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| **Proposed 3-unit course** | | | | |
| **Advanced Financial Accounting Theory** | | | | |
| **Week** | **In-class**  **Assessments** | **Topic(s)** | **Readings** | **Notes** |
| 1 |  | Financial accounting theory (1) | Deegan: 1, 2, 5, 7 | Syllabus and Course policies |
| 2 | Quiz 1 | Financial accounting theory (2) | Deegan: 10, 11 |  |
| 3 |  | Financial accounting theory (3) | Deegan: 9 |  |
| 4 |  | Fair value measurements | Handouts and articles |  |
| 5 | Exam 1 | Accounting research (1) | Abdohmohammadi/McQuade: 1, 2 | Research paper: topics and abstracts are due |
| 6 |  | Accounting research (2) | Abdohmohammadi/McQuade: 3,4,5 |  |
| 7 |  | Accounting research (3) | Abdohmohammadi/McQuade: 7, 9 |  |
| 8 | Quiz 2 | Valuation models | Ross/Westerfield/Jaffe: 9 |  |
| 9 |  | Spring Break (no class) |  |  |
| 10 |  | Value of accounting information (1) | Baye: 12 | Research paper: first draft is due |
| 11 |  | Value of accounting information (2) | Thomas/Maurice: 5 |  |
| 12 | Quiz 3 | Review for Comprehensive MPA Exam | TBD | MPA Exam is second Saturday in April |
| 13 |  | Value of accounting information (3) | TBD | CVP and CB decision models |
| 14 |  | Earnings management (quality of reported earnings) | Brownless, Ferris, and Haskins: 16 |  |
| 15 | Exam 2 |  |  | Research paper: final product is due |