ACADEMIC POLICIES OVERVIEW

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Agenda

- Meet the IEOR Professional Staff
- Degree Overview & Requirements
- Academic Expectations
- Academic Advisors
- Academic Calendar & Registration
- Tuition
- Computer Lab and Policies
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Meet the IEOR Professional Staff

Adina Brooks  
Risa Cho  
Sam Lee  
Shi Yee Lee  
Mindi Levinson

Jenny Mak  
Jaya Mohanty  
Darbi Roberts  
Tamar Senderowicz  
Ashya Shaw
Degree Overview

- Master of Science in Financial Engineering
- Awarded by The Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science, Columbia University
- Expected Completion:
  - May, August or December 2013
- Expected Degree Conferral:
  - May 2013, October 2013 or February 2014
- Full Time Program
Degree Requirements

- 36 points for MSFE
  - 8 required core courses plus electives
- 2.5/4.0 or higher GPA
- No Pass/Fail courses
- All courses must be completed at Columbia
Additional Requirements

- Submitted Official Transcripts from Previous Schools
- Good Standing
- Academic Integrity
- International Students must maintain full time status (12 pts)
  - EXCEPTION: During last semester of study, student may register for less than 12 points
MSFE Curriculum

- Summer Part I: IEOR E4701, E4706, E4728, E4729 (7.5 pts)

- Fall: IEOR E4007, E4703, E4707, Electives (12-15 pts)

- Spring: IEOR E4709, Electives (12-15 pts)
MSFE Summer Term

Summer Part I: IEOR E4701, E4706, E4728, E4729 (7.5 pts)

- IEOR E4701 – Starts Tuesday July 3rd
- IEOR E4706 – Starts Wednesday July 11th
- IEOR E4728 – Starts Thursday July 5th
- IEOR E4729 – Starts Friday July 6th
Academic Performance Review

- The Department requires grades of (B-) or higher in IEOR E4701, E4706, IEOR E4729.
- Poor performance in these courses is indicative of poor preparation and is very likely to lead to serious problems completing the program.
- Students failing to meet this criterion will be asked to withdraw from the program.
Advisors

FE Faculty Advisors:
- Dr. Emanuel Derman
- Dr. Martin Haugh
- Dr. Xuedong He
- Dr. Tim Leung

Academic Advising
- Individual Appointments
- End of Summer Part I, Mid-Fall, Mid-Spring
Academic Calendar

- Summer Part I: 7/2 – 8/29
- Fall Semester: 9/4 – 12/21
- Spring Semester: 1/22/13 – 5/10/13
- Spring Recess: 3/18/13 – 3/22/13
- Graduation: 5/15/13*

*For May and October graduates only.
Registration

- You are automatically registered for Summer Part I classes.
- You will be automatically registered for the core Fall classes in late August.
- Registration is completed via Student Services Online (SSOL).
- Registrar’s Office is located in Kent Hall.
English Proficiency Course

- Individual and small group exercises
- Craft individual story and personal pitch
- Networking principles, corporate culture and business talk
- Advanced interviewing and public speaking training
- Professional Etiquette: In-Person and Virtual
- Subject matter expertise with specialized industry expertise in corporate recruitment, training, communications and professional presentation
Tuition

- Student Financial Services in Kent Hall
- All Electronic Billing through SSOL
- Summer Part I bill generated next week
- For more information, visit Student Financial Services (210 Kent Hall):
301 Computer Lab & 303 Mudd

- Lab Account
- Software Available
- No Printing
- Computer Lab & 303 Mudd Maintenance
- Sam Lee, System Administrator
  - hsl2113@columbia.edu
Accessible through the I E O R Website:
www.ieor.columbia.edu
Next Steps

- Familiarize with SSOL
- Confirm registration of four summer courses
- Activate your email
- Obtain your ID card
- Review IEOR Graduate Student Handbook
- Sign up for the **MSFE Scavenger Hunt**!