

# STRATHCLYDE BUSINESS SCHOOL

## DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

### FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT

**Master of Science in Finance and Management**  
**Postgraduate Diploma in Finance and Management**  
**Postgraduate Certificate in Finance and Management**

*These regulations are to be read in conjunction with the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).*

#### **Admission**

1. Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#), applicants shall possess:
  - i. a first or second class Honours degree of a United Kingdom University, in a relevant area (Finance, Accounting, Economics, Business Studies, Mathematics, Statistics or Computing); or
  - ii. a qualification deemed by the Programme Director acting on behalf of Senate to be equivalent to i. above.
2. In all cases, applicants whose first language is not English, shall be required to demonstrate an appropriate level of English.

#### **Duration of Study**

3. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

#### **Mode of Study**

4. The programme is available by full-time study.

#### **Curriculum**

5. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:
  - i. for the Postgraduate Certificate no fewer than 60 credits from the curriculum
  - ii. for the Postgraduate Diploma no fewer than 120 credits from the curriculum
  - iii. for the degree of MSc no fewer than 180 credits including all the compulsory modules and a dissertation or project

#### **Compulsory Modules**

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
AG910	Principles of Finance	5	20
AG911	Accounting and Financial Analysis	5	20
AG912	International Financial Markets & Banking	5	20
MG931	Business Strategy	5	10
MG934	Professional Management Practice	5	20

Students must choose 50 credits from the following including at least 10 credits from list A and 10 credits from list B.

**List A**

<b>Module Code</b>	<b>Module Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credits</b>
AG917	Topics in Corporate Finance	5	10
AG916	Behavioural Finance	5	10
AG929	Derivatives	5	10
AG937	Fixed Income Analysis	5	10
AG9XX	Textual Analytics for Accounting and Finance	5	10
AG938	Equity Analysis	5	10

**List B**

<b>Module Code</b>	<b>Module Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credits</b>
EC936	Games of Strategy	5	10
MG831	Commercial Management in Projects	5	10
MG861	Project Management	5	10
MG870	Digital Transformation	5	10
MG872	Strategic Thinking for Global Challenges & Opportunities	5	10
MG874	The Game Changer	5	10
MG931	Business Strategy	5	10
MG936	Strategic Financial Management	5	10
MG938	New Venture Creation	5	10
MG956	Brand Management & Strategy	5	10
MG961	Global Business Environment	5	20
MS976	Service Operations & Simulation	5	10
MG955	Managing in Europe (Toulouse)	5	10

Or other modules approved by the Programme Director.

Not all optional modules on this list will be available in each academic year.

**Students for the degree of MSc only:**

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
AG941	Finance Project	5	20
MG841	Management Project	5	20

**Examination, Progress and Final Assessment**

6. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).
7. The final award will be based on performance in the examinations, coursework, the research projects where undertaken.

**Award**

8. **Degree of MSc:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of the MSc in Finance and Management, a candidate must have performed to the satisfaction of the Board of Examiners and must have accumulated no fewer than 180 credits, of which 40 must have been awarded in respect of the projects AG941 and MG841.
9. **Postgraduate Diploma:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in Finance and Management, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 120 credits from the taught modules of the programme.
10. **Postgraduate Certificate:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in Finance and Management, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 60 credits from the taught modules of the programme.