The Chester MSc in International Finance

Manage your future with the Chester MSc

1 year full-time
2 years part-time
Take your career to the next level with the Chester MSc in International Finance

Are you ready to realise your potential in the international business arena? Whether you are a new graduate looking to move up to the next level of study, or are coming from industry, our MSc in International Finance will give you the skills to make your mark in the fast-paced field of international business.

Your financial focus will sit alongside the development of all-round management skills to give you the ability to influence all aspects of a business and its people.

Taking only a year to complete full-time, and taught by our highly qualified subject specialists, the MSc in International Finance offers the ideal stepping stone from undergraduate study to becoming a professional manager with an understanding of global business principles. This is especially so if you are coming from a non-business related degree and we welcome graduates from all disciplines.
Develop your potential

Our MSc aims to build your abilities to be innovative, dynamic and manage change through creative thinking and to become a key contributor to improving business performance.

Taught by highly qualified industry experienced academics and sitting alongside peers from a range of industries across the globe, you’ll enjoy a stimulating learning environment which will help you nurture your skills and understand finance from a wide range of viewpoints and experiences.

Why Choose the University of Chester Business School?

The MSc in International Finance is studied at our world-class business school on the banks of the River Dee in the heart of Chester. Its historic connections to Sir Winston Churchill, General Eisenhower and General De Gaulle, make it the ideal place for you to become one of the strategic decision makers and managers of the future. With a bespoke Postgraduate Study Centre and state of the art learning-zones, it offers excellent facilities for you – a multi-million-pound investment has guaranteed it!
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Our careers and employability team aim to give you the competitive edge to make you the main candidate in the jobs market. They will assist you with mock interviews, enhance your CV and help you with covering letters.

Graduating students may find attractive career opportunities within a wide range of businesses, at a management or junior management level. Typical first appointments could be in first line management and team leader roles within the areas of international finance or finance. Additionally, Students may choose to focus their career in a finance specific role such as a trainee chartered or certified accountant in a commercial, accountancy or consultancy business.

The Chester Experience

Not only will you enjoy the on-campus facilities, but you’ll be just five minutes from the breath-taking City of Chester where you can soak up its rich cultural heritage and sense of history. You will also be close to the larger cities of Liverpool and Manchester as well as the stunning scenery of the North Wales coast and mountains just a short journey away.

Chester is home to global businesses including KPMG, Bank of America, Airbus and Royal Bank of Scotland and our close industry links will provide you with a privileged insight into some of the world’s most successful businesses.

Entry Requirements

A minimum of a 2:2 honours degree in any discipline or the equivalent. Applicants without a degree, or with non-standard qualifications and or experience will be considered for entry and each application will be considered on its own merit.

Two intakes are offered per year in October and January.

“Coming from an engineering background the MSc is all new and exciting and it is great to now have the theory to go with my practical experience.”

Caio Campus Carvalho, from Brazil
Global Companies are based on the doorstep.

14,000 students from 110 countries have passed through our doors in the last five years.

91% of our students agreed that staff are enthusiastic about what they are teaching.*

Lilli Goddard

**Nationality:** British  
**Programme:** MSc Management with International Finance

**What do you enjoy about the programme?**

I am doing Finance which is slightly challenging but the lecturers are very good and extremely helpful and friendly. The amount of friends I’ve made is unreal! Everyone is so friendly which is important when you are part-time.

**What do you think of the city Chester?**

Chester has always been my closest city, so I know and love it well. Queen’s Park is a beautiful campus with lots of spaces to study like the library or postgraduate study centre and having such a modern place to study is motivating.

**Has the programme given you more confidence to go for your dream job?**

I’ve always had a thing for numbers and it is good to have a knowledge and understanding of finance. I am a Trainee Manager at the Faenol Fawr Hotel in Bodelwyddan, North Wales.

My first degree was in film and TV production and when I graduated I was offered a job by the hotel that I had worked for seven years. I wanted an academic qualification for my new career direction and the Hotel part-sponsored me to do my MSc part-time for two days per week whilst working 4 days a week. I love it. It puts everything in perspective because I am practically training towards my job.

I want to stay and use my knowledge to help the business and then maybe move on with experience to something bigger.
Further Information and Applications

In keeping with the mission statement of University of Chester and the Faculty’s commitment to widening access and participation, the Faculty of Business and Management offers a flexible entry system for mature students, and for students who possess non-standard entry qualifications.

The University of Chester is committed to the active promotion of equality of opportunity. Applications are particularly welcome from those groups currently under-represented in higher education. For a copy of our diversity and equality policy in admissions, please contact us at enquiries@chester.ac.uk

This document is available in larger formats upon request. Please email enquiries@chester.ac.uk for further details.

Take the next step to your management career and contact us today:

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Our Business School offers you an unforgettable MSc experience in the heart of the beautiful city of Chester. Take a look at our virtual tour and video to see our modern facilities:

www.chester.ac.uk/student-life/queens-park-campus/virtual-tour

www.chester.ac.uk/pg/international-finance