

BUS 417 FORMING GROUPS

– Read the presentations scoring link on the class webpage to understand the implications of picking groups

-- FORMATION OF GROUPS FOR IN-PERSON CLASSES

Groups of four (possibly five) will be formed using a random procedure usually in the second class of the term. Students not attending the second class will be assigned to a group with available space. Sector selection for each group will be done usually in the third class of the term based on the order in which groups will present.

-- FORMATION OF GROUPS FOR ONLINE CLASSES

Groups will be formed by each student submitting by email to poitras7@sfu.ca a list of 4 preferences for the presentation sector. Groups of four (possibly five) will be formed based on placing individuals into the group with highest preference.

-- Preferences will be processed in the order received at the email address. If a group you selected first is already full when processed or there are not enough with preference for that sector, a second choice will be considered, etc. It is not necessary to do the stocks listed in each sector, one or more new ones can be used. The list of possible sectors is given below.

-- If you wish to be placed in a group with a specific individual – state this in your submission

Recent Previous Presentations (NOTE: 3 COMPANIES PER SECTOR)

Global Gadgets (AAPL, GOOG, MSFT)

Payments (V, AMX, MA)

Global Airlines (SIA, Cathay, LUV)

US Retail (WMT, COST, HD)

E-commerce (AMZN, SHOP, W)

Canadian Property REITs (REI.UN, HR.UN, BEL.UN, CWT.UN)

Pipelines and Energy Infrastructure (IPL, TRP, PPL, KEY, ENB)

Older Presentations

Hong Kong Properties (Sun Hung Kai, Cheung Kong, Sinoland, Henderson Land)

Canadian Telco's (RCI.B, BCE, MBT, T)

Canadian Oil and Gas (SU, CPG, VET)

Canadian Metals and Mining (TECK.B, CCO, G)

Social Media (FB, TWTR, SNAP)

Global Shippers (FDX, UPS, DPW)

New Sectors (Examples)

Vaccine Companies (PFE, MRNA, NVAX)

Biotechs (AMGN, ABBV, NVO)

Forestry (WFG, WY, UFS)

Digital Technology (ZM, BZFD, INFY)

Semiconductors (NVDA, INTC, AMD)