At the Whitman School of Management, the MS in Finance program is designed to be completed in one academic year on a full-time basis. This timeframe assumes that the student has come from a finance background and possesses the necessary foundation course requirements. The MS in Finance program can be completed in two academic years by students who want to spread out their academic credits and include a concentrated internship within their course of study.

Below is a list of the undergraduate courses in finance that should be completed either prior to enrolling or during the time you are completing the MS in Finance program at Syracuse University. A student is not required to have a bachelor’s degree in finance as long as the foundation courses are completed (either before or during the MS in Finance program) in addition to having a bachelor’s degree:

> Financial Accounting
> Managerial Accounting
> Managerial Finance
> Data Analysis
> Economics for Managers

Students who do not meet the minimum requirements will be required to complete the above courses in order to earn their MS in Finance degree. Those who choose to take these courses while enrolled in the MS in Finance program can expect the length of the program to increase to two years.