

FINANCE MINOR REQUIREMENTS

The Finance Minor requires students to complete 21 credits (7 courses) as outlined below. Students in the Finance Major are not eligible for this minor.

Minor Requirements

Take all six of these required courses:

AF 210 ¹	Financial Accounting	3cr	Pre-requisite: 15 credits
AF 211 ¹	Managerial Accounting	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 210 and 15 credits
AF 301 ¹	Introduction to Financial Management	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 210; pre- or co-requisite: AF 211
AF 325	Theory of Corporate Finance	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 335	Investments	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 495	Financial Policy	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 325 and AF 335 and 60 credits

Minor Electives

Choose one Finance Elective from the list below:

AF 405	Sport Finance	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 210 & AF 211 & AF 301 & 60 credits
AF 426	Financial Modeling	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 427	Financial Data Analytics	3cr	Pre-requisite: none
AF 435	Derivative Securities	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 443	Machine Learning in Finance	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 427
AF 444	Asset Management Practicum	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 445	Markets and Financial Institutions	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 450	Federal Taxation I	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 211 and 60 credits
AF 455	International Financial Management	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 475	Real Estate Finance & Investment	3cr	Pre-requisite: AF 301 and 60 credits
AF 478	Special Topics	3cr	Pre-requisite: 60 credits

¹: Business majors complete these courses as part of their Business Core; 4 additional courses are needed to complete this minor.

ADMISSION TO THE FINANCE MINOR

Non-Business Majors must meet the following requirements to be accepted to this minor:

- 2.75 UMass Boston GPA based on at least 12 graded credits with no incomplete grades;
- Applying before you earn 45 credits is recommended.
- Students must apply using the [Change of Program](#) form on the [Registrar's website](#).

Business Majors

- Met the admission criteria for this minor when they enrolled in their initial Business major. No additional admission requirements for this minor exist.
- Students must still apply using the [Change of Program](#) form on the [Registrar's website](#).

Applications are reviewed periodically throughout the semester and students will be emailed the review decision. Admission will always be effective the semester following acceptance.

ADVISING AND REGISTRATION GUIDANCE

- Due to the sequential nature of the requirements and some elective options, students must plan to complete this minor over the course of at least 5 semesters; 6-7 semesters is advised.
- Students should consult their degree audit and the information above to track progress in the minor. When individual advising is needed, CM students should connect with their assigned Academic Advisor and students outside of CM can meet with any Academic Advisor in the College of Management.
- Students in this minor will have delayed access to enroll in courses that are required for their minor only. Access will be granted on the Partnership Program date found on the [CM Registration Request Form](#) Page.
- Non-CM students pursuing this minor will need to use the [Registration Request Form](#) to enroll in CM courses.
- Students must have a minimum of a 2.0 GPA in the minor courses at the time of graduation to be awarded this minor.
- No more than one course in this minor, outside of courses being used in the Business Core, can be reused in the major or another minor.