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make ambition
count.**



MSc Finance courses

Welcome to Kent Business School

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Triple accredited by AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS
placing us in the **top 1%** of Business Schools



MSc Finance Courses

Class profile 2022 - 23



Male and female students



18 Nationalities



Average age

MSc Finance courses

- Our finance programmes equip students with a solid background in financial principles and practices and **develop skills needed by future business and financial professionals.**
- Elements of practical work are carried out in the Business School's dedicated **Bloomberg Lab** - the virtual trading platform will allow students to access and **engage with market data through practical case studies and the use of online databases.**
- **Accredited by:**
 - GARP – Global Association of Risk Professionals
 - PRMIA - Professional Risk Managers' International Association
 - CFA – Chartered Financial Analyst



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Key highlights

- **Academic excellence** – inspired by world-class experts in their subjects, some of which are in Stanford University's top 2% of influential scientists in the world
- **Location** – gateway to experience and understand Europe
- Opportunities to **engage** with business in the region and network with leaders of national reach
- **Lifelong connections** with current and alumni students



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Key highlights

- Access to **real market data** via our Bloomberg Lab
- **First-class facilities** at our Canterbury campus, close to London
- Attend optional **pre-course quantitative skills workshop**
- Attend optional **pre-sessional courses for international students**
- Enhance your experience through an **Industrial Placement or In-Company Student Consultancy Project**



MSc Finance – Learning Journey

Compulsory modules Stage 1:

- Financial Risk Management
- Derivatives
- Foundations of Finance
- Quantitative Methods
- Financial Econometrics
- Advanced Investment Management
- Corporate Governance and Sustainability
- Research Methods and Consulting Skills (Term 1 and 2)

Compulsory modules Stage 2:

- Finance Project



Career Path

- Investment banks
- Financial and management consultancies
- Business banking
- Global financial institutions
- Central banks
- Financial regulatory agencies
- Regulatory bodies
- Auditing firms
- Risk management departments of financial institutions and government departments
- KBS graduates have gone on to work for companies including Dolfon Group Wealth Management, NatWest, Huawei, US Bank, Caterpillar, Eurex



MSc Finance, Investment and Risk – Learning Journey

Compulsory modules Stage 1:

- Financial Risk Management
- Derivatives
- Quantitative Methods
- Investment Analysis
- Credit Risk
- Advanced Investment Management
- Corporate Governance and Sustainability
- Research Methods and Consulting Skills (Term 1 and 2)

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Stage 1 optional modules may include:

- Financial Econometrics
- Fixed Income Markets
- Algorithmic Trading
- Programming for Finance in Python

Compulsory modules Stage 2:

- Finance Project



MSc Finance and Management – Learning Journey

Compulsory modules Stage 1:

- Foundations of Finance
- International Financial Markets and Instruments
- Organisational Behaviour and HRM: A Global Perspective
- International Accounting for Decision Making
- Global Strategy
- Corporate Finance
- Corporate Governance and Sustainability
- Research Methods and Consulting Skills (Term 1 and 2)

Compulsory modules Stage 2:

- Finance Project



MSc FinTech – Learning Journey

Compulsory modules Stage 1:

- Financial Risk Management
- Financial Technology
- Foundations of Finance
- Quantitative Methods
- Corporate Governance and Sustainability
- Programming for Finance in Python
- Algorithmic Trading
- Research Methods and Consulting Skills (Term 1 and 2)

Stage 1 optional modules may include:

- Machine Learning and Forecasting
- Big Data Analytics and Visualisation

Compulsory modules Stage 2:

- Finance Project



Our recent alumni



Graduate at Canterbury Cathedral



Key dates

CAS deadline:

- Friday 8 September 2023

Pre-Induction week:

- Optional Bitesize workshops on academic and quants skills getting you ready for your MSc course – from 11 September 2023

Welcome week:

- Induction activities – from 18 September 2023

Term 1

- Starts 25 September 2023

Student final registration deadline:

- Monday 16 October 2023 – 10.00 am

View University of Kent Academic Year and Term Dates 2023-2024:

<https://media.www.kent.ac.uk/se/20304/term-dates-2023-2024.pdf>



Contact us

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For more information on the **MSc Finance courses with Optional Industrial Placements** visit:

<https://www.kent.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate/1704/finance>

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Thank You.

