



Springfield College Sequencing Guide Finance Major (FINC) ▼ 2026-2027

Requirements are subject to change and may not be offered when listed. Use your online degree audit to verify your progress with your advisor.

Core Curriculum Requirements, Electives, and College Requirements

In addition to the major requirements listed below, you will need to fill the following Core Curriculum categories:

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| • 100-level Wellness & Physical (1 cr) | • Literature (3 cr) | • Spiritual and Ethical (3 cr) | • Themed Explorations (9 cr) |
| • 200-level Wellness & Physical (1 cr) | • Quantitative Reasoning (3 cr) | • Aesthetic Expression (3 cr) | ➢ 3 different prefixes |
| • 300-level Wellness & Physical (1 cr) | • Scientific Reasoning (4 cr) | | ➢ 1 Global course |

This major typically requires 57 credits to complete. In addition to the Core Curriculum and major requirements listed, you must complete:

- **26 elective credits or more** to total at least 120 credits
- A **minimum cumulative GPA** of 2.000 or higher
- The **residency requirement**—45 credits taken at Springfield College (including 15 of your last 30)

FINC Major Requirements – Typical First-Year Schedule

<p>Fall: SCSM 101, Springfield College Seminar (Core requirement – 3 cr) ENGL 113, College Writing I (Core requirement – 3 cr) BUSM 150, Introduction to Business (3 cr) Plus other Core and major requirements, or electives to total approximately 15 credits</p>	<p>Spring: ENGL 114, College Writing II (Core requirement – 3 cr) BUSM 215, Principles of Management (3 cr) Plus other Core and major requirements, or electives to total 30 credits for the year</p>
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Fall or Spring:
Quantitative Reasoning Core: MATH 115, College Algebra (3cr) is recommended
CISC 115, Microcomputer Applications (3 cr)

FINC Major Requirements – Typical Second-Year Schedule

<p>Fall: BUSM 210, Principles of Accounting I (3 cr) ECON 205, Principles of Microeconomics (3 cr) Plus Core and major requirements, or electives to total approximately 15 credits</p>	<p>Spring: BUSM 211, Principles of Accounting II (3 cr) BUSM 250, Business Communications (3 cr – also fills one WAC requirement) ECON 210, Principles of Macroeconomics (3 cr – fills Historical and Social Literacy Core) Plus other Core and major requirements, or electives to total 30 credits for the year</p>
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Fall or Spring:
BUSM 221, Principles of Marketing (3 cr)

FINC Major Requirements – Typical Third-Year Schedule

Fall:

BUSM 310, Business Analytics (3 cr)
BUSM 315, Financial Management (3 cr)
Plus Core and major requirements, or electives to total approximately 15 credits

Spring:

Plus Core and major requirements, or electives to total 30 credits for the year

Fall or Spring:

BUSM 335, Business Ethics (3 cr – also fills one WAC requirement)

FINC Major Requirements – Typical Fourth-Year Schedule

Fall:

Core and major requirements, or electives to total approximately 15 credits

Spring:

BUSM 492, Strategic Management (3 cr)
Plus any outstanding major requirements, Core, or electives to total a minimum of 120 credits

Fall or Spring:

BUSM 478, Business Law (3 cr)

Additional FINC Major Requirements – Flexible Timing

BUSM 330, Investment Analysis (3 cr)
BUSM 410, Intermediate Finance (3 cr)
ECON 310, Money and Banking (3 cr)

Select **two courses** (6 credits) from the following:

BUSM 320, Financial Statement Analysis (3 cr)
BUSM 363, Commercial Credit Analysis (3 cr)
BUSM 388, Special Topics in Business (3 cr)
BUSM 433, International Finance (3 cr)
ECON 301, Managerial Economics (3 cr)
FINC 486, Finance Internship (1-6 cr)