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The Managing Directors

OBJECTIVE

- FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS
- INTEREST RATE MODELS
- FINANCIAL DECISION MAKING
- ECONOMICS OF BANKING
- INSURANCE MATHEMATICS
- RISK MEASURES AND RATING SYSTEMS
- FINANCIAL STATISTICS
- COMPUTATIONAL METHODS IN FINANCE
AND MORE

AT A GLANCE

Degree/Title: Master of Science (M.Sc.)
Duration: 6 semesters (part-time)
Costs per Semester: 1,990 Euro + presently 102 Euro social fee
Fee for the Master’s Thesis: 500 Euro
Start: winter semester of each year (October)
Language: English

TARGET GROUP

The programme is aimed at graduates of mathematics programmes or graduates of other programmes whose initial degree had a significant mathematics component who want a more in-depth understanding of financial mathematics and to learn about the background, concepts and methods and are seeking a career in applied financial mathematics or research.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A graduate degree (Bachelor, Diploma or Master) and at least one year relevant professional work experience and a successful completion of module assessments in analysis and stochastics are mandatory. For applicants who have no graduate degree but at least four years relevant professional aptitude test is mandatory. Furthermore, applicants must have sufficient English proficiency.

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