

Dual MBA/MSF (Master of Business Administration / Master of Science in Finance)

The student must be admitted to both the MBA program and the MSF program. University policy on dual degrees stipulates that a maximum of 50% of the credit hours for the shorter program may be counted toward both degrees. Therefore, the MBA/MSF degree requires a total of 73 units: the 55 units of MBA course work, to include 18 units of Finance electives, plus an additional 18 units of required Finance courses. This dual degree program is a five semester program, with graduation in August or December.

In summary:

MBA Degree requirements: 55 units of course work

MSF Degree requirements: 36 (30 units of coursework plus a 6-unit summer project

or 36 units of coursework)

However: 50% (18 units) of Finance course work can be counted toward the MBA

Therefore, to receive the dual degree, the following are required:

• For the MBA degree –

37 units of course work taken from the MBA core and elective curriculum 18 units of Finance electives (not including FIN 510, but to include FIN 909 if Option 1 below is chosen) 55 units meets requirement for the MBA degree

For the MBA/MSF degree – In addition to the above,

18 units in Finance (not including FIN 510)

Option 1: 12 units in Finance coursework (not including FIN 510), plus

6 units of MSF Project coursework (FIN 909)

Option 2: 18 units in Finance coursework (not including FIN 510)

Total Units: 73

The following list identifies the Finance courses available to meet the 36 units for completion of the MSF degree program. Specific courses required for the MSF degree depend on the chosen track of study—Corporate Finance or Investment Management/CFA (MSF Tracks webpage). If completing the MSF project, 6 units of FIN909, the credits will count towards both the MSF and MBA degrees.

Fall	Spring
FIN 512: Corporate Finance FIN 513. Valuation Modeling FIN 516: Fin'l Statemt Analysis for Inv Mmgt FIN 521: Investment Analysis FIN 522: Derivatives FIN 523A: Applied Portfolio Management FIN 536: Entrepreneurial Finance FIN 542: Fixed Income FIN 552: Special Topics: Behavioral Finance	FIN 514: International Finance FIN 523B: Applied Portfolio Management FIN 524: Applied Risk Management FIN 525: Empirical Finance Methods FIN 526: Portfolio Management Theory FIN 531: Financial Intermediaries FIN 532: Corporate Finance Strategy FIN 560: Real Estate Finance
Summer Project Option: FIN 909: Master's Report/Project (6 units)	