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MSc Management (Finance) (N2P209)

1. This programme is available at Durham City in a full-time (12 months) mode of study.

Admissions

2. English language requirements: Candidates whose first language is not English will normally be required to demonstrate proficiency in the English language by possessing a recent English language test score of 7.0 or above in IELTS (with no element below 6.0), or an equivalent qualification.

Level 4 (Degree)

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

		Credit Value
Strategy ~	BUSI42115	15
Business Economics and Accounting ~	ACCT50115	15
Organisational Behaviour ~	BUSI4V815	15
Fundamentals of Finance ~	ECON48815	15
Financial Management ~+	ECON54615	15
Corporate Finance for Managers ~+	ECON49015	15
EITHER Research Methods and Dissertation ~	BUSI4I460	60
OR Research Methods and Dissertation (International) (Management - Finance) ~	BUSI4N860	60

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in the modules to the value of 30 credits from List A below (only a selection of these modules will be available each year):

List A		Credit Value
Consulting	BUSI45J15	15
Corporate Governance	ACCT40915	15
Decision Making and Business Modelling	BUSI4G215	15
East Asian Business and Management	BUSI5A815	15
Employee Reward Strategy	BUSI49Z15	15
Ethical Leadership	PHIL41515	15
Financial Planning and Control	ACCT40415	15
Financial Technologies I	ECON40B15	15
Global Business	BUSI5G815	15
Global Sport Business	BUSI4Q515	15
International Study Tour	BUSI47Z15	15
The Science of Leadership	BUSI44U15	15
Multinational Finance	ECON48715	15
Mergers and Acquisitions (MSc Management)	ECON49115	15
New Venture Creation (MSc)	BUSI5C715	15
Society and Sustainability	PHIL41615	15
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study	-	20

Assessment, progression and award

5. Modes of assessment will include written examinations, coursework and group presentations.
6. There will be an assessment period in January/February for modules that are delivered in Term 1.
7. Candidates who have failed modules which are assessed in the January/February and/or May/June assessment period shall normally be required to resit all failed modules in the following August assessment period. Candidates whose failed modules are worth 30 or more credits may however elect to defer the submission of their dissertation until January of the following year.
8. Candidates will normally be permitted to take one or two of their optional modules via part-time delivery (as offered on the MA Management programme) (provided the permitted duration on the programme will not be exceeded) and be assessed in accordance with the assessment specified in the relevant module outline(s); such candidates may be unable to complete the programme within the normal timescale.
9. Candidates must submit a dissertation of not more than 12,000 words. Candidates who fail the dissertation on first submission in September may resubmit the following January/February as an alternative to the next normal occasion.
10. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated. Of the two modules marked ~+, at least one must be passed at 50% or above.
11. Modules marked with a * are not available in 2021/22.
12. Candidates who select a CFLS credit-bearing language module must select 185 credits in total.