

Bachelor of Science in Finance

The Bachelor of Science in Finance emphasizes the relationship between economics, accounting, and financial decision-making. Finance graduates enter careers in corporate finance, investments, banking, real estate, and insurance. The finance program also promotes the development of entrepreneurial skills. Upon completion of this degree,

- Students will be able to explain the relationship between economics, accounting, and financial decision-making.
- Students will be able to create and analyze comprehensive financial statements.
- Students will be able to relate financial theories and skills to their careers and personal lives to become better financial stewards.

General Education Requirements (44 hrs.)

The Biblical World (6 hrs.)

The Biblical Story	3 hrs.
The Christian Worldview	3 hrs.

The Cultural World (15 hrs.)

English Composition I and II	6 hrs.
World Literature I or II	3 hrs.
Speech Communication	3 hrs.
Humanities elective (choose one) <i>(Any appreciation course or philosophy)</i>	3 hrs.

The Social World (9 hrs.)

American History & Politics <i>(U.S. History Before 1865 or Since 1865 or Am. Govt.)</i>	3 hrs.
The West & Global Cultures <i>(Western Civilization I or II or World Geography)</i>	3 hrs.
Principles of Macroeconomics	3 hrs.

The Natural World (14 hrs.)

Health and Physical Education <i>(one hour must be physical activity)</i>	4 hrs.
Natural science and mathematics <i>(Must include at least one chemistry, biological science, or physical science course with a laboratory class, and one mathematics course MT1133 or higher, and excluding MT1123 Intermediate Algebra, MT 3133 Math for Teachers I, MT 4123 Math for Teachers II, GS 3213 Science for Teachers: K-6, and GS 3233 Science for Teachers: 4-8. MT 1123 Intermediate Algebra may be required if Math ACT score is less than 19. The mathematics requirement may be waived if Math ACT is 28 or higher.)</i>	10 hrs.

Interdisciplinary Liberal Arts Electives (13 hrs.)

Finance majors are required to take 13 elective hours in courses outside of the business department.

Foundations for All Business Majors (42 hrs.)

Principles of Accounting I	3 hrs.
Principles of Accounting II	3 hrs.
Business Statistics	3 hrs.
Principles of Marketing	3 hrs.
Organizational Behavior & Management	3 hrs.
Business Law	3 hrs.
Business Communication Skills	3 hrs.
Operations Management	3 hrs.
Business Ethics	3 hrs.
Business Policy	3 hrs.
Management Information Systems	3 hrs.
Microcomputer Applications I	3 hrs.
Principles of Macroeconomics	3 hrs.
Principles of Microeconomics	3 hrs.
Fundamentals of Financial Management	3 hrs.

Finance Requirements (9 hrs.)

Intermediate Accounting	3 hrs.
Money and Banking	3 hrs.
Principles of Investments	3 hrs.

Finance Electives (12 hrs.)

Select twelve hours from the following list:

Consumer Finance	3 hrs.
Managerial Accounting	3 hrs.
Principles of Taxation	3 hrs.
Survey of International Business	3 hrs.
Small Business Management	3 hrs.
Principles of Real Estate	3 hrs.
Capital Management	3 hrs.
Working Capital Management	3 hrs.
Finance Internship	3 hrs.

Total Required Hours: 120 hrs.