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## Global Finance

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5<sup>th</sup>   
in the UK

Financial Times  
European Business School  
Rankings 2023

12  
modules

online

24 months  
duration

# The MSc in Global Finance

All the academic rigour and support of a master's from Bayes Business School

combined with the flexibility and convenience of online study

## OVERVIEW

The MSc Global Finance is a part-time online course, to be completed within 24 months. There are two intakes per year in February and September.

Benefits:

- Earn a master's degree from a leading global business school
- No relocation costs or visa requirements
- No need for a career break: continue working while you study at home, at work or on the move anywhere in the world
- Develop career-enhancing knowledge and practical skills
- Study a master's designed by top faculty from Bayes Business School who are leaders in their fields
- High levels of academic and practical support
- Learn with other professionals from all over the globe
- All students are full members of Bayes Business School community. On completing the degree, you will be invited to our graduation event in London. You will also join our extensive alumni network spread across 160 countries offering lifelong benefits.

## LEARNING AND ASSESSMENT

Our approach ensures that our learners never feel isolated. You're as much a part of Bayes Business School as you would be if you were on campus and we support you every step of the way.

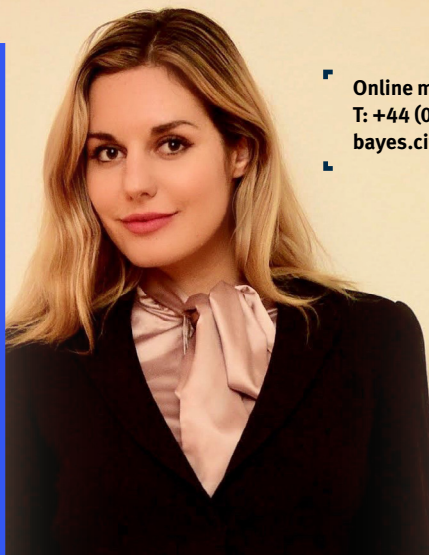
- Each module is broken down into convenient weekly topics
- Each topic features video lectures made exclusively for this course, online readings and materials, class discussions, activities where you test and apply your new knowledge and webinars where you can ask questions and get feedback on your work
- All modules are taught by Bayes Business School faculty
- Interact and learn with other online students around the world
- Each module is assessed by coursework which you receive and submit online – no need to travel for exams
- Our bespoke online interface is intuitive and easy to use
- A dedicated Course Officer is on hand to help you with practical support
- Core readings and further resources are available through our online library portal
- Use our campus facilities when you are in London.

**“You're exposed to very high quality professors who can provide you with both academic and industry insights. They are very well-connected in the city of London and within industry, so they will advise you how things are done in practice.”**

Tiago Pinheiro, London-based MSc in Global Finance graduate (class of '22)

**“In my career, I work with a variety of different financial instruments. Studying this Masters has deepened my knowledge - whereas before there were principles which I might not have grasped right away, now I can appreciate them and connect them to my work. It’s resulted in a great improvement in my performance.”**

Valeria Radchenko,  
Swiss-based MSc in Global Finance student



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## ROUTES TO BUSINESS SUCCESS

The MSc Global Finance has the potential to open up global career opportunities for you in a rapidly changing and ever more complex business environment. It equips you with a combination of high-level interpersonal skills, in-depth knowledge and analytical skills.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is designed so that you can manage the workload alongside your professional and domestic commitments.

- Complete within 24 months
- 12 modules. You study one module at a time and each module runs for a manageable seven weeks
- Start when most convenient for you, with intakes in February and September
- Study with breaks between every other module, with free time during the summer and at the end of the calendar year
- The modules are designed to give you in-depth knowledge of the key areas of global finance today.

## MODULES

The first six modules provide fundamental financial theory. You will then choose six further elective modules which will allow you to focus on specialist knowledge in key areas of the financial sector.

- Foundations of Finance
- Bond and Equity Analysis
- Corporate Finance
- Financial Statement Analysis
- International Banking
- Asset Management

Electives (You will study 6)

- Investment Strategy
- Derivatives and Risk Management
- Alternative Investments
- The Insurance Industry
- Global Real Estate.
- Sustainable Finance
- Python for Finance
- Blockchain, Cryptocurrencies and Decentralised Finance
- Macroeconomics and International Finance

## POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA AND POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE

Our Diploma and Certificate options work as standalone qualifications. Students can also convert to the full MSc programme during their studies if they wish. The Diploma consists of eight modules and is completed over a maximum of 18 months. The Certificate consists of four modules and is completed over a maximum of 12 months.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- An undergraduate degree in a relevant subject area equivalent to a UK 2.1 or higher
- Strong communication skills including a well-balanced IELTS score of 6.5 with no less than 6.0 in any section for applicants whose first language is not English.
- Good levels of financial literacy and numeracy are essential. In addition, knowledge of the finance industry would be beneficial.

There is no GMAT requirement for this course.

## TRIPLE-CROWN ACCREDITATION

Bayes Business School is among the global elite of business schools that hold the gold standard of ‘triple-crown’ accreditation from the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), the Association of MBAs (AMBA) and the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS). We are consistently ranked among the best business schools and programmes in the world which, coupled with over 50 years at the leading edge of research and business education, enables us to attract some of the best academics, students and businesses worldwide into our exclusive community.



**“The online learning environment is easy to use and constructed in a very professional way. It allows me to make greater use of my time by downloading the content to my mobile devices and studying whilst I travel for my career.”**

Thomas Bratner,  
Norwegian-based MSc in Global Finance student

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