



# FINANCE

“You will gain an expanded understanding of financial concepts and techniques, investments and securities, and ethics of financial industries.”

## Summer 2018 Finance Certificate Program

Do you know how to manage budgets, carefully invest money, and analyze financial decisions? In short, are you prepared to make informed financial decisions for both your professional career and your personal life?

### What's in it for you?

- Earn a certificate that employers value.
- Differentiate yourself from other students.
- Take charge of the rest of your financial life.
- Helps you create value in any business, non-profit or government organization.
- Broaden your learning experiences and professional opportunities by providing training in financial topics and analysis.
- Guaranteed registration in summer finance certificate elective courses.
- Complete the finance certificate electives quickly just one summer of finance coursework.
- Spend much of the summer out of Tucson. Face-to-face instruction on campus during Summer I only.

### Next Steps

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- Request Information
- APPLY

### How do you know this program is right for you?

- You have a strong GPA (2.5 or higher).
- Small class sizes and individual faculty instruction.
- Complete the finance certificate courses in one summer.
- Completing a major with financial services and entrepreneurial interests.

*The 9-unit program is designed so that all admitted students will complete the program in one summer.*

### Application Timeline

Early Application Deadline: **November 9, 2017**

Final Application Deadline: **March 2, 2018**

Packages\* include:

- Application form
- Resume
- Essay

\*Each item is limited to one page.

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## Admission

Admission to the program is competitive. Applications are accepted during the spring semester.

The final application deadline is **Friday, March 2, 2018** for **2018 admission**.

Applicants will be notified by the end of April of the admission decision. Several criteria will be considered in the application process: your application essay, grade point average, class standing, resume, etc.

## Open to Eller undergraduate majors

With prior approval, you may take all four finance summer electives for the certificate program.

Check with the Eller Finance Advisor for approval.

Finance Certificate will appear on your UA transcript when awarded.

## Curriculum

### Prior to Finance Coursework

- College Algebra or Higher
- ECON 200. Basic Economic Issues
- ACCT 250. Survey of Accounting, or ACCT 200. Intro to Financial Accounting

### You will need to obtain a seat in these classes through UAccess.

- FIN 311. Introduction to Finance, or FIN 360. Quantitative Finance Methods

Students will complete three of the following four finance elective courses offered during Summer I and Summer II sessions.

### Summer Session I

- FIN 301. Principles of Financial Management (on-campus)
- FIN 302. Personal Investing (on-campus)

### Summer Session II

- FIN 303. Small Business Finance (online-Connect from anywhere)
- FIN 304. Real Estate Principles (online-Connect from anywhere)

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