

FINANCE

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Professional education in finance serves to develop the capabilities of students so that they may assume positions of leadership and responsibility at all levels of financial management in our society. The undergraduate degree program in Finance reflects the growing demand for greater financial management capability in banking and in the financial services related industries. An Honors Degree option is available. Students majoring in Finance may also pursue a minor in international business and/or apply to the minors in management information systems or economics as well as minors offered outside of the Lerner College.

To earn the major in Finance, one must: (1) earn a minimum of 121 credits, (2) achieve a minimum cumulative GPA of C (2.0) on all work undertaken at the University of Delaware, (3) fulfill the course requirements of the major, and (4) achieve at least a C- in specified business, finance, accounting, and economics courses. Only one of the six required upper-level courses in Finance may be taken at another institution, unless advance permission is granted.

Students also take a broad range of courses throughout the University that are outside the Alfred Lerner College of Business and Economics. These include a specified number of courses in the humanities, sciences, social and behavioral sciences, and in disciplines that develop specific skills in mathematics, statistics, and written and oral communication. Additional electives are also required to give each student the opportunity to choose courses most consistent with his or her interests.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
MAJOR: FINANCE

CURRICULUM CREDITS

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C-)	3
First Year Experience (see page 68)	0.4
Discovery Learning Experience (see page 68)	3
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see pages 69-71)	3

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Twelve Humanities credits from: 12
 Art History, History, English (except composition or similar courses), Foreign Languages (up to 6 of the allowable 9 credits may be grammar courses), Philosophy, Music (except credit for participation in instrumental and/or choral organizations), Theatre, Comparative Literature, and literature courses in a foreign language or up to 6 hours of a foreign language. No more than nine credits may be taken in one department.

Economics (300-level or higher, excluding ECON 302) 3
 Six credits from: 6
 Anthropology, Economics (300-level or higher, excluding ECON 302), Geography, Political Science and International Relations, Psychology or Sociology (except Criminal Justice), Black American Studies, or Women's Studies (except courses that qualify as under Humanities). No more than six credits may be taken in one department to fulfill Social and Behavioral Science requirements.

COMM 212 Oral Communication in Business (It is advised that COMM 212 be taken in the sophomore year.)	3
MATH 221 Calculus I (minimum grade C-)	3
MATH 230 Finite Mathematics with Applications (minimum grade C-)	3
MATH 201/202 Introduction to Statistics I and II (minimum grade C-)	6
One of the following courses:	3
ENGL 301 Expository Writing	
ENGL 312 Written Communication in Business	
ENGL 410 Technical Writing	
ENGL 415 Writing in the Professions	

Seven Natural and Physical Science credits including one lab credit from: 7
 Animal Science, Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Entomology, Geology, Marine Studies, Physics, Plant Science, and Science.

ECON 151 Introduction to Microeconomics: Prices and Markets (minimum grade C-)	3
ECON 152 Introduction to Macroeconomics: National Economy (minimum grade C-)	3
ECON 302 Banking and Monetary Policy	3
ACCT 207 Accounting I (minimum grade C-)	3
ACCT 208 Accounting II (minimum grade C-)	3
ACCT 352 Law and Social Issues in Business	3
BUAD 301 Introduction to Marketing (minimum grade C-)	3
BUAD 306 Operations Management (minimum grade C-)	3
BUAD 309 Management and Organizational Behavior (minimum grade C-)	3
BUAD 441 Business Policy (minimum grade C-)	3
MISY 160 Introduction to Business Information Systems I	3
MISY 261 Introduction to Business Information System II	3

Only one of the following will count toward graduation:
 MISY 261 or ACCT 302.

Students must earn a grade of C- or better in all but one of the following: FINC 312, FINC 313, FINC 314, FINC 412, FINC 413, FINC 414, FINC 415, FINC 416, FINC 417, FINC 418, FINC 419.

FINC 311 Principles of Finance (minimum grade C-)	3
FINC 312 Intermediate Financial Management	3
FINC 314 Investments	3

Three of the following eight courses: 9

FINC 313 Financial Markets	
FINC 412 Financial Institutions	
FINC 413 Advanced Corporate Finance	
FINC 414 Bank Management	
FINC 415 International Finance	
FINC 416 Advanced Investments	
FINC 417 Real Estate Finance	
FINC 418 Seminar: Corporate Governance	
FINC 419 Financial Modeling and Valuation	

Professional Electives
 3 credits from ACCT, BUAD, FINC or MISY (300-level or higher) 3

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree. Electives should be taken from courses outside the Alfred Lerner College of Business and Economics, with no more than two credits from HESC 120.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF 121