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This course surveys fast-evolving areas of finance and their implications for markets, institutions, and early-career opportunities. Rotating topics may include financial technology and AI applications, digital assets and blockchain, private credit and alternative investments, market microstructure and trading analytics, and regulatory developments. The course prioritizes yet-unknown future topics, adapting each term to analyze the most consequential developments as they emerge. Emphasis is placed on connecting core finance principles to new tools, data, and practices through practitioner readings, policy updates, and applied learning alongside regional partners or alumni. Students develop the agility to interpret new trends, assess their economic significance, and communicate clear recommendations to stakeholders.

Grade Basis: L
Credit hours: 3.0
Lecture hours: 0.0
Lab hours: 0.0

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