>Evaluate the common stock financing</li> <li>Analyze the debt and preferred stock financing</li> <li>Understand the concept of dividend policy</li> </ul>
Learning Unit (LU)	Learning Hours (LH)	Contents
LU 1	LH 4	Introduction to Corporate Finance
		Corporate finance and financial manager; Financial manager's
		responsibilities; Managerial actions to maximize shareholder wealth; The agency problem: stockholders versus managers and stockholders versus creditors; Corporate social responsibilities.
LU 2	LH 10	Short-Term Financing
		Nature of short-term financing, Advantages and disadvantages, Sources of short-term financing: accruals, accounts payable (trade credit), commercial paper, short-term bank loans – line of credit, revolving credit arrangement, transaction loans; The cost of bank loan; Choosing a bank; accounts receivable financing.
LU 3	LH 10	Term Loans and Lease Financing
		Meaning of term loan, Characteristics of term loans, repayment schedule, Lease financing: significance of lease financing, types of lease, evaluating lease financing in relation to debt financing
LU 4	LH 10	Common Stock Financing
		Features of common stock; Rights common stockholders; Advantages and

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		disadvantages; The market for common stock; Methods of selling securities: public offering, rights offering and private placement; Analysis of rights offering and effect of rights offering on shareholders' wealth,
LU 5	LH 8	Long-Term Debt and Preferred Stock Financing Types of long-term debt instruments, trustee and indenture, Call provision, Sinking fund, Advantages and disadvantages; Preferred stock: features, types, advantages and disadvantages, Use of debenture and preferred stock in Nepalese capital market.
LU 6	LH 6	<b>Dividend Policy</b> Concept of Dividend Policy , Factors Influencing Dividend Policy, Dividend Payment Procedures, Stock Dividends and Stock Splits, Types of Dividend Policy: Residual Policy and Stability in dividend.
References		<ol> <li>Reference Books         <ol> <li>James C. Van Horne, <i>Financial Management and Policy</i>, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi</li> <li>Eugene F. Brigham, and Michael C. Ehrhardt, <i>Financial Management: Theory and Practice</i>, Thomson Asia, Singapore.</li> <li>Ross, S. A., Westerfield, R. W. &amp; Jordan, B. D. <i>Fundamentals of corporate finance</i>. New York: McGraw-Hill Irwin</li> </ol> </li> <li>Paudel, R. B., Baral K. J., Gautam R. R. &amp; Rana S. B. <i>Fundamentals of corporate finance</i>. Kathmandu: Asmita Books Publishers and Distributors.</li> </ol>

Net Contact Hour is 48 excluding the exams and tests.

Evaluation Module: 50 percent will be assessed through the internal evaluation and 50 percent will be assessed through end semester examination