

# CONCENTRATION IN FINANCE

While many rules and specific regulations apply to taking courses and many generalizations can be made regarding the sequencing of courses, there is no substitute for working with an academic advisor to plan your educational career. This tool provides the specific regulations as a way to illustrate how the curriculum works, in general, for most students. Please take the time to visit with your advisor each semester as s/he is skilled in academic planning and can help you understand how the curriculum can be tailored to meet your individual needs.

## Recommended Course Sequence

Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
<b>All-University Core Curriculum (AUCC) 34-37 Credits</b>			
CO150 (Written Communication, 1A) ECON202 (Social/Behavioral Sciences, 3C) MATH141 (Mathematics, 1B) Lab Science (Biological/Physical Sciences, 3A) Historical Perspectives (3D) Arts and Humanities (3B)	Global & Cultural Awareness (3E) Science (Biological/Physical Sciences, 3A) ECON204 (3C) Arts and Humanities (3B) STAT204	Additional Communication (2B) Students MUST complete CO150 and MATH141 by the time they complete 60 credits to avoid a registration hold.	Usually students are finished with the AUCC by the time they reach this level.
<b>Business Core 34 Credits</b>			
BUS100 BUS150	ACT210 → ACT220 CIS200 BUS300 (2B) BUS260	FIN300 MKT300	MGT301 MGT320 BUS479
<b>Finance Concentration 24 Credits</b>			
		FIN310 FIN355 Finance Option Course-6 credits	FIN 475 Finance Option Courses-9 credits
<b>Electives 25-28 Credits (Includes Non-Business Electives 17-20 Credits &amp; Free Electives 8 Credits)</b>			
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## Concentration Courses – (24 credits)

### Finance Core (9 Credits)

Course.....	Title .....	Pre-requisite(s); semester(s) offered; other information
FIN310.....	Financial Markets and Institutions.....	ECON204, fall, spring, summer
FIN355.....	Principles of Investments.....	FIN300, and FIN310; fall, spring, summer
FIN475.....	International Finance.....	FIN300, fall, spring, summer

### Corporate Finance Option (15 Credits)

FIN370.....	Financial Management: Theory and Application .....	FIN300, fall, spring
FIN470.....	Financial Risk Management .....	FIN355, fall, spring
FIN471.....	Enterprise Valuation.....	FIN355 and FIN370; spring only
UD FIN, REL or ACT Elective.....		ACT310 Recommended
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### Investment Analysis Option (15 Credits)

FIN311.....	Debt Securities Analysis.....	FIN 355, fall, spring
FIN455.....	Advanced Portfolio Management .....	FIN311, spring only
FIN470.....	Financial Risk Management .....	FIN355, fall, spring
UD FIN, REL or ACT Elective .....		ACT310 Recommended
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### Financial Planning Option (15 Credits)

ACT330 .....	Introduction to Taxation .....	ACT210, fall, spring
FIN320.....	Introduction to Financial Planning.....	ACT210, ECON204, fall, spring
FIN342.....	Risk Management and Insurance .....	FIN300, fall, spring
FIN440.....	Estate Planning.....	ACT 330 (co-requisite), FIN320, fall
FIN445.....	Financial Plan Development.....	ACT 330, FIN320, FIN342, spring

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