

MSc Finance and Investment



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Develop a range of advanced skills to help you manage challenges in the finance sector. You will have the opportunity to improve your knowledge of the area and increase your confidence.

As a truly global institution, BSBI is constantly striving to bring new opportunities and challenges to its students. Our mission is to help you grow in your studies and career. Thus, in this course you will learn a variety of core topics such as financial analysis, corporate finance, quantitative finance and financial markets, making sure that you have a fundamental understanding of how to be effective in this complex field.

Key Facts

Duration: 18 months

Intakes: February, October



“I chose BSBI because the school is innovative – it has different techniques and different methods of teaching which I like.”

Regez Rashdan, BSBI student

This 18 month MSc Finance & Investment programme consists of four terms. During its first three terms the programme will cover fundamental topics such as business and financial analysis, corporate finance, and financial markets. Students will also attend modules on academic research methods, and you will study the German language alongside your master's degree subjects. On your final term, you will research and prepare a dissertation on a topic of your choice.

Modules

- Corporate Finance
- Business and Financial Analysis
- Study Methods
- Derivatives and Alternative Investments
- Quantitative Finance and Financial Markets
- Islamic Banking Operations
- Mergers and Acquisitions and Private Equity
- Research Methodology
- German Language Studies

Upon successfully completing the course, you will be able to:

- Evaluate critical arguments and information to frame appropriate questions and make judgements regarding solutions to problems related to financial and investment markets.
- Apply professional standards in design, presentation, and writing to clearly communicate your ideas to both specialist and non-specialist audiences.
- Plan and manage your own learning making appropriate use of professional networks, publications, and research sources.



What will you experience?

BSBI has your professional success at heart. Our modern teaching methods and lectures will equip you with the necessary tools to overcome future challenges in the business world and become a leader in digital marketing industry. To do that we feature top German and UK industry professionals as some of our lecturers, and we also welcome faculty from all over Europe. All students have the option to learn the German language.

Why study this course?

At BSBI, we take a sincere interest in your professional development and growth. This MSc degree is tailored to develop the most relevant skills and knowledge for the finance and investments sector. You will acquire practical, modern know-how in financial markets and investments, increasing your employability and boosting your career.

Who should take this course?

Our college attracts candidates with visions of becoming future business leaders on the global stage. Thus, proactive and ambitious candidates who are motivated to acquire the academic and practical skills needed for understanding the financial world are ideal candidates for this 18-month degree programme.

Career Progression

The MSc Finance & Investment will prepare you for a variety of roles within the finance sector, such as investment analyst, investment manager and portfolio manager.

Our memberships:





Entry Requirements

Minimum age: 21 years old

Academic qualifications: Strong undergraduate degree from a recognised university. If you do not meet the academic requirements, you may be assessed on relevant work experience. You must have at least 3 years of management experience.

English Language

- IELTS Academic – minimum OS 6.0 (with min 5.5 in each component) or equivalent test (i.e. Password Test, PTE, TOEFL IBT)
- Applicants who achieved a bachelor's degree or above* from a recognised university (according to NARIC), where the Method of Instruction was entirely in English (teaching and assessment) must submit a Medium of Instruction Letter.
- Canadian nationals who have completed a bachelor's degree at an English-speaking university must submit a Medium of Instruction Letter.
- West African Certificates (WAEC AND NECO only) with a minimum of C6 in English and issued within the last 5 years. Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) is also accepted with an overall grade C or above. For Tanzania and Cameroon, we request an IELTS (or equivalent certificate).
- Cambridge IGCSE, Cambridge AICE certificates
- International Baccalaureate Diploma can be accepted if: English Syllabus A: Standard or Higher Grade 4, or above and English Syllabus B: Standard Grade 5 or Higher Grade 4, or above.
- Nationals of a majority English speaking country who have taken their academic qualifications in that country do not need to sit an English test (Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Ireland, Jamaica, Malta, New Zealand, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, UK and USA).

*Above bachelor's degree can be postgraduate certificate, postgraduate diploma, master's degree, etc.

Admissions Process

Applying to study with BSBI has never been easier! Here's how it works:

1. Create an account here: start.berlinsbi.com/login
2. Select the programme and intake you would like to apply for.
3. Complete all sections of the online application.
4. Submit your application.
5. Our admissions team will liaise with you with regards to the next steps.

Once you have been accepted, you need to apply for a German student visa as soon as possible. To do this, you must:

- Make an appointment with the German embassy in your country and complete an application form (the administrative fees for this are usually around €60)
- Ensure that you provide all the correct documents to avoid being refused entry into the country. Your visa confirmation will take on average two to three months, depending on your country.

It should be noted that the student visa or 'Visum zu Studienwecken' only lasts for three to six months. For more information about the visa requirements you need to study in Germany visit: berlinsbi.com/international-student-guide

Delivery: On-campus

Fees: €8,000 (EU) | €12,000 (international)

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The School's admissions process is subject to the Consumer Contracts (Terms and Conditions). Information on your Right of Withdrawal and our Refund Policy can be found in the BSBI study agreement.

Berlin School of Business and Innovation (BSBI) is in partnership with the University for the Creative Arts (UCA), a Gold Standard institution under the Teaching Excellence and Student Outcomes Framework (TEF). As a result of this partnership, BSBI is able to offer this programme. UCA is an acclaimed creative institution in the UK that ranks highly in all three of the major UK league tables. The university has also been ranked 13th out of all UK universities in The Guardian League Table 2020.

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