

Master of Science in

Finance

Chart a great future in the financial services industry.

Choose one of three concentrations:

- Financial Analysis
- Financial Planning
- Financial Management

Covers the topics needed to sit for national or international examinations for prestigious credentials such as the CFA®, CFP® and the CMA.

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Located in one of the most dynamic metropolitan areas in the United States, NJCU provides its graduate students with a creative environment designed to support scholarship, research and practice.

- **Unique courses may be applied toward both Certification and the Master's degree.**
- **Classes are offered in the evening and online for the busy professional.**
- **May qualify for tuition reimbursement with many employers.**
- **May qualify for government loans regardless of financial need.**
- **Small class size and individual attention.**
- **Courses taught by accomplished educators who are distinguished practitioners in their fields.**

Come join our diverse, highly motivated group of learners who have discovered the value of a New Jersey City University graduate education.

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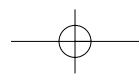
NJCU is committed to serving our community constituencies, including corporations. If you have 10 or more participants, the Master of Science in Finance program can be offered at your site.



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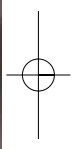
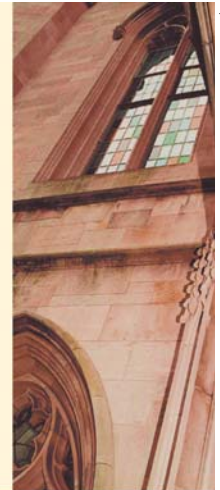
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Success in Scholarship,
Success in the World.



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Earn Your Master of Science in Finance at NJCU.

Whether you have just successfully completed your bachelor's degree, or have made great strides in your career, you are now ready to take the next step toward success in the financial services industry. If you are passionate about success and willing to work, your Master of Science degree in Finance at New Jersey City University can help take you higher up the ladder of success.

Convenience & Flexibility

Our MSF is offered primarily in the evening, with some courses available online, so you can fit it into your busy schedule. Since only 39 credits are required, you can complete it in just over two years part-time with proper scheduling.



Chart a great future in the financial services industry with a Master of Science degree in Finance from New Jersey City University

Unique Among Other Universities

There is an advantage in the way our MSF is structured. We offer specializations in three important financial specialties:

- Financial Planning
- Financial Analysis
- Financial Management

Each of the specializations prepares you to sit for a national or international examination for a prestigious financial services certification or designation:

- Chartered Financial Analyst® Designation
- Certified Financial Planner™ Certification
- Certified Financial Manager Certification

Approximately halfway through your Master's degree, you will have covered all the content needed to sit for one of these examinations. You will also receive an NJCU Graduate Certificate when you have completed your specialization.

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New Jersey City University does not certify individuals to use the CFP®, CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ and CFP (with flame logo)®, certification marks. CFP® certification is granted only by Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards Inc. to those persons who, in addition to completing an educational requirement such as this CFP Board-Registered Program, have met its ethics, experience and examination requirements.

* NJCU does not grant the CFA® designation. The charter is granted by the CFA Institute (formerly called the Association for Investment Management and Research) after completion of three levels of self-study, each culminating in an examination. You must pass each level sequentially, and fulfill other requirements of the program, before earning the right to use the CFA® designation.

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Master of Science in Finance Program Course Requirements

Core Courses

The core MSF courses are:

- Financial Accounting
- Quantitative Methods
- Managerial Economics
- Corporate Financial Management
- Financial Statement Analysis
- Financial Modeling

Additional classes for specializations:

- **For students pursuing the specialization in Professional Financial Planning:**
 - Foundations of Professional Financial Planning
 - Risk Management and Insurance Planning
 - Investment Planning and Portfolio Analysis
 - Tax Planning for Individuals and Businesses
 - Retirement Planning and Employee Benefits
 - Estate Planning
 - Master of Science in Finance Capstone
- **For students pursuing the specialization in Financial Analysis and Portfolio Management:**
 - Investment Planning and Portfolio Analysis
 - Ethical and Professional Standards
 - Equity Analysis
 - Debt Analysis
 - Derivatives and Alternative Assets
 - Advanced Portfolio Management
 - Master of Science in Finance Capstone
- **For students pursuing the specialization in Financial Management:**
 - Accounting for Entities
 - Behavioral Issues and Ethics in Management
 - Decision Theory
 - Accounting for Managers
 - Working Capital Management
 - Global Strategic Management
 - Master of Science in Finance Capstone

For all specializations, a capstone course that consists of either a Master's thesis or project is the final course in your program.

If your undergraduate degree is not in business, you may need to take certain courses to prepare you for the Master of Science curriculum. Undergraduate accounting, economics, managerial finance, and pre-calculus for business are among those courses. In addition, the Master of Science in Finance requires good writing skills, and both technological and information literacy.

When you have your interview with an advisor, he or she will help you assess your background. With proper preparation, you are on your way to successful completion.

Admissions

To apply for admission to our Master of Science degree in Finance, call **201-200-2266** or email **roverton@njcu.edu** to receive an admissions packet. You must complete the following:

- Graduate Studies application
- Application for matriculation
- Have your previous university(ies) send a copy(ies) of your transcript(s)
- Write a 250-500 word essay
- Provide two letters of recommendation
- GMAT (forward results to NJCU)

Undergraduate GPA (minimum 2.75 GPA), career achievement, your score on the GMAT, references, a personal interview and your essay will all be considered in evaluating your application.



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