



Master of Science in Wealth Management (MSWM)

Degree Overview

The two-semester Master of Science in Wealth Management (MSWM) program emphasizes asset allocation and investment selection to construct investment portfolios for individuals, institutions, and businesses. This program equips students for careers in asset and wealth management, endowment management, equity research, fixed income, derivatives, hedge funds, mutual funds, and pension funds.

The MSWM degree requires the completion of 30 credits, including 18 required credits and 12 elective credits.

Orientation Programs

All Specialized Master's Programs students kick off their degrees with a multipronged orientation program designed to prepare them for academic, personal and professional success.

Students will participate in various online and in-person orientation activities prior to beginning their fall semester at Olin. *SMP Start* is a set of online modules that introduce students to the ins and outs of Washington University including policies and procedures, health and wellness, leadership opportunities, and more. *SMP Orientation Week* includes workshops, events, and cohort overviews including introductions to faculty and advisors. This week is set up to help students with their final preparations before the start of their first semester. Orientation includes career sessions, which serve as catalysts for students to help them get started in their career search. These programs are packed with opportunities for students to bond with their program cohort and to connect with their peers in all of the Specialized Master's Programs.

Students new to the United States may have the opportunity to participate in *SMP GO*, during which they will acclimate to the Olin Business School culture and strengthen their English and business communication skills.

Simultaneously, students will complete optional online, asynchronous foundation courses to bolster their background and maximize their academic preparation before the start of their degree program.