# Financial Acumen Graduate Certificate

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The Financial Acumen Graduate Certificate offers a specialized pathway for professionals aiming to deepen their expertise in financial management and analysis. Based on incoming surveys from new students, financial acumen is at the top of skills students hope to develop or enhance.

This certificate equips participants with advanced skills in interpreting financial data, strategic financial decision-making, and navigating complex financial landscapes. Key rationale for pursuing this certificate includes:

**Career Advancement**: Enhancing financial acumen opens doors to senior roles such as financial analyst, manager, or consultant, where sophisticated financial knowledge is crucial.

**Skill Enhancement**: The certificate hones skills in financial modeling, risk assessment, and financial strategy formulation, preparing individuals to tackle real-world financial challenges with confidence.

**Industry Relevance**: With a curriculum designed in collaboration with industry experts, alumni, and current students, the certificate ensures alignment with current market demands and best practices in finance.

**Credentialing**: The certificate serves as a valuable credential, validating one's expertise and commitment to continuous professional development in finance. Based on incoming surveys from new students, financial acumen is at the top of skills students hope to develop or enhance during their time in the program.

**Networking Opportunities**: Participants benefit from networking with peers and industry leaders, expanding their professional circle and gaining insights into diverse financial perspectives.

### **Admission Requirements**

The application and fee (via credit card) can be submitted online; official transcripts should be submitted online with application. A resume should be uploaded along with a contact person who will serve as a recommender. Complete details of the admission process can be found on the Financial Acumen Graduate Certificate website.

### Requirements: Financial Acumen Graduate Certificate (Part-Time)

Students admitted into the certificate program may choose from the courses listed for a total of (9) credit hours. The certificate will be delivered through a flexible format, allowing students to choose fully online, fully in person, or a combination of both. This blended approach ensures accessibility and accommodates the busy schedules of working professionals.

## **Program Requirements**

(9 semester hours)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Select nine hours from the following:		9
ACC 611	Accounting for Managers	
BUS 647	Business Risk Management	
FIN 625	Managerial Finance	
FIN 665	Applied Business Valuation	
Total Credit Hours		9