MSc. IB-Sustainable Finance

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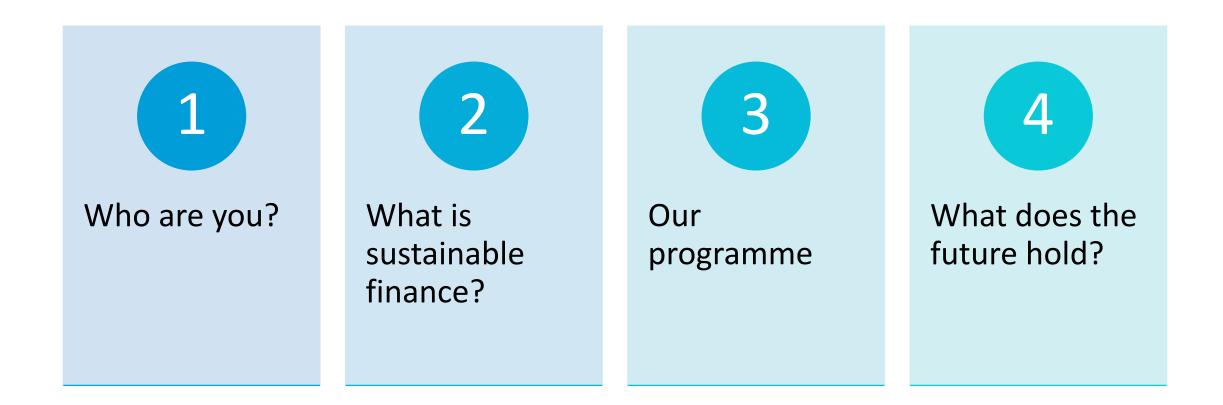








Today's Agenda





Who are you...

You have always felt an interest in being involved with finance in your later career...

...e.g., a financial services firm or consultant, investment manager or pension fund...

...or perhaps in a company or property investment firm But you want to learn more about finance than a standard Finance track has to offer

...you are also interested in the concept of sustainability...

...and the role it can play in financial markets and decision making



What is sustainable Finance?





How sustainability/society affects (better) financial decision making How financial decision making can have real positive societal impact



How sustainability/society affects (better) financial decision making

Corporate & Investor Perspective

- Sustainability can be a Competitive Advantage?
- What are material sustainability challenges facing a firm?
- How to integrate sustainability in financial models and investments?
- Financial returns of sustainable investments in for example stock, bond, and property markets..



How sustainability/society affects (better) financial decision making





Social and Philanthropic Perspective

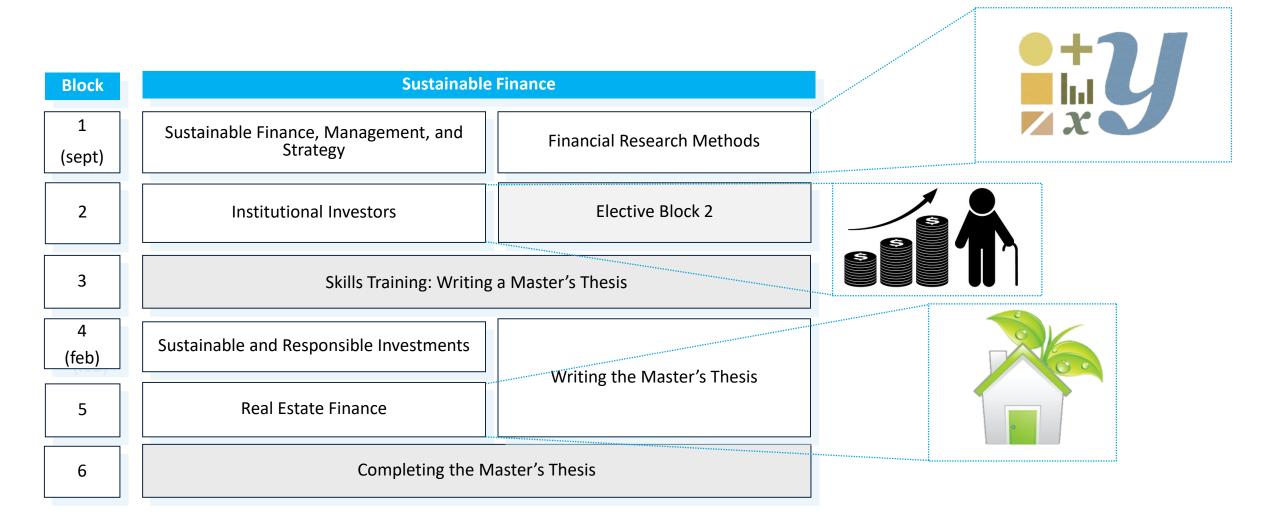
- What is Sustainability?
- How can investors fill the funding gap to reach the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals?
- What are effective interventions?
- How can we measure social and environmental return?



How financial decision making can have real positive societal impact



IB/Sustainable Finance in brief



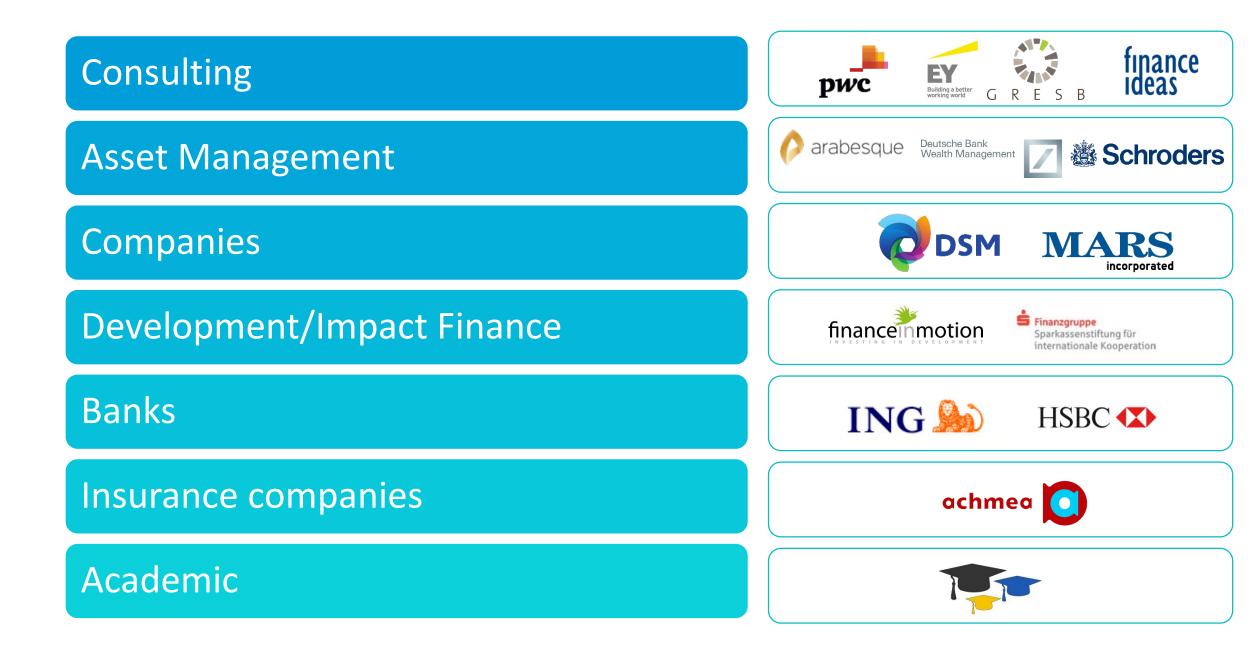
Teaching Approach

- Problem Based Learning
- Real company cases and financial problems
- Blended learning: elearning materials
- Guest Lectures from
 practitioners
- Community building and trips









Questions?

