

The Stockholm School of Economics (SSE) is one of Europe's leading business schools. We have been ranked as the no. 1 business school in the Nordic and Baltic countries over ten years in a row by the Financial Times.



SSE offers programs of the highest international standards, including Bachelor, Master, PhD, MBA and Executive Education programs. The School also conducts world-class research. Our programs are developed in close cooperation with the research and business communities, which give our graduates great potential to attain leading positions in companies and other organizations.

SSE is accredited by EQUIS, certifying that all of the main activities – teaching as well as research – are of the highest international standards. SSE is also the only Swedish member institution of CEMS and PIM, which are collaborations between top business schools worldwide, contributing to the high quality SSE is known for.

“I felt that the program facilitates a challenging environment that rewards its students with a solid foundation to jumpstart their career in finance.”

Eid Jazairi
Student from the Syrian Arab Republic
MSc program in Finance



MSc PROGRAM IN FINANCE

2 YEARS | **120** ECTS

SSE has a century-long tradition of academic excellence, practical education for business and beyond, with a global perspective and with strong connections to the business world in Sweden and beyond. The faculty teaching in the MSc program in Finance include leading experts with worldwide recognition. The program consistently places highly in global rankings, including 19 world-wide in the Financial Times 2020 ranking of Masters programs.

Every year, the MSc program in Finance brings together a global community of talented students with a passion for finance and business. The program offers an outstanding learning experience and prepares students for diverse and successful careers. Post-graduation career opportunities are consistently excellent, in financial centers like Frankfurt, New York, Shanghai, London and Stockholm.

Once enrolled, students follow a rigorous, practical curriculum taught by leading faculty. Students specialize in Corporate Finance or Investment Management. The curriculum offers considerable additional flexibility, allowing students to choose from a range of electives in finance as well as other fields. Elective choices include courses on Private Equity, Venture Capital, Value Investing, Mergers & Acquisitions, and Wealth Management, often taught with case studies. A Data Analytics Track has recently been added.

Throughout, SSE students meet a teaching environment that is both immersive and interactive. Courses are designed to build expertise, skills and insight. The school's student community is engaged and cohesive, building lifelong connections. Students from the MSc program in Finance move on to positions in finance, professional services, real estate and elsewhere, all across the globe. The majority of graduates have finalized their initial placement at least three months before graduating.

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

YEAR 1		YEAR 2
Semester 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core mandatory courses (30 ECTS) • International study trip 	Semester 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electives at SSE (30 ECTS) 	Semester 3 + 4 <p>Thesis in Finance (30 ECTS) and choose between:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electives at SSE • Data Analytics Track • XTM: Executive Trainee Module • CEMS MiM • Exchange Program • MSc – PhD Enrollment

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1) A BACHELOR'S DEGREE

A degree with at least 60 ECTS in Social Sciences (including but not limited to Finance, Business Administration and/or Economics) and with a minimum of 30 ECTS in quantitative fields, including but not limited to Finance, Accounting and Financial Management and Economics. The quantitative fields may be outside Social Sciences.

2) GMAT OR GRE TEST

- GMAT score of 600 or higher
- GRE score of 155 or higher

Applicants with a Bachelor of Science degree from a Swedish university are not required to take the GMAT/GRE test.

3) PROOF OF PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH

- We accept the following tests:
- TOEFL min. 100 (Internet-based test)
 - IELTS min. 7

Exemption from the TOEFL/IELTS requirement is granted for applicants with:

- English as their native language, or
- a Bachelor's degree from a program conducted completely in English, or
- qualifications in "English B" from Swedish upper secondary school, or
- upper secondary school under the curriculum of International Baccalaureate.

4) CV AND A LETTER OF MOTIVATION

Relevant work experience and extracurricular activities may also be taken into account.

TUITION FEES

Citizens of an EU/EEA country or Switzerland are not required to pay tuition fees. Non-EU/EEA citizens are required to pay 150,000 SEK/per academic year. However, SSE has a number of scholarships for students required to pay the tuition fees.

5 REASONS TO CHOOSE SSE



NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

For the past fourteen years, SSE has been ranked by the Financial Times as the No.1 business school in the Nordic and Baltic countries.



CLOSE TIES TO BUSINESS AND RESEARCH

Local and international business are closely linked with the school and engaged with our students on a daily basis. Our world class research influences our education and is beneficial for our corporate partners.



LOCATION: STOCKHOLM

A beautiful capital city and a leader in business innovation and sustainability.



THE SSE WAY

A small business school with a substantial social footprint, which creates close ties between students, faculty and staff.



CAREERS WITH AN IMPACT

SSE paves the way to a wide range of career options, regardless of whether you seek to be employed or want to become an entrepreneur.

CONTACT US

For questions about the programs, requirements or admissions, please contact the admissions office at: admission@hhs.se or telephone +46 (0)8 736 90 00.

More information can be found on www.hhs.se and www.cems.org