

**Masters in Finance** Ranking 2022



Lisbon School of Economics & Management Jniversidade de Lisboa University Affiliation Program CFA Institute®

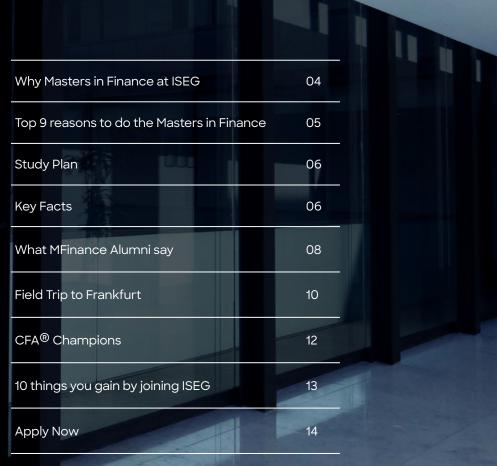
# Masters in **Finance**



iseg.ulisboa.pt



## Master the world in a school built for the future.



Index



## Welcome to the next level of Finance in the heart of Lisbon.

ISEG offers you a Masters in Finance that's just right for you. It's innovative, competitive, and up-to-date. We were accepted into the Financial Times 2020 global rankings of Masters, straight to the 31<sup>st</sup> place, where we were considered one of the best business schools providing the largest salary increase after graduation, on par with HEC Paris, which tops the ranking.

You'll find it reassuring to know that our Masters in Finance graduates can easily find their way in the competitive financial industry or in any other industry or organisation around the world. Recent distinctions can also measure their success, as consecutive winners of the CFA® Research Challenge Portugal from 2017 to 2020 and Portugal's selected participants in the EMEA Finals of the CFA® Research Challenge in Prague, Dublin, Zurich, and the Dead Sea region, in Jordan. We did it again in 2022, champions of the CFA® Research Challenge.

## Want to help us win some more next year?

# Top 9 reasons

to do the Masters in Finance @ISEG Lisbon

#### 02.

05.

ISEG's Master in Finance is a **CFA® University Affiliation Program**. Our program covers more than 70% of the CFA curriculum.



#### 03.

Workshops in IT skills: "Financial Modeling in Excel" (SEM 1); "Python for Finance" (SEM 2), and "Databases and Stata in Finance" (SEM 3).

#### 06.

Five-day field trip to Frankfurt, the most important financial centre in Europe – visiting ECB (European Central Bank), EIOPA (European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority), Deutsche Börse (German Stock Exchange), Bundesbank (Central Bank of Germany), Goethe University and several companies (e. g., BASF, BMW, Deutsche Bank, SAP, Volkswagen).

Note: no additional fees are charged for travel and accommodation expenses.

International exchange in highly reputed international universities – Bocconi, Italy; EDHEC, France; Goethe, Germany; FGV, Brazil, to name a few.

08.

Nine annual **scholarships** for the **CFA® exams**.

#### 01.

ISEG's Masters in Finance is placed again at no. 34 in the Financial Times global rankings.



04.

**International placement** in finance-related jobs.

07.

Solid education in the 3 pillars of finance: Corporate Finance, Derivatives and Investments.

#### 09.

Highly qualified faculty with experience in top international schools (e.g., London Business School, Manchester Business School, Carnegie-Mellon University, The London School of Economics, Stockholm School of Economics, or Imperial College London).



Marcela Murcia

Masters in Finance Student

"I had the opportunity to travel with my colleagues and coordinators of the Masters in Finance and it was an amazing experience, we were able to visit the European Central Bank (ECB), European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority (EIOPA), Central Bank of Germany and Frankfurt Stock Exchange. These institutions shared with us many interesting topics that allow us to integrate the academic knowledge of financial markets with practical experience, as well as talking about trends in finance like sustainability and digitalization. I believe this is a unique experience and it adds so much value to the contents of the master. I would add that visiting one of the most important European Financial centers reinforces the vision of the Faculty."

# Study Plan

	Course	e Units		Credits	Semester
YEAR 1	Corporate Investment Appraisal			6	1
	Financial Analysis & Reporting			6	1
	Investments & Portfolio Management			6	1
	Derivates			6	1
	Data Analysis in Finance			6	1
	Workshop 1 - Financial Modeling in Excel			0	1
	Fundamentals of Financial Economics			6	2
	Corporate Financing and Planning			6	2
	Fixed Income Products and Markets			6	2
	Risk Management			6	2
	Elective I			6	2
	Workshop 2 - Python for Finance			0	2
	Field Trip to Frankfurt			During YEAR 1	
YEAR 2	Course Units			Credits	Semester
	Industry Elective*			6	1
	Financial Data Science			6	1
	Ethics and Research Methods In Finance			6	1
	Elective II			6	1
	Workshop 3 - Databases and Stata in Finance			0	1
	Masters Final Work - MFW (Dissertation, Project, Internship)			30	2
	Real Options Real Estate Finance		Sustainable Finance Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructurings International Financial Markets Banking and Insurance		
Elective I	Corporate Governance Monetary & Financial History	Elective II	International Fin		ets

\*Financial Engineering, Applied Portfolio Management, Equity Research

# **Key Facts**

**Start Date:** September 2023

Schedule: Daytime Classes

#### **Duration:**

3 Semesters of Classes 1 Semester for the Masters Final Work

Language: English

#### **Field Trip to Frankfurt**

Tuition fees include travel and accommodation expenses of the field trip.

#### **Tuition Fees:**

From within the EU: €7.900 From outside the EU: €9.950

#### **Programme Directors:**

Raquel M. Gaspar Tiago Cruz Gonçalves Victor Barros

#### **Financial Times global** rankings:



#### **CFA Institute® University Affiliation Program:**

University Affiliation Program



#### **Best Sudent Award:** 祸 Montepio





## What MFinance Alumni say



#### Christin Kirstein

Senior Manager Finance and Treasury Lufthansa, Germany

66

The programme is well structured and diversified, and it covers all the most relevant fields of Finance. Both the course work and the case studies team work enhanced my analytic and problem-solving skills. The rich experience and solid knowledge that I gained is an excellent base for my current job. My two years in Portugal were a wonderful and unforgettable experience."



Miguel Malato Correia Associate - Credit Sales Goldman Sachs, London, UK

66

After much thought, **I chose ISEG's Masters in Finance**. Today, I am sure I could not have made a better choice! The strong practical component, culture of excellence, and the encouragement towards critical thinking have prepared me for the highly competitive professional world, giving me all the skills I need to succeed. I met amazing people while studying there, made great friends and learned with world-class professors, who never failed to help or give me advice."



#### Benedikt Grundheber Financial Risk Management

Financial Risk Management Vonovia, Amsterdam, Netherlands

66

My experience throughout the Masters in Finance at ISEG Lisbon was only positive on both a personal as well as an educational level. The quality of the professors and lectures compares well to international top level and I would make ISEG the first choice for my Master's again without a doubt!"



#### Filipe Janeiro

FRM, Asset Liability Management Officer ESM-European Stability Mechanism, Luxembourg

66

I wanted to learn finance from the best. At the same time, I was craving to change field from Engineering to Financial Markets. ISEG allowed me to successfully achieve both goals, and today I proudly give my contribution to a better Europe in one of the most prestigious European financial institutions. A key step in the road to this career change was attending ISEG's Masters in Finance. Here I found a very challenging and high-standard program, with exceptional professors and student preparedness for the CFA and FRM exams."





66

This master's meant growth opportunities, the recognition of the labor market, the creation of **a vast network** of contacts, and the unique opportunity of participating in international events such as the CFA Institute Research Challenge. I already passed the CFA Level 1 Exam! Finally, and in a very personal note, I consider that the **masters'** trip is of incalculable value, not only for the ability of visiting prestigious institutions, but also because it allows us to open our minds to new realities and new ways of thinking."



## Field Trip to Frankfurt

The global approach Masters in Finance is also materialized in the annual field trip to Frankfurt, which is part of our students' personal development program. Students and faculty travel together to Frankfurt and visit important organizations, such as the ECB (European Central Bank), EIOPA (European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority), Goethe University, Deutsche Bundesbank, and the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. Over the last few years we have attended talks and interacted with high ranking representatives of large companies, among which BASF, Deutsche Lufthansa, SAP, EY, Volkswagen, and Helaba Bank.

This is certainly an unforgettable experience you can't miss!

<complex-block>









# CFA® Champions

ISEG's Master in Finance is a CFA® University Affiliation Programme. Our programme covers more than 70% of the CFA curriculum.





2022, 2020, 2019, 2018 and 2017 winners of the CFA® Research Challenge Portugal and EMEA Vice Champions 2020-2018.

Nine annual scholarships for the CFA® exams.

University Affiliation Program CFA Institute®



# 10 things you gain by joining ISEG

#### 01.

02.

You join one of the best European Schools. ISEG Lisbon entered the prestigious Global Financial Times FT Rankings since 2020, with the Masters in Finance. In 2022, ISEG also entered the European Business School Financial Times Ranking.

#### 05.

You live like a "lisboeta". ISEG is perfectly located for Lisbon's downtown lifestyle experience. It's a vibrant, multi-cultural, and cosmopolitan European capital.

You enrich your curriculum. ISEG is

accredited by **AACSB**, a distinction

earned by only 5% of business

schools in the world.

#### 03.

06.

09.

You're always connected. All classrooms are technologically fully equipped for a perfect learning experience, whether it's online, in-person, or hybrid.

You're surrounded by knowledge.

ISEG's high quality research

centers are engaged in a diverse

#### 04.

You broaden your horizons. ISEG is part of the University of Lisbon, the leading Portuguese university according to the selective Shanghai Ranking (ARWU), and has an impressive list of partnerships with topranked international schools.

#### 08.

You're part of an inclusive club. ISEG has a large, diversified, global network of talented and successful Alumni.

#### 10.

07.

You become an asset. ISEG's graduates are highly desirable to top employers, both in the private and in the public sector, all over the world.

array of international research projects.

You join a winning team. ISEG's students and faculty are well known for winning international and national awards for best case studies, best dissertations and research output, applied projects, as well as in student competitions, such as the CFA® Research Challenge or the Junior Achievement Awards.

You grab your future. ISEG's students benefit from a collegiate and openminded atmosphere, in which the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) play a special role, leaving them well prepared in quantitative subjects to become influential and conscientious leaders.



# Yes, it is YOU!

It's you we're talking to! You, with your tastes, your talents and your doubts.

Your "B-Side" makes a world of difference... we're waiting for you to help you choose the future you want for yourself and for us!

We will welcome you with open arms and more: **ISEG. Open Minds. Grab the Future.** 

Open Minds. Grab the Fut

. gestã

cos.

ia e da gestã Jentos.

5.

Open Minds. Grab the Fut



iseg.ulisboa.pt

Contraction of the

### Math magicians. What's up?

O futuro da economia e da gestão faz-se de diferentes talentos. Vem partilhar os teus.

### Endless seekers. Come on over.

O futuro da economia e da gestão faz-se de diferentes talentos. Vem partilhar os teus.

> Open Minds. Grab the Future.

Open Minds. Grab the Future.



ure. U

0

U

Plan.

Open Minds. Grab the Future.

#### iseg.ulisboa.pt

iseq.ulisboa.pt

### Poets are welcome.

O futuro da economia e da gestão faz-se de diferentes talentos. Vem partilhar os teus.

### Hi there, out-ofthe-box thinkers.

O futuro da economia e da gestão faz-se de diferentes talentos. Vem partilhar os teus.

Open Minds. U Grab the Future.

19 A

Apply now:

www.iseg.ulisboa.pt/study/masters/finance

smd@iseg.ulisboa.pt (+351) 213 925 900

ISEG Rua das Francesinhas 1200-675 Lisboa · Portugal



Lisbon School of Economics & Management Universidade de Lisboa



UNIVERSIDADE De lisboa

Rankings:







Memberships:







Accreditations and Partnerships:







Project Managemen Institute. M\_FI2023EN01

