Finance 475 is an upper-division level course in financial decision theory and applications of this theory to problems in capital budgeting, working capital management, and mergers and acquisitions. It is an independent study course. In addition to the assignment of five short research papers, there is a final exam requirement. The Final Examination is to be given by appointment during the Final Examination Week.

**Required Text**


**Reading List**


**Paper Assignments**

Real Options and Capital Budgeting

The Connection of Marketing and Finance: A Cash Budgeting Solution to the Great Endeavors Sporting Goods Case which includes an Excel Spreadsheet Analysis

The Connection of Quality to Value: A Review of the Akerloff Lemon Theorem Paper

The Weaknesses of Internal Rate of Return

The Cash Flow Cycle; An Example Problem and a Solution