

Application Procedure

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MSc | Master of Science in Finance and Investments

The KeMU MSc in Finance and investment is designed to equip students with the theoretical knowledge, quantitative tools and analytical skills that will allow them to flourish in the worlds of practical and academic finance. The MSc provides:

- A complete grounding in the modern theory and practice of finance.
- Training in those quantitative techniques that are integral to investment analysis, financial management and financial econometrics.
- Exposure to current financial problems and issues via case studies and handling of real financial data.
- Opportunities to master critical thinking and problem solving skills to enable them to handle contemporary issues in the area of finance.
- Specialist courses to allow students to take their learning on more practical or more academic pathways.
- Teaching by faculty members with first-class academic reputations and with current experience of the practical world of finance.

Graduate from this programme will be ideally positioned to take up position in investment management, corporate finance, trading, or consulting. The programme also provides an

excellent foundation for those wishing to undertake further academic study in finance.

Employment Prospects

The MSc Finance & investment programme prepares graduates for careers in areas such as:

- Investment, commercial and retail banking;
- Accountancy and financial management;
- Financial analyst;
- Investment management;
- Capital Market;
- Corporate finance and planning;
- Regulatory bodies;
- Any specialization requiring an in-depth understanding of accountancy and finance.
- Academia

Admission Requirements

Entry requirements will be normally be a first or upper second class degree from a recognized University, in which the subjects studied include finance, accounting or economics.

Student with a first degree in a non-related subject will also be considered, but their application will need to demonstrate a very high standard ability in quantitative skills and motivation for the programme.

Relevant work experience will be an advantage, especially for applicants with a first degree in a non- related subject.

A pathway also exist through the programme that accommodates individuals with a first or good upper second class degree in a numerate discipline other than economics or finance (e.g. mathematics, a natural science or engineering).

Duration of the Program

The Msc program takes two academic years. Since we operate on a trimester basis, it is possible to finish in one and half years.

Program Abstract

The MSc in finance and investment comprises of the following courses

First Trimester	
MSFI501:	Financial Markets
MSFI502:	Investment Mathematics
MSFI503:	Statistics of Finance
MSFI504:	The Analysis of Corporate Financial Information.
MSFI 505:	Financial Management

Second Trimester	
MSFI 506:	Corporate Finance
MSFI 507:	Derivatives

MSFI 508:	Research Method in Finance and Investment
MSFI 509:	Portfolio Management and Investment Analysis
MSFI 509:	Equity and other Security Valuation

Third Trimester	
MSFI 511:	Behavioral Finance and Market Efficiency.
MSFI 512:	Public Sector Financial Management
MSFI 513:	Ethics and corporate Governance.
NSFI 514:	Cases in Financial and Investment
MSFI 515:	International Accounting

Fourth Trimester	
MSFI 516:	Research Theseis

Graduation Requirements

A total of 66 postgraduate level credit hours must be completed to graduates with a Masters degree from KeMU.

This includes 60 credit hours for 15 taught courses and 6 credit hours for the research thesis. A credit transfer facility is available for equivalent courses done previously (See the Academic Registrar). Internship is required for one to gain practical experience but it does not carry academic credit.