

FINANCE (BMFN)

ABSTRACT

Maryland Smith's Master of Finance program gives you the advanced skills you'll need to launch an exciting career in finance.

- Explore key finance concepts and learn the latest industry technologies, such as Python and R
- Combine the theories you learn in class with projects and experiences that mirror what you'll do in the workplace
- Learn useful skills that can prepare you to take the Certified Financial Analyst (CFA) and the Financial Risk Manager (FRM) exams
- Gain career insights from Maryland Smith's finance career coaches and professors with years of relevant business experience

Financial Assistance

Financial aid is available to qualified students in the form of fellowships, graduate assistantships, and scholarships.

Contact

Program information is available online at <http://www.rhsmith.umd.edu>. Please contact us at:

MBA/MS Admissions

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ADMISSIONS

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Essay
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/>))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

- Letter of Recommendation (1)
- Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) or Graduate Record Examination (GRE)
- CV/Resume

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Type of Applicant	Fall Deadline
Domestic Applicants	
US Citizens and Permanent Residents	August 7, 2026

International Applicants

F (student) or J (exchange visitor) March 13, 2026
visas, E, G, H, I and L visas and immigrants

RESOURCES AND LINKS:

Other Deadlines: rhsmith.umd.edu/apply (<https://www.rhsmith.umd.edu/apply/>)

Application Process: gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying/>)

REQUIREMENTS

- Finance, Master of Finance (M.Fin.) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/finance-bmfn/finance-mfn/>)

FACILITIES AND SPECIAL RESOURCES

The Office of Career Services (OCS) provides dedicated, professional support to help students launch their careers. The center links students directly to recruiters through a variety of services, including on- and off-campus recruitment and the online resume database. The OCS also participates in regional and national career forums and job fairs.

The Smith School is located in the Baltimore/Washington, D.C./Northern Virginia corridor. This region offers one of the highest concentrations of culture, diversity, and career opportunities in the country.

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