

Frequently asked questions

Are there payment options available?

Funding support maybe available through the Higher Level Apprenticeship programme.

How do I apply?

Applications for this programme are open from 28 June to 30 August 2019. Applicants should initially apply direct to Ulster University.

If applicants meet the University's entry requirements, they will progress to the next stage of application to the employer. Successful applicants at this stage will be invited by the employer(s) to attend an interview for employment. Interviews will run through September.

Applicants who are successful at both stages will attend a one-week boot camp and the apprenticeship begins with four days in employment and one day in University.


What are the entry requirements?


Applicants must:

- Satisfy the University's general entry requirements and provide competency in numeracy (GCSE grade B Mathematics or equivalent); and
- Hold a minimum of grades BCC at A level (if including A level Mathematics), or grades BBC if not including A level Mathematics (or of an equivalent standard in other Level 3 qualifications); or
- Provide evidence of their ability to undertake the programme through the accreditation of prior experiential learning process. International applicants must satisfy the University's minimum requirements for English language.

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BSc Hons Financial Technology

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This is a unique course developed for the dynamic, growing FinTech sector.

It is designed to produce industry-focused graduates with an in-depth knowledge of core finance and technology principles with a strong practical understanding of how theory informs professional practice.

Structure and content

This part-time programme, taught over four years, commences with a week-long 'boot-camp', prior to semester one.

The table below shows an indicative timetable starting in September 2019.

	Semester 1 (September to December)	Semester 2 (January to May)
Year 1	Financial Mathematics and Statistics Programming 1	Business Analysis Foundations Programming 11 (Javascript)
Year 2	Introduction to Databases Business Analysis in Practice	Financial Institutions and Markets Financial Modelling
Year 3	Human Computer Interaction Behavioural Sciences	FinTech and Disruptive Innovation Principles of Investing
Year 4	Regulation and Ethics Behavioural Finance	Big Data and Distributed Computing Data Analytics
Semester 3 Financial Technology Innovation Project (Double module)		

Award

BSc Hons

Campus

Jordanstown

Mode of Study

⌚ Part-time

Why the BSc Hons Financial Technology degree?

This programme offers an equal focus on finance and technology through extensive use of work-based learning and practical application. It aligns to the growing needs of the FinTech sector.

Ulster University Business School has developed the BSc Hons Financial Technology working in partnership with employers, developing a programme which offers students the opportunity to take this degree as part of a Higher Level Apprenticeship Scheme.

Recruitment to this programme is conducted through the University jointly with employers.

Employer benefits

- The course encourages a direct talent pipeline for employers by providing school leavers with an important professional development opportunity, while taking the first steps in their future career.
- The programme is focused on the practical application of ideas, knowledge and methods specific to the FinTech sector.
- Through a contemporary curriculum, graduates are future-proofed for their working life.
- The flexible and co-created curriculum with employers has emphasis on applied and professional skills.

Student benefits

- Students have the opportunity to gain a valuable degree qualification whilst working in the FinTech sector.
- A broad skillset can be developed which will enhance your opportunities in your future professional career.
- The course is a foundation for completion of complementary professional qualifications.

