Finance Graduate Concentration

for the Finance Concentration

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Graduate Degree Programs in Finance

Majors
Finance, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/finance-ms/)
optional concentrations for the Finance, MS:
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- Corporate Governance & International Business (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/corporate-governance-international-business/)
- Data Analytics in Finance (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/finance/data-analytics-finance/)
- Information Technology & Control (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/information-technology-control/)
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optional concentration for the Financial Engineering, MS: Data Analytics in Finance (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/finance/data-analytics-finance/)
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Concentrations
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Admission
Students in the MAS or MSA programs who are interested in the concentration should consult with their program advisor to determine if the concentration is appropriate. Students may also email finance@illinois.edu for more information.

for the degree of Master of Accounting Science in Accountancy, Finance Concentration

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### Finance Concentration Requirements

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### Other Requirements

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1 Alternative Finance course offerings may be substituted if approved by a program advisor.