Finance

A degree in finance opens opportunities for work in Securities Analysis, Corporate Finance and Bank Administration. Finance majors learn ways to acquire funds and put them to optimal use in order to maximize the value of a firm, whether their career path leads to Banking, Corporate Finance, Securities Analysis, Insurance or Real Estate.

**Entry Level Positions in Finance**

- Personal financial advisor
- Investment banker
- Credit analyst
- Stock broker
- Insurance sales agent

**Further Education/Experience Required**

- Controller
- Financial aid officer
- Bank economist
- Financial consultant
- Commercial loan officer

**Enhancing Employability**

Participate in internships with reputable Financial Advisors. Join local chapters of professional associations in your area. Network with local finance professionals to establish contacts with finance recruiters. Gain good mathematical, accounting, and interpersonal communication skills.

**Potential Employers of Finance Majors**

- Banks/Financial institutions
- Financial planning agencies
- State/Federal government agencies
- Insurance companies
- Real estate brokers or agencies
- Business and industry

**Professional Associations and Affiliations**

- American Assoc. of Finance & Accounting [www.aafa.com](http://www.aafa.com)
- Association for Financial Professionals [www.afponline.org](http://www.afponline.org)
- American Finance Association [www.afajof.org](http://www.afajof.org)
- BankJobs.com [www.bankjobs.com](http://www.bankjobs.com)
- Chartered Financial Analyst Institute [www.cfainstitute.org](http://www.cfainstitute.org)
- Credit Union Executives Society [www.cues.org](http://www.cues.org)

- Credit Unions
- Colleges/Universities
- International agencies
- Newspapers
- Military
- Law Firms

Financial Executives Networking Group [www.efinancialjobs.com](http://www.efinancialjobs.com)

Financial Executives Networking Group [www.thefeng.org](http://www.thefeng.org)

Financial Job Network [www.fjn.com](http://www.fjn.com)

Financial Planning Association [www.fpanet.org](http://www.fpanet.org)

Financial Times Career Point [www.ftcareerpoint.com](http://www.ftcareerpoint.com)

Financial Women International [www.fwi.org](http://www.fwi.org)


National Assoc. of Business Economists [www.nabe.com](http://www.nabe.com)