

Master of Business Administration: Finance Specialization

College of Business Administration



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Overview

The Master of Business Administration Finance Specialization provides students with an academic curriculum that focuses on four career tracts: Financial Management, Investment Management, Financial Institutions Management, and Wealth Management.

MBA Course Requirements

For general MBA program requirements please refer to the Official Program of Study for the Master of Business Administration (MBA).

Finance Specialization Description

Finance Specialization (12 units): In addition to BA 629, the core finance course, choose FOUR finance electives.

Finance Specialization Electives

- FIN 522 – Individual Insurance Management*
- FIN 585 – Estate Planning Issues and Practice**
- FIN 589 – Personal Financial Planning*
- FIN 590 – Personal Financial Planning Practicum**
- FIN 617 – Financial Management II**
- FIN 641 – Financing the Emerging Enterprise**
- FIN 642 – Financial Risk Management**
- FIN 651 – Seminar in Investments**
- FIN 652 – Seminar in Security Analysis and Portfolio Management**
- FIN 653 – Case Studies in Financial Management**
- FIN 654 – Seminar in International Business Finance** (Summer)
- FIN 656 – Seminar in Financial Institutions**
- FIN 659 – Decision Making in the World Economy**
- FIN 783 – Seminar in Real Estate Investment and Development**
- ACCTG 620 – Financial Measurement and Reporting*
- ACCTG 663 – Financial Statement Analysis*

Career Track Course Recommendations

Financial Management Career

- FIN 617**, FIN 641**, FIN 651**, FIN 653**, FIN 654**, FIN 659**, ACCTG 620*, ACCTG 663*

Investment Management

- FIN 651**, FIN 652**, FIN 654**, FIN 659**, ACCTG 663*

Financial Institutions Management

- FIN 617**, FIN 651**, FIN 654**, FIN 656**, FIN 659**, ACCTG 663*

Wealth Management

- FIN 522*, FIN 585**, FIN 589*, FIN 590**, FIN 651**, FIN 652**

NOTE: Students are responsible to verify prerequisite requirements for the courses they select.

***Offered each semester **Offered once each year ***Offered every other year**

MIS 688 (Information Systems & Strategies in Orgs) is a recommended elective for all MBA students. This class does not count toward the Finance specialization, but will count towards the remaining electives students need to complete.