FINA 4376: FINANCIAL SYSTEMS

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Required Text: 1. Financial Institutions Management,
4th Edition
Saunders and Cornett
McGraw-Hill/Irwin

The Wall Street Journal (must read every day)

Grade: 25% each exam, 25% participation