

Master of Financial Analysis (MFINA)

To qualify for the Master of Financial Analysis a student must be credited with:

- (a) a minimum of 180 points towards the qualification; and
- (b) the courses listed in Schedule C to these regulations.
- (c) 15 points at 400-level or 600-level, as approved by Tumuaki Tari | Head of the Department of Economics and Finance.

The time limit for this qualification is 48 months (part-time or full-time).

To be admitted to the Master of Financial Analysis a student must have:

- (a) either:
 - i. qualified for an Aotearoa New Zealand university degree with at least a B- Grade Point Average in 300-level courses or equivalent; or
 - ii. been admitted with Academic Equivalent Standing as the holder of such a degree; and
- (b) been approved as a student for the degree by the Amo Matua, Umanga | Executive Dean of Business or delegate.

NOTE: Given the quantitative nature of the programme, we recommend it for students with numerical aptitude

Suggested Plan: MFINA- Use the following table to plan your degree.

NB - Full time study is considered to be 120 points per year

STUDENTS COMMENCING FEBRUARY 2027

Year 1 FEB 2027	MBAZ 601 15 points	MBAZ 602 15 points	MBAZ 603 15 points	MFIN 604 15 points	MFIN 601 15 points	MFIN 602 15 points	MFIN 605 15 points	FINC 672 15 points
	Semester One				Semester Two			
Year 2 FEB 2028	MFIN 673 15 points	MFIN 674 15 points	FINC 671 15 points	Elective 15 points				
	Semester One							

STUDENTS COMMENCING JULY 2027

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					Semester Two			
Year 2 FEB 2028	MFIN 601 15 points	MFIN 602 15 points	MFIN 604 15 points	FINC 671 15 points	MFIN 673 15 points	MFIN 674 15 points	MFIN 605 15 points	Elective 15 points
	Semester One				Semester Two			

Schedule C (must do all these courses)					
Course Code	Course Title	Prerequisite	Points	Level	2027
FINC671	Current topics in Finance	MBAZ602 and MBAZ603, or HOD approval	15	9	S1
FINC672	Professional Development for Finance	-	15	8	S1, S2
MBAZ601	Accounting for Managers	-	15	8	S1, S2
MBAZ602	Business Economics	-	15	8	S1, S2
MBAZ603	Managerial Finance	-	15	8	S1, S2
MFIN601	Corporate Finance	MBAZ601 & MBAZ603	15	8	S1, S2
MFIN602	Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management	MBAZ601 & MBAZ603	15	8	S1, S2
MFIN604	Quantitative Analysis	-	15	8	S1
MFIN605	Financial Risk Management	MBAZ601 & MBAZ603	15	8	S2
MFIN673	Portfolio Management	MFIN601 & MFIN602 + either MFIN604 or MBA604	15	9	S1, S2
MFIN674	Financial Decision Making	MFIN601 & MFIN602 + either MFIN604 or MBA604	15	9	S1, S2

Schedule E (choose 15 points)					
Course Code	Course Title	Prerequisite	Points	Level	2027
XXXXXX	Any 400 or 600 level course approved by HOD Economics and Finance	-	15		

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