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• Learn various financial strategies related to specific business models and how to benchmark performance
• Develop ability to determine cost of capital and equity
• Understand evaluation of capital investment options and capital investment decisions
• Understand stockholder equity, including the effects of stock options and repurchases
• Recognize financial manipulation
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