

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

### **BA Business Finance with Business Placement (N301)**

1. This programme is available at Queen's Campus, in a full-time mode of study.
2. The last intake of students for this programme was October 2013.

#### **Level 1 (Certificate)**

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

		<b>Credit value</b>
Foundations of Finance #	<a href="#">ECOS1011</a>	20
Introduction to Economics #	<a href="#">ECOS1031</a>	20
Introduction to Financial Accounting #	<a href="#">ECOS1081</a>	20
Quantitative Methods #	<a href="#">ECOS1101</a>	20
People, Management and Organisations	<a href="#">BUSS1141</a>	20
Introduction to Management Accounting	<a href="#">ECOS1151</a>	20

#### **Level 2 (Diploma)**

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

		<b>Credit value</b>
Corporate Finance #	<a href="#">ECOS2011</a>	20
Macroeconomics and International Finance	<a href="#">ECOS2131</a>	20
Microeconomics	<a href="#">ECOS2121</a>	20
Introduction to Financial Econometrics #	<a href="#">ECOS2161</a>	20
Financial Markets and Risk Management	<a href="#">ECOS2141</a>	20

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

<b>List A:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Operations Management	<a href="#">BUSS2031</a>	20
Management Accounting	<a href="#">BUSS2061</a>	20
Corporate Financial Reporting	<a href="#">BUSS2071</a>	20
Information Systems	<a href="#">BUSS2011</a>	20
Auditing and Assurance	<a href="#">BUSS2091</a>	20
Introduction to Taxation	<a href="#">BUSS2151</a>	20
Entrepreneurship	<a href="#">BUSS2201</a>	20
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study	-	20

#### **Year 3 (Placement)**

6. Candidates will undertake an approved work placement of not less than 40 weeks. They must have successfully completed 240 credits at Levels 1 and 2 to progress to the placement. 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 Business Placement.

### Level 3 (Degree)

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

		<b>Credit value</b>
Dissertation	<a href="#">ECOS3032</a>	40
Financial Theory and Corporate Policy	<a href="#">ECOS3241</a>	20
Security Investment Analysis	<a href="#">ECOS3261</a>	20

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

<b>List C:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Financial Econometrics	<a href="#">ECOS3221</a>	20
International and Multinational Finance	<a href="#">ECOS3211</a>	20
Financial Engineering	<a href="#">ECOS3251</a>	20
Strategic Management $\Theta$	<a href="#">BUSS3261</a>	20
Corporate Governance $\Theta$	<a href="#">BUSS3101</a>	20
Contemporary Issues in Financial Accounting $\Theta$	<a href="#">BUSS3051</a>	20
Financial Planning and Control $\Theta$	<a href="#">BUSS3061</a>	20
Behavioural Finance $\Theta$	<a href="#">ECOS3331</a>	20
Corporate Entrepreneurship	<a href="#">BUSS3271</a>	20
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study	-	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  $\Theta$  cannot be taken in conjunction with each other.
11. Candidates who fail to achieve the standard required under the Core Regulations for progression to Level 3 of the BA Business Finance with Business Placement may progress to Level 3 of the BA Business Finance in the Honours or Ordinary stream in accordance with the Core regulations.

### Professional accreditation

12. Durham University Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) for a period of three years from 2014 and by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for a period of five years from 2013.