

THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON
KANIA SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT
FINANCE

About the Program

Finance focuses on risk and return. It is the science and art of managing money.

At Scranton, you'll benefit from a broad and integrated learning experience through coursework in economics as well as finance, which will set you apart in the job market.

Many students double major in finance and economics.



Outcomes & Opportunities

- Internships help students make connections and gain practical experience in their field. Examples of the companies where you can explore possibilities while gaining valuable experience include AXA Equitable, Federal Reserve Board and Morgan Stanley.
- Our program prepares students for a range of career choices in the corporate sector, financial services industry or government. Some examples of positions are financial analyst, trader, securities broker and research analyst.
- Some of the most recognizable global investment banking and securities firms in the world employ our finance graduates. Examples include AXA Financial, Bank of America, Goldman Sachs and JPMorgan Chase.
- Scranton graduates are admitted to top graduate and professional schools throughout the country such as Cornell School of Law, James Madison University, The University of Scranton, University of Chicago and University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business.
- High school seniors interested in finance may apply for a direct-entry seat in the accelerated Master of Business Administration (MBA) program at The University of Scranton.

In the U.S News & World Report's
2021 guidebook, our Finance
program ranked among the top
in the nation on its business
specialty list.



SUCCESS AHEAD

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FINANCIAL SERVICES TRACK CURRICULUM *Corporate Finance Track also available*

	Department & Number - Descriptive Title of Course	Fall Cr.	Spr. Cr.
FIRST YEAR			
GE S/BH	ECO 153 - (S) Principles of Microeconomics – ECO 154 - (S,) Principles of Macroeconomics	3	3
GE WRTG-SPCH	WRTG 107 - (FYW) Composition – BUS 140 - (FYDT,FYOC) Business Information & Oral Proficiency	3	3
GE PHIL-T/RS	PHIL 120 - Introduction to Philosophy – T/RS 121 - (P) Theology I: Introduction to the Bible	3	3
GE QUAN	MATH ELECT - Mathematics Elective ¹	3	3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humanities Electives ²	3	3
GE FSEM	First Year Seminar ⁴		
BUS CORE	BUS 150 - Career and Professional Development		1
		15	16
SECOND YEAR			
BUS CORE	ACC 251 - Financial Accounting I – ACC 252 - Financial Accounting II	3	3
BUS CORE	STAT 251 - (Q) Statistics for Business I – STAT 252 - (Q) Statistics for Business II	3	3
BUS CORE	MGT 251 - Legal Environment of Business		3
BUS CORE	OIM 251 - Excel for Business Applications	1	
GE PHIL-T/RS	PHIL 210 - Ethics – T/RS 122 - (P) Theology II: Introduction to Christian Theology	3	3
GE NSCI	NSCI ELECT- Natural Science Elective	3	
MAJOR	FIN 251 - Introduction to Finance		3
GE ELECT	FREE ELECT - Free Elective ³	3	
		16	15
THIRD YEAR			
MAJOR	ECO 361 - Intermediate Microeconomics – ECO 362 - Intermediate Macroeconomics	3	3
MAJOR	ECO 460 - Monetary & Financial Economics		3
MAJOR	FIN 362 - Investments		3
BUS CORE	MGT 351 - Principles of Management I – MGT 352 - Principles of Management II	3	3
BUS CORE	FIN 363 - Intermediate Finance – MKT 351 - Introduction to Marketing	3	3
BUS CORE	OIM 351 - Introduction to Management Science – OIM 352 - Introduction to Operations Management	3	3
BUS CORE	ECO/IB 351 - (D) Environment of International Business	3	
GE PHIL-T/RS	PHIL ELECT or T/RS ELECT - Philosophy Elective or Theology Elective	3	
		18	18

	Department & Number - Descriptive Title of Course	Fall Cr.	Spr. Cr.
FOURTH YEAR			
MAJOR	FIN ELECT - Finance Elective		3
MAJOR	FIN 472 - Portfolio Management – FIN/IB 475 - International Finance	3	3
BUS CORE	OIM 471 - Business Information Management		3
BUS CORE	MGT 455 - Business Policy & Strategy		3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humanities Elective		3
GE ELECT	FREE ELECT- Free Electives	6	
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humanities Elective	3	
GE NSCI	NSCI ELECT - Natural Science Elective	3	
		15	15
		Total: 128 Credits	

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¹ Two math options are available to Business majors:

Option I* (6 credits) MATH 107 - (Q) Quantitative Methods II and MATH 108 - Quantitative Methods III

Option II* (8 credits) MATH 114 - (Q) Calculus I and MATH 221 - (Q) Calculus II

Both options cover the topics of calculus. Option I takes an applied approach; Option II a theoretical approach.

* Students are tested for math placement during summer orientation. On the basis of these tests and their high school background it will be recommended that some students take Option II, especially if they expect to pursue graduate studies. The majority of students will be placed in Option I, and may also be required to take MATH 106: Quantitative Methods I as a prerequisite to taking MATH 107.

² If EDUC 113 is required in the first semester, it is taken in place of a humanities elective and is counted as a GE free elective.

One GE free elective in the fourth year must then be taken as a humanities elective.

³ If a third math course is required, it replaces this GE elective.

⁴ The selection of a First Year Seminar is likely to fulfill requirements both for the First Year Seminar and a General Education Requirement. Thus, the First Year Seminar will not add to the total credits for the semester. Talk with your advisor if you have any questions.

Curriculum grid effective for the 2021-22 academic year in accordance with the undergraduate course catalog.