

Our finance degree program covers the traditional areas of finance — corporate financial management, investment analysis, and financial institutions and markets. But it's also built on a firm liberal arts foundation and reinforced by a values-based philosophy. This allows our students to learn how to tackle complex financial challenges with high professional and ethical standards and a broad-based perspective — giving them a clear, competitive advantage with employers seeking talent that can excel in today's multifaceted business environment.

### B.S. Finance

The bachelor of science in finance exposes students to the traditional areas of study within the discipline of finance: corporate finance, investments, and financial institutions. The department offers a quantitative finance track that provides the opportunity to complete the required courses at a faster pace and enroll in higher-level finance courses sooner. This may result in students being better prepared for careers in commercial banking/credit risk analysis, investment/wealth management, and corporate treasury management. Students with acceptable scores in AP calculus, AP statistics, and AP economics, and SAT (math) scores above 600 are strongly encouraged to apply for this track.

### Chartered Financial Analyst and Certified Treasury Professional Tracks

Students who wish to pursue a career as a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) or Certified Treasury Professional (CTP) have the ability to pursue these options at the undergraduate level through certificate tracks augmented by co-curricular activities.

### Finance Minor

Students may also choose to complement another program of study with a minor in finance, with approval of the PCSB undergraduate programs office and completion of six required finance courses and one finance elective.



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## PEOPLE AND PLACES

The Providence College School of Business is one of just 30% of U.S. business schools accredited by AACSB International. It's also listed by Poets and Quants as being among the top undergraduate business schools in the nation.

Finance courses are taught in the state-of-the-art, award-winning Arthur F. and Patricia Ryan Center for Business Studies, which includes a Bloomberg terminal lab as well as collaboration, conference, and breakout rooms, and a professional development suite.

Nearly every PCSB graduate participates in at least one internship at esteemed organizations such as Fidelity Investments, GPS Investment Advisors, IMG, Signet Investment Group, Textron, and others.

Both SMIF and SLAM now invest real money. Students typically apply or sought after to take SMIF (typically Seniors) and SLAM is open, but there is also an application process:

Students may also apply to participate in the Student Managed Investment Fund course or join the Student Led Asset Management fund, both are opportunities where students analyze market sectors and manage real money.

### Selected Places of Employment

Aetna • DraftKings, Inc. • Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc.  
Oppenheimer • Amica Mutual Insurance • Prudential Financial  
Bain Capital • PwC • Raytheon • BlackRock • EY  
Fidelity Investments • Schneider Electric • Goldman Sachs  
Sensata Technologies • College Board • UBS • John Hancock  
United States Air Force • KPMG • United Healthcare  
CVS Health • Liberty Mutual Insurance • Vanguard  
Merrill Edge • Wells Fargo • Dell EMC • Merrill Lynch  
Deloitte • World Bank • Deutsche Bank • MLB

### Selected Graduate Schools

Arizona State University • Northeastern University  
Suffolk Law • Bentley University • Providence College  
Tulane University Law School • Duke University  
Rutgers University • University of New Hampshire  
Fairfield University • Saint John's University  
University of Notre Dame • Le Cordon Bleu Paris  
Saint Joseph's University • Vanderbilt University  
New York Law School • Seton Hall University  
Villanova University • New York University  
Southern Methodist University

# 96%

of **finance graduates** are employed or attending graduate school

(Providence College classes of 2018 – 2022)

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