

DOUBLE DEGREE  
PROGRAMME!

# MASTER OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCE AND BANKING

## Awarded degrees:

- ➔ Professional Master's degree in **Finance** from **BA School of Business and Finance (EQF and LQF level 6)** and
- ➔ Professional Master's degree in **Business Administration** from **SBS Swiss Business School (MBA)**

**Qualification: Financial analyst**

## Length of studies:

**1.5 years** with professional (P) qualification or  
**2 years** with academic (A) qualification

**Schedule:** IV, V on evenings and VI, VII during the day,  
based on FLEX MBA principle – ideal for combining  
studies and work

## Language of studies: English

 **Study programme accredited till : 28.03.2029.**

**Aim:** to prepare highly qualified professional specialists for the leading positions in the fields of international business and finance in accordance with the requirements of the professional standard "Financial Analyst" and the interdisciplinary principle of the study programme.

**The programme is designed to equip students with global understanding, challenge and developments in a dynamic international finance, banking and business.**

## Graduation requirements:

- successful completion of the study programme
- internship
- thesis defense within the designated time period

**This unique double degree study programme is conducted in collaboration with SBS Swiss Business School**

- ➔ Receive two degrees through a single programme (MBA/ MFIN)
- ➔ An inspiring international study experience
- ➔ Swiss standard of education at an unmatched price

## Study courses of the field (practical and theoretical):


- Marketing Management
- New Venture Creation
- Risk Management
- Financial Management
- International Financial Institutions and Market
- Assets and Fund Management\*, etc.


## Study courses on research, innovation, design and management:

- Project Development and Management
- Digital transformation I
- Communication and Negotiation Skills
- Creative thinking\*
- Human Resource Management\*
- Intellectual Property\*
- Sustainable Leadership\*, etc.

\*elective courses



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## Skills of the programme graduates:

- ➔ able to manage organizations' and businesses' processes in accordance with the defined goals, effectively performing individually and in local and international teams;
- ➔ able to manage the company's finance and apply financial instruments, based on sustainable management principles, up-to-date innovation, and research achievements in the field of finance and related industry of operation;
- ➔ understanding current financial development trends and patterns, the ability to navigate financial processes, explain them, engage in reasoned discussions, and make decisions in accordance with the current situation.

## About Latvia

Latvia, located on the shores of the Baltic Sea, offers a unique blend of high-quality education, affordability, and vibrant multiculturalism. This country offers excellent education at comparatively low tuition fees and living costs, making it an attractive destination. The welcoming atmosphere encourages a diverse international student community, with abundant opportunities for research, internships, and post-study work. Latvia's rich culture, diverse landscapes, and complex history make it appealing for study, while it focus on innovation, technology, and sustainability also. Whether you're from the East or West, North or South, Latvia offers a truly unique environment where traditions from around the world converge, making it a pearl among the Baltic States.

## Living and accommodation facilities

- ➔ BA School of Business and Finance offers hostel facilities located in the same building as study rooms:
  - available washing and drying machines
- ➔ is only a 30 minutes walk to the city center and 40 minutes drive to the beach
- ➔ easy public transportation system, stores across the street
- ➔ free access to gym, library, 24/7 study rooms



## About SBS Swiss Business School

SBS is a management institution dedicated to preparing students for the careers of the global economy. We offer programmes, which specialize in International Management, Finance, Marketing and other fields.

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**BA School of Business and Finance** is a state accredited higher education institution located in Riga, Latvia

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