

MASTER OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

A degree issued by Université Montesquieu-Bordeaux IV

DESCRIPTION AND OBJECTIVES

This one-year program, taught in English, aims at educating students and executives who will contribute to the dynamism of industry in Vietnam. It relies on the experience of Université Montesquieu – Bordeaux 4 and Vietnamese teachers in education and research in the field of corporate finance.

This program is offered by the University Montesquieu-Bordeaux 4. This university designed the curriculum; seconds its academics and associated industry professionals to teach a majority of the classes; and awards the final certificate, which is a European Master's Degree. The program is run locally by Pôles Universitaires Français-Hanoi, which is a cooperation program of the French and Vietnamese governments, within Vietnam National University-Hanoi. PUF Hanoi ensures the day-to-day quality of the program, and a strong link with the French industry in Vietnam.

CURRICULUM

The curriculum will consist of the following modules:

- Corporate finance and management
- Strategic management
- Financial law
- Financial markets
- Cash and portfolio management
- Financial ethics
- Mergers and acquisitions
- Risk management
- Enterprise-bank relationships
- International accounting norms
- Corporate valuation

For ten of these eleven modules, twenty hours of lectures will be taught by a professor or professional seconded by Université Montesquieu-Bordeaux 4 – the last one, financial law, needs to be taught by experts in Vietnamese law. For nine of those ten modules, an additional nine hours of tutoring will be supervised by a local professor or professional.

In addition, students will have to undergo an internship of one month in industry, under the theoretical supervision of a professor. This internship will be followed by the writing of a professional thesis and its defense.

CAREER PROSPECTS

This program's objectives is to educate students to the various aspects of finance activities in companies of all sizes: investment, project funding, engineering of complex projects, relations between executives, shareholders and investors, financial ethics. They will therefore be able to hold various positions within administrative and financial departments. Another field of career opportunities is in the banking sector and the analysis of venture and private equity. The knowledge of corporate finance will also allow students to enter financial institutions acting in that field.

Possible career opportunities include: financial analyst, assistant financial officer, credit analyst, business account executive in banks, financial consultant. In the past ten years, graduates of this program (taught in France and four other countries) have found jobs in high-skilled positions of corporate finance. The presence of professionals among the teaching staff is part of this program's interest.

ADMISSION CRITERIA

This Master's program is open to all applicants fulfilling the following conditions:

- holding a Vietnamese *đại học* or engineering degree (it is also open to students who received 60 master credits in a program following the European credit system)
- having a good command of English (equiv. TOEFL 500 or IELTS 5.5);
- having a professional background in, or close to, the finance sector.

PARTNERS

Université Montesquieu-Bordeaux 4

School of Graduate Studies – Vietnam National University Hanoi



SUMMARY

A **French Master's Degree** in financial management, of around 320 hours **taught in English**. Two-thirds of them are taught **by French academics and industry professionals**.

Programme duration

12 months

Course schedule

Evenings (6-9 pm) and weekends.

Tuition fees

120.000.000 VND

(three partial scholarships will be awarded to top students)

To apply

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Application schedule

- deposit deadline: December 2011 (application form and a fee of 5.000.000 VND, which will not be refunded to accepted applicants)
- selection interviews: January 2012
- academic intake: January 2012

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