Success Marker Courses *Data derived from ODU’s EAB partnership

The majority of students who successfully graduated with the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration — Finance degree earned the following grades or higher in the identified semesters:

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<th>COURSE</th>
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Minimum requirements for admission to the program:
— Complete application to the Strome College of Business (in the sophomore year).
— Step 1 requirements: C or better in BUSN 110, ENGL 110C, MATH 162M, ACCT 201, and ECON 202S; and, an up to date resume approved by the ODU Career Management Center.
— Step 2 requirements: earn a GPA of 2.00 in 12 credits of 300/400 level courses, of which 6 credits must be in the Business core, with a grade of C or better.

Areas of Employment:
Financial Advisor
Fraud Analyst
Operations Analyst
Loan Officer
Actuary
Business Intelligence Analyst
Data/Data Mining Analyst
Quantitative Analyst
Budget Analyst
Treasurer/Controller
Financial Manager
Underwriter
Compensation/Benefits Analyst
Financial Analyst
Risk Manager/Analyst
Auditor
Financial Examiner
Accounts Payable/Receivable Manager
General Manager
Administrative Manager
Fundraising Manager
Branch Manager
Collections Manager
Tax Manager
Payroll Specialist
Financial Reporting Manager
Compliance Analyst
Accountant
Tax Preparer
Loan Processor
Financial Aid/Loan Counselor
Pricing Analyst
Credit Analyst
Tax Specialist
Credit/Authorization/Checker/Clerk
Financial Services Sales Agent
Tax Analyst
Economist
Accounting Supervisor
Compliance Manager
Securities/Commodities Trader
Personal Banker/Banking Sales Staff
Mergers and Acquisitions Specialist
Grants Manager/Administrator
Brokerage Clerk

Parallel Plans (areas of study) for those interested in this major are:
- Economics (BSBA)
- Accounting
- Finance
- History
- International Studies

Salaries (based upon national data):
- Less than 1 year (142)
- 1-4 years (998)
- 5-9 years (664)
- 10-19 years (495)
- 20 years or more (230)

Currency: USD | Updated 6 June 2015 | Individuals Reporting: 2,529
Students admitted to the finance program can be expected to complete course requirements, which necessitate the physical and mental abilities listed below. Any student who thinks he/she does not possess one or more of the following skills should seek assistance from an academic counselor or faculty advisor and Educational Accessibility concerning any flexibility in program requirements and possible accommodation through technical aids and assistance.

1. Participate in class discussions and communicate effectively with different clientele.

2. Apply theoretical concepts and theories to practical financial problems such that creative and innovative solutions can be found and successfully executed.

3. Use and understand statistical techniques in a computer-based analytical package for simple and complex financial research analysis and interpretation.

4. Grasp and understand financial methods and analysis.

5. Comprehend or demonstrate a working knowledge of the interrelationships involved in a global economy and the effects on nations, organizations, and the individual.

6. Communicate effectively and in written documents that are correct in grammar, style and mechanics.

7. Function with computers to generate and acquire data.

**IMPORTANT RESOURCES**

**Academic Enhancement**
- [https://www.odu.edu/academicenhancement](https://www.odu.edu/academicenhancement)
- Student Success Center
- 757-683-3699 (Information Desk)
- sscdesk@odu.edu
- Academic Coaching
  - [https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/coaching](https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/coaching)
- Peer Educator Program
  - [https://www.odu.edu/peereducator](https://www.odu.edu/peereducator)
- Student Support Services
  - [http://uc.odu.edu/sss/](http://uc.odu.edu/sss/)
- University Testing Center
  - [https://www.odu.edu/testing-center](https://www.odu.edu/testing-center)
- Upward Bound
  - [https://www.odu.edu/partnerships/community/programs/upwardbound](https://www.odu.edu/partnerships/community/programs/upwardbound)
- Writing for College Success
  - [https://www.odu.edu/academicskills](https://www.odu.edu/academicskills)

**Advising and Transfer Programs**
- [https://www.odu.edu/advisingprograms](https://www.odu.edu/advisingprograms)
- 757-683-3699 (office); advisor@odu.edu

**Career Management Center**
- [https://www.odu.edu/cmc](https://www.odu.edu/cmc)
- 757-683-4388 (office); 800-937-6381 (cell)
- cmc@odu.edu

**Center for Major Exploration**
- [https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/majorexploration](https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/majorexploration)
- 757-683-4805 (office); cme@odu.edu

**Counseling Services, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/counselingservices](https://www.odu.edu/counselingservices)
- 757-683-4401 (office)

**Education Accessibility, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/educationalaccessibility](https://www.odu.edu/educationalaccessibility)
- 757-683-4655 (office)

**Financial Aid, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/finaidoffice](https://www.odu.edu/finaidoffice)
- 757-683-3683 (office)

**Math and Science Resource Center**
- [http://sci.odu.edu/msrc/](http://sci.odu.edu/msrc/)
- Math + Psych Tutoring
  - Library: 1312
- Chemistry Tutoring
  - OSPNS: 146
- 757-683-6776
- msrc@odu.edu

**Writing Center**
- [http://al.odu.edu/writingcenter/](http://al.odu.edu/writingcenter/)
- Room 1307 of the Learning Commons in Perry Library
- 757-683-4013