

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN FINANCE

Whether your interests lie in the corporate finance arena or personal finance, you know that the financial landscape is forever changing. Through coursework that spans investments, portfolio management, financial markets, and strategy, you'll develop the knowledge and skills to gain a competitive edge in the dynamic global financial marketplace. Lubar academic faculty and experienced financial practitioners will lead you in developing your knowledge base and analytical skills to work successfully with decision makers and advance your career.

*This program can be completed as a standalone certificate or in combination with a master's degree program.*

## Curriculum

Students who wish to earn a Graduate Certificate in Finance must complete the required 15 graduate credit hours with an overall GPA of 3.00 or better. The curriculum consists of five required courses:

### Required Core Courses (12 Credits)

**BUS ADM 771** Investments

**BUS ADM 772** Portfolio Management

**BUS ADM 775** Financial Strategy

**BUS ADM 778** Financial Institutions and Markets

### Elective Courses (3 Credits)

Choose one from the following:

**BUS ADM 774** Global Financial Management

**BUS ADM 779** Fixed Income Securities

Students may enter the program in the summer, fall, or spring semester. A maximum of one three-credit course from another college or university may be considered for transfer to the Certificate program. There is a time limit of three years from initial enrollment for completion of the Certificate program.

## Admission

Those who wish to enroll in the Certificate program must, at a minimum, have completed a bachelor's degree with an overall GPA of 2.75 or better. Students may apply to the Graduate School for the certificate program alone, or they may pursue the certificate in combination with the MBA program or MS in Management program at the Lubar College of Business.

Admission to the Certificate program requires transcripts before the application can be processed. Transcripts must be sent directly to the Graduate School, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, P.O. Box 340, Milwaukee, WI 53201, from the institution. The Graduate School needs only the transcript of the highest degree earned. The application is online at **graduateschool-apply.uwm.edu**.

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