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Module 1: Business Planning / Activity 4: Business Financial Forecasting

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Instructions: Determine your business revenue sources, business expenses and any sources of additional capital to create a business financial forecast for your advisor business using the template that follows.

Note: You can create section headings in your completed activity to represent each topic area.

Business Financial Forecasting					
A. Identify sources of business income and expected amounts from each					
Revenue	Current Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)		
Commissions					
Trailing Commissions					
Fee for Service					
Investment Management Fee					
Other Income					
Total					



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B. Identify sources of business expenses and expected amounts from each				
Expenses	Current Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)	
Advisor Income				
Staff Income				
Rent				
Office Expenses				
Advertising				
Professional Development – courses, CE				
Telecommunication Expenses				
Transportation Costs –				
car lease, gas				
Client Events - meetings, appreciation				
Conference/Meetings - registration, travel				
Bank Charges				
Loan Repayment Costs				
Insurance Costs				
Other Expenses				
Total				
Revenue Less Expenses				



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C. Identify the capital available for investment and expected amounts for each					
Capital Available for Investment	Current Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)	Future Year (\$)		
Lines of Credit					
Bank Loans					
Other Sources					
Total					

