

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes](#).

BA Business Finance with Placement Year (N300)

1. This programme is available at Queen's Campus, in a full-time mode of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

| | | Credit value |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Foundations of Finance # | ECOS1011 | 20 |
| Introduction to Economics # | ECOS1031 | 20 |
| Introduction to Financial Accounting # | ECOS1081 | 20 |
| Quantitative Methods # | ECOS1101 | 20 |
| People, Management and Organisations | BUSS1141 | 20 |

3. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List A:

| List A: | | Credit value |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Introduction to Management Accounting | ECOS1151 | 20 |
| Personal Finance | ECOS1021 | 20 |

Level 2 (Diploma)

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

| | | Credit value |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Corporate Finance # | ECOS2011 | 20 |
| Macroeconomics and International Finance for Business | ECOS2131 | 20 |
| Microeconomics for Business | ECOS2121 | 20 |
| Introduction to Financial Econometrics # | ECOS2161 | 20 |
| Financial Markets and Risk Management | ECOS2141 | 20 |

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List B:

| List B: | | Credit value |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Practice of Marketing | ECOS2151 | 20 |
| Organisational Behaviour | BUSS2081 | 20 |
| Operations Management | BUSS2031 | 20 |
| Management Accounting | BUSS2061 | 20 |
| Corporate Financial Reporting | BUSS2071 | 20 |
| Information Systems | BUSS2011 | 20 |
| Auditing and Accounting Information Systems | BUSS2091 | 20 |
| Introduction to Taxation | BUSS2151 | 20 |
| Language modules to the value of 20 credits subject to the approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies | | 20 |

Year 3 (Placement)

6. Candidates will undertake an approved work placement of not less than 40 weeks or an approved study placement in an overseas University. Combinations of study and work placements will also be possible. Candidate progress will be assessed at threshold level by continuous assessment of the candidate's performance during the placement and a final report. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of the degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BA Business Finance with Placement Year:

Level 3 (Degree)

7. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

Credit value

2011-2012

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|----|
| Dissertation | ECOS3032 | 40 |
| Financial Theory and Corporate Policy | ECOS3241 | 20 |
| Security Investment Analysis | ECOS3261 | 20 |

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List C:

| List C: | | Credit value |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Financial Econometrics | ECOS3221 | 20 |
| Empirical Finance * | ECOS3231 | 20 |
| International and Multinational Finance | ECOS3211 | 20 |
| Financial Engineering | ECOS3251 | 20 |
| Strategy and International Business ⊖ | BUSS3181 | 20 |
| Corporate Governance ⊖ | BUSS3101 | 20 |
| Contemporary Issues in Financial Accounting ⊖ | BUSS3051 | 20 |
| Financial Planning and Control ⊖ | BUSS3061 | 20 |
| Elements of Business Transformation ⊖ | BUSS3081 | 20 |
| Marketing Research ⊖ | BUSS3161 | 20 |
| Behavioural Finance ⊖ | ECOS3331 | 20 |

Assessment, progression and award

9. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the ordinary degree at the next Level.
10. Modules marked with a ⊖ cannot be taken in conjunction with each other.
11. Modules marked with a * are not available in 2011-2012.

Professional accreditation

12. Durham Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) until Dec 2013.