

Finance Track Requirements – Class of 2015

Knowledge is power in the competitive field of finance, and you'll gain plenty of it in this track. Hone your financial analytical skills and learn to apply the principles of financial economics to investment, commercial and retail banking, corporate finance, trading, and risk management.

Develop innovative approaches and products for both individuals and institutions. Become an authority on topics like: mergers and acquisitions, capital budgeting, strategic financial management, corporate restructuring, credit analysis, private equity and venture capital.

Careers available to Finance graduates span asset management, investment banking, risk management, financial engineering, corporate finance, securities sales and trading, commercial banking, and financial consultancy.

UBC MBA Program Requirements – all students complete the following:

BA 504 IPD: Foundation – 3.0 credits
 BA 507 IPD: Global – 3.0 credits
 BA 508 IPD: Capstone (includes Business in Society Project) – 2.0 credits
 BA 512 IPD: Experiential Learning – 1.5 credits
 BA 560: Ethics & Sustainability – 1.5 credits
 BA 561: Global Issues & Macroeconomics – 1.5 credits
 BA 562: Creativity – 1.5 credits
 BA 563: Decision Making for Managers – 1.5 credits
 BA 564: Leadership Development – 1.5 credits
 BAAC 550 Foundations in Accounting – 1.5 credits
 BABS 540 – Data Utilization – 0.75 credits
 BAFI 500 – Corporate Finance – 1.5 credits
 BAHF 550 Organizational Behaviour – 1.5 credits
 BAMA 550 Marketing Fundamentals – 1.5 credits
 BAPA 550 Foundations of Managerial Economics – 1.5 credits
 BASC 550 Operations & Logistics – 1.5 credits
 3 of 4 Track specific mini-modules – 2.25 credits:
 BA 541 Consulting & Strategic Management
 BAEN 541 Innovation & Entrepreneurship
 BAFI 541 Principles of Finance
 BAMA 541 Product Service Management
 14 additional 1.5 credit modules – 21.0 credits

Program Total: 50 credits

5 Track Required Modules:

P2 BAFI 541	Principles of Finance
P3 BA 513	Business Economics
P3 BAFI 511	Investment Theory and Asset Pricing
P4 BAAC 500	Financial Reporting
P4 BAFI 520	Empirical Finance

6 Track Elective Modules chosen from the following list:

P3 BAAC 510	Cost Analysis for Decision Making
P3 BAFI 502	Capital Structure
P4 BAFI 503	Capital Budgeting
P4 BAFI 510	Security Analysis
P6 BAFI 509	Debt, Financial Distress, and Reorganization
P6 BAFI 514	Portfolio Strategies and Tactics
P6 BAFI 516	Financial Engineering
P6 BAFI 530	International Financial Environment
P7 BAAC 501	Financial Statement Analysis
P7 BAFI 507	Mergers and Acquisitions
P7 BAFI 513	Risk Management
P7 BAFI 532	International Financial Management
P7 BAUL 501	Real Estate Investment Analysis

4 MBA Elective Modules:

Choose 4 modules (equivalent to 6.0 credits) from any available modules in the program

If you choose more Track elective modules than required above, additional Track electives can count towards your MBA elective module requirements.

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Period 1

BA 504	IPD: Foundation
BA 562	Creativity
BAAC 550	Accounting
BABS 540	Data Utilization
BAHR 550	Organizational Behaviour
BAMA 550	Marketing Fundamentals
BAPA 550	Foundations of Managerial Economics
Total credits for P1: 11.25 credits	

Period 2

BA 504	IPD: Foundation (con't from P1)
BA 562	Creativity (con't from P1)
BAFI 500	Corporate Finance
BASC 550	Operations & Logistics
BAFI 541 + two of: BA 541 BAEN 541 BAMA 541	Principles of Finance Consulting and Strategic Management Innovation and Entrepreneurship Product Service Management
Total credits for P2: 5.25 credits	

Period 3

maximum 1.5 credits of electives (overloading not allowed)

BA 507	IPD: Global
BA 561	Global Issues and Macroeconomics
BA 513	Business Economics
BAFI 511	Investment Theory and Asset Pricing
Elective Track / MBA	
Total credits for P3: 9.0 credits	

Period 4

maximum 3.0 credits electives (overloading allowed)

BAAC 500	Financial Reporting
BAFI 520	Empirical Finance
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Total credits for P4: 6.0 credits	

Period 5

BA 560	Ethics & Sustainability
BA 563	Decision Making for Managers
Total credits for P5: 3.0 credits	

Summer Period

BA 512	IPD: Experiential Learning
Total credits for Summer Period: 1.5 credits	

Period 6

maximum 6.0 credits electives (overloading allowed)

BA 508	IPD: Capstone
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Total credits for P6: 8.0 credits	

Period 7

maximum 4.5 credits electives (overloading allowed)

BA 508	IPD: Capstone (con't from P6)
BA 564	Leadership Development
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Elective Track / MBA	
Total credits for P7: 6.0 credits	

Program total: 50.0 credits

Ensure that you have:

- BA 513 Business Economics
- BAAC 500 Financial Reporting
- BAFI 511 Investment Theory and Asset Pricing
- BAFI 520 Empirical Finance
- BAFI 541 Principles of Finance
- 6 Track electives
- 4 MBA electives
 - If you choose more Track elective modules than required above, these modules will count towards your MBA elective module requirements.

Overloading: students must have a minimum cumulative post-P1 grade average of 80% in order to overload in periods where it's allowed