Master of Science in Finance

The MS Finance program incorporates real-world applications and research to create analytical problem-solvers. Our intensive learning experience will develop your abilities in critical thinking and analytical problem solving. Small class sizes provide you with unparalleled access to faculty and professional career services.

**DEGREE EARNED**
Master of Science

**LENGTH:**
10-month program beginning in August in 2021, July in 2022.
*Start date subject to change

**FORMAT:**
Full-Time
3 semesters, 5 modules
37 credit hours

**TYPICAL AGE:**
23–26

**AVG. WORK EXPERIENCE:**
1–4 years

**PROGRAM FEES:**
In-State: $25,715
Out-of-State: $36,260
International: $49,950
*All fees subject to change

Program Highlights

- The MS Finance program is STEM designated. Successful graduates of the program may be eligible for STEM OPT extension.
- No prerequisite finance course work is required.
- Working in a team-based environment, students work with peers from across the United States and around the world including MBA counterparts offering insights into broader business principles. Students gain a global business perspective in their classroom and group interactions.
- Graduates prepare for careers in corporate finance; investment management; security analysis and brokerage; commercial and retail banking; and financial management of commercial and nonprofit organizations.
- Opportunity to take part in the Student Managed Investment Fund (SMIF), a unique program that provides real-world portfolio management and security analysis experience.
- Newly designed courses incorporate coding in Python, one of the fastest-growing programming languages in the financial industry.

**MORE INFORMATION**
krannert.purdue.edu/masters/ms-finance
PLACEMENT PROFILE
MS Finance

SALARY:
Median Base: $57,600

EMPLOYERS:
AEGON
Amazon.com
Baxter International
Bank of the West
Caterpillar
China Development
Financial Holding Corp.
Chrysler
Citibank
CitiGroup
Clifton Gunderson
Cowin Venture Capital
Credit Suisse First Boston
Crowe
DaVita
Dunhumby
Ford Motor Co.
Foxconn
Goldman Sachs
HSBC Bank
JPMorgan Chase
Lincoln Industrial
MacroSys
MasterCard
Merrill Lynch
Norwestern Mutual
Financial Network
OneAmerica
ReachLocal
Samsung Electronics Co., LTD
State Farm Bank
Stephens, Inc.
The World Bank
And many more...

CURRICULUM
37 total required credits

Summer Semester
- Accounting for Managers
- Business Analytics
- Financial Management
- Investments

Fall Semester
Module 1
- Valuation and Financial Statement Analysis
- Financial Modeling
- Advanced Corporate Finance
- Options & Futures
Module 2
- Financial Modeling II
- Portfolio Management
- Mergers, Acquisitions & Corporate Restructuring

Spring Semester
Module 3
- International Financial Management
- Financial Risk Management
- Advanced Business Analytics
Module 4
- Financial Econometrics
- Fixed Income Securities
- Financial Engineering
- Venture Capital & Investment Banking

Students also have the opportunity to participate in a Financial Econometrics Extension Option.

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“The program has connected me with many individuals who hold positions I wish to hold in the future and Purdue alumni are always willing to help.”

Ryan Sadkowski, ’19 MS Finance

“If you don’t mind working hard and are looking for an education from an elite institution, Krannert should be your top choice. The MS Finance program offers an advanced financial and quantitative curriculum which distinguishes Krannert from other schools. If you are mathematically oriented and looking to set yourself apart in any financial field I would recommend considering the Krannert School of Management.”

Michael Bagnoli, MS Finance ’14
Analyst, Lincoln International - Chicago, IL