Master of Science in Finance - Wealth and Asset Management (MSFWAM)

Curriculum

Required Courses
Students must complete the following courses:

1. ACCT 503 Business Analysis Using Financial Statements (1.5 credits)
2. ACCT 503B Advanced Business Analysis Using Financial Statements (1.5 credits)
3. FIN 500Q Quantitative Risk Management (3 credits)
4. FIN 524 Options & Futures (1.5 credits)
5. FIN 524B Derivative Securities (1.5 credits)
6. FIN 525 Fixed Income Securities (1.5 credits)
7. FIN 528 Investments Praxis (3 credits)
8. FIN 532 Investment Theory (1.5 credits)
9. FIN 532B Data Analysis for Investments (1.5 credits)
10. FIN 534 Advanced Corporate Finance - I (1.5 credits)
11. FIN 538 Stochastic Foundations for Finance (1.5 credits)
12. MGT 537 Financial Industry Platform (0 credits)
13. MGT 560F Professional Business Communication (1.5 credits)
14. DAT 560G Database Design and SQL (1.5 credits)
15. DAT 561 Introduction to Python & Data Science (3 credits)

Students also choose one of the following courses:

1. FIN 560A Research Methods in Finance; strongly recommended (3 credits)
2. DAT 537 Data Analysis, Forecasting and Risk Analysis (3 credits)

Elective Courses
Students choose three or more of the following elective courses:

1. FIN 500W Venture Capital Methods (1.5 credits)
2. FIN 500X Venture Capital Practice (1.5 credits)
3. FIN 500Y Private Equity Methods (1.5 credits)
4. FIN 500Z Private Equity Practice (1.5 credits)
5. FIN 550A Legal, Compliance & Taxation Aspects of Wealth Management (1.5 credits)
6. FIN 550B Wealth Management Practice (1.5 credits)
7. FIN 550C Endowments, Foundations & Philanthropy (1.5 credits)
8. FIN 550D Hedge Fund Strategies (1.5 credits)
9. FIN 550E Behavioral Finance (1.5 credits)

Other Electives and Experiential Courses
Students select one of the following options:

Option A:

1. 1.5 experiential course credits plus
2. 4.5 approved elective credits

Option B:

1. 3 experiential course credits plus
2. 3 approved elective credits