

ADAM C. SINN '00 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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The Adam C. Sinn '00 Department of Finance (<https://mays.tamu.edu/departement-of-finance/>) offers Master of Science in Finance, Master of Real Estate (MRE), Master of Financial Management, Master of Science in Quantitative Finance, and Doctor of Philosophy degrees.

The Master of Science in Finance (MSF) "STEM to Stocks" program is a 36-hour, non-thesis degree that prepares non-finance undergraduate students for successful career launch in corporate/government, consulting/professional services, and financial services roles such as Asset Management, Commodities Trading, Corporate Banking, Corporate Finance, Investment Banking, Consulting, Private Equity, Project Management, and Wealth Management. The program is specifically designed for STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) and non-finance business and economics majors. Admission is available for current Texas A&M sophomores and seniors. For more information, visit <https://mays.tamu.edu/graduate/masters/4plus1/ms-finance/>.

The Master of Real Estate program prepares students to become innovative leaders who will shape where the world lives, works, and plays for the next 100 years. We strive to develop the whole student through a focus on Texas A&M's core values, including excellence, leadership, respect and selfless service. Our curriculum emphasizes a fundamental understanding of commercial real estate, hard skills for analysis and decision making, and an innovative mindset. Find out more at <http://mays.tamu.edu/master-of-real-estate> (<http://mays.tamu.edu/master-of-real-estate/>).

The Master of Financial Management (MFM) degree is designed to prepare students for leadership roles in finance, providing them with advanced knowledge and practical skills necessary for success in the finance industry. The MFM offers admission in fall, spring, and summer terms with multiple points of entry: (i) traditional post-graduation, (ii) admission to the Commercial Banking Program, (iii) admission to the Trading, Risk & Investments Program, and (iv) the Professional Program in Accounting. The MFM is open to all majors at Texas A&M University, as well as those from other universities.

The Master of Science in Quantitative Finance (MSQF) program is offered by the Adam C. Sinn '00 Department of Finance (<https://mays.tamu.edu/departement-of-finance/>) with the Department of Mathematics. The MSQF is a 36-hour, non-thesis degree which prepares students, especially STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) and finance majors for careers which require superior quantitative skills. These careers can include Complex Security Research, Data/Analytics, FinTech, Model Development, Portfolio Management, Quantitative Trading, Risk Management, and

Software Development. Admission is available to current Texas A&M sophomore, junior and senior students or non-Texas A&M graduates who have completed the prerequisites earning a grade of B or higher by the end of Texas A&M University – College Station Summer I Term. For more information, visit <https://mays.tamu.edu/graduate/masters/4plus1/ms-quantitative-finance/>.

The doctoral program in finance brings the PhD student to the leading edge of knowledge in the field. Rigorous coursework and research activities provide the student with an in-depth understanding of the theoretical, conceptual, and managerial foundations of finance. In addition to possessing a thorough and comprehensive knowledge of the field, students who successfully complete the doctoral program can demonstrate advanced competencies for conducting quality research, directing research of others, and communicating research findings through teaching and publication. For more information, visit <http://mays.tamu.edu/phd-finance> (<http://mays.tamu.edu/phd-finance/>).

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Masters

- Master of Financial Management in Financial Management (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/business/finance/mfm/>)
- Master of Land and Property Development and Master of Real Estate Combined Degree Program (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/architecture/landscape-architecture-urban-planning/combined-mlp-mre/>)
- Master of Real Estate in Land Economics and Real Estate (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/business/finance/mre/>)
- Master of Science in Finance (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/business/finance/ms/>)
- Master of Science in Quantitative Finance (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/colleges-schools-interdisciplinary/business/finance/quantitative-finance-ms/>)