



Accelerated Program

MS Finance

Can be completed in one year of intensive study.

Prerequisites: *Incoming students are expected to understand fundamental finance and accounting concepts. Prerequisite courses may be waived for students who have work experience or prior coursework in the area. Prerequisite courses do not count towards the 30 credits required for the degree.*

Summer Semester (Prerequisites, if needed)

ACCT800	Financial Reporting & Analysis (prerequisite, if needed)
FINC850	Financial Management (prerequisite, if needed)

MS in Finance Curriculum

FINC851/861, 852/856, 862 comprise the finance practice module. Students may substitute an elective for each of these courses for which they have extensive work experience or prior coursework in the area. Elective courses are listed at the bottom.

Fall Semester		Credits
ECON803	Applied Econometrics I– Fall only	3
<i>ECON803 must be taken concurrently with FINC870 and is a prerequisite for FINC871 and FINC872</i>		
ACCT820	Financial Statement Analysis	3
FINC870	Theory of Financial Decision Making	3
One of the following:		
FINC851 or FINC861	Corporate Financial Analysis Financial Modeling and Valuation	3
FINC852 or FINC856	Investment Analysis & Portfolio Management Financial Engineering and Risk Management	
FINCxxx	Finance Elective	

Fall Semester Total **12**

Winter Session Total **6**

Winter Session consists of six credits of required or elective courses that are offered. Winter session offerings are limited.

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Spring Semester

FINC871	Workshop in Finance: Seminar - Spring only	3
FINC872	Workshop in Finance: Empirical Research - Spring only	3
FINC862	Fixed Income - Spring only	3
One of the following:		
FINC851 or FINC861	Corporate Financial Analysis Financial Modeling and Valuation	3
FINC852 or FINC856	Investment Analysis & Portfolio Management Financial Engineering and Risk Management	
FINCxxx	Finance Elective	

Spring Semester Total

12

Program Total

30

Elective Courses

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Elective Courses
FINC 851 Corporate Financial Policy (A, C)
FINC 852 Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management (B, C)
FINC 853 International Financial Management (C)
FINC 854 Special Topics in Finance
FINC 856 Financial Engineering and Risk Management (C)
FINC 857 Private Equity/Venture Finance
FINC 858 Corporate Governance
FINC 861 Financial Modeling and Valuation (C)
FINC 867 Seminar: Various Topics
ECON 800 level courses with permission of Director
ACCT 614 Federal Tax Research and Planning

- (A) Becomes an elective if FINC861 was taken
- (B) Becomes an elective if FINC856 was taken
- (C) These courses are sometimes offered online

For more information about the MS in Finance at the University of Delaware:

<http://graduate.lerner.udel.edu/master-doctoral-programs/ms-finance>

NOTE: The semester in which courses are offered can change

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