

Course Information Sheet for entry in 2017-18

MSc Financial Economics

A full-time nine-month programme that provides outstanding training in the tools of financial economics sought by financial institutions, companies and public organisations. The MSc in Financial Economics combines a rigorous academic core with tailored practical applications, designed in consultation with leading financial recruiters.

The MSc in Financial Economics (MFE) is delivered through the University of Oxford's Saïd Business School. This means that, unlike other graduate courses, the programme features interactive classes, use of case studies, practitioner teaching, and proactive careers support.

Throughout the course, teaching stresses the links between financial economics theories and key finance activities. Topics are chosen in the economics courses for their relevance to finance. The MFE has been designed in close consultation with a panel of advisers from leading financial institutions. This panel has helped ensure that the choice and content of courses match the needs of employers. The panel continues to play an important role on the MFE, providing up-to-date practitioner advice on course content, supplying adjunct faculty and representing major recruiters.

The Oxford MSc Financial Economics course offers:

- pre-course training to become familiar with key concepts and techniques
- four core courses in asset pricing, economics, corporate finance and financial econometrics
- five electives chosen from a range that develop individual skills and specialisations. Electives on offer are subject to change from year to year depending on demand, however they may include:
 - Advanced Financial Econometrics
 - Asset Management
 - Behavioural Finance
 - Capital Raising and Finance
 - Cases in Finance and Investments
 - Competition and Regulation
 - Continuous Time Finance
 - Corporate Valuation
 - Emerging Market Finance
 - Financial Crisis and Risk Management
 - Fixed Income and Derivatives
 - Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructuring
 - Private Equity

The assessment regime is a flexible combination of examinations, assignments and individual projects.

Changes to courses

The University will seek to deliver each course in accordance with the descriptions set out above. However, there may be situations in which it is desirable or necessary for the University to make changes in course provision, either before or after registration. For further information, please see the University's Terms and Conditions.

Annual fees for entry in 2016-2017

Fee status	Tuition fee	College fee	Total annual fees
All students	£35,805	£3,021	£38,826

Deposit against University tuition fee

Demand for places on this course is extremely high. Therefore, as a condition of your offer, we must ask you to pay a deposit of £5,400, which represents approximately 15% of the total University tuition fee.

Living costs

In addition to your fees, you will need to ensure that you have adequate funds to support your living costs for the duration of your course.

The likely living costs for 2017-18 are published below. These costs are based on a single, full-time graduate student, with no dependants, living in Oxford. We provide the cost per month so you can multiply up by the number of months you expect to live in Oxford.

	Likely living costs for 1 month		Likely living costs for 9 months		Likely living costs for 12 months	
	Lower range	Upper range	Lower range	Upper range	Lower range	Upper range
Food	£250	£350	£2,250	£3,150	£3,000	£4,000
Accommodation	£538	£619	£4,844	£5,569	£6,459	£7,425
Personal items	£115	£255	£1,035	£2,295	£1,380	£3,060
Social activities	£40	£119	£358	£1,073	£477	£1,431
Study costs	£38	£83	£338	£743	£451	£991
Other	£22	£45	£196	£407	£261	£543
Total	£1,002	£1,471	£9,021	£13,237	£12,028	£17,649

More information about how these figures have been calculated is available at:
<http://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/graduate/fees-and-funding/living-costs>