Minor in Finance

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Effective Fall 2011, the Department of Finance in the College of Business Administration offers a Minor in Finance. With its twin focus on tools to solve business problems and insights into understanding financial and economic behavior, this Minor enhances both employment possibilities for and the general knowledge of students in the College of Business Administration and other UIC undergraduate colleges.

The Minor in Finance introduces the student to the principles of finance, applies these principles to analyzing several financial issues, and develops problem-solving and quantitative skills that are widely used in business.

The Minor in Finance is open to undergraduate students from any unit and college at UIC. Students submit a request form to the Undergraduate Student Services (Room 1118 University Hall Building) in order to be considered for enrollment in the Minor in Finance. Students must consult their home colleges about the acceptability and applicability of Finance course credit toward their degree. Since registration for most Finance courses is restricted to students in the Finance Major, students in the Finance Minor need to register through the Department of Finance (Room 2429 University Hall). Students must be in good academic standing with their respective colleges.

The minor requires 15 hours (in at least 5 courses):

Required Courses: 9 hours from the following three courses	**Credit Hours**
FIN 300 Introduction to Finance *(No prerequisites)*	3
FIN 310 Investments *(Prerequisite: FIN 300)*	3
FIN 320 Corporate Finance *(Prerequisite: FIN 300)*	3

Elective Courses: 6 hours elected from any of the 400 level finance courses that fulfill requirements for the Finance major.

Enrollment Residence Requirement in the Minor

A student must complete at least three-fifth's of the course work required for the Minor in Finance in residence at the University of Illinois at Chicago. A 2.50 grade point average is required for all work completed for the Minor at UIC.