The M2 Research in Finance offers an education through research which covers the main theoretical and operational areas of finance: corporate finance, capital markets, valuation of securities and derivatives, portfolio management, quantitative tools etc. It is the natural prolongation of the M1 research in Finance.

**Training INITIAL**

**COURSES**

- Fundamental courses: asset pricing theory, mathematical finance, derivative pricing, corporate finance, game theory
- Seminars: regulation, behavioral finance, microstructure, advanced empirical finance
- Quantitative tools: MathLab, Python, econometrics, time series, machine learning

**OUR KEY ASSETS**

- Education through research approach
- International exchange opportunities
- Wide range of courses: you can specialize in your own field of interest
- A special cursus, the PhD Qualifying Year, with:
  1. advanced courses, 2. an excellence scholarship, 3. research internship opportunities a specific certificate

**PROGRAM**

- **340 hours**
  Teaching time, + 36hrs of levelling courses from September to April
- **Two Cursus**
  The research in finance track, for those intending to work in the private sector
  The PhD Qualifying Year (PhDQY), for those intending to write a PhD thesis or those just more interested in research
- **25 students**

**SKILLS ACQUIRED**

- Understanding the key variables of economics, finance and financial regulation
- Understanding and applying economic and financial modelling
- Collecting financial information, creating and managing data bases, analyzing academic literature
- Applying research methods with scientific scrutiny
- Build a critical mind
- Foster the autonomy in learning
CAREER PROSPECTS

50% of students found employment before obtaining their degree

92,3% Employment rate

€ 39,500 Median salary

INTERNATIONAL

All courses are in English

— Member of the QTEM network (network of 19 universities worldwide)
— Exchanges with Tilburg University, Bocconi University, Lugano University, St Gallen University and HEC Lausanne

CAREERS

Quantitative analysis and research
— Risk management and control
— Consultancy trading
— Asset management
— ALM

Financial analysis and engineering
— Inspectorate General
— Regulatory bodies
— Professor-Researcher or researcher (after completing a PhD thesis)

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HOW TO APPLY

PREREQUISITES
— 1st year of Master (240 ECTS) or equivalent
— Students from France or abroad with a knowledge of quantitative areas of finance (applied mathematics, statistics, econometrics, computer science)
— A minimal GMAT level of 650 is appreciated
— A minimal TOEFL level of 90 is appreciated

ADMISSION PROCEDURE
— Apply online on the application MyCandidature : candidatures.dauphine.fr
— Pre-selected candidates are then interviewed
— It is possible to apply during the Spring or during the Summer

OTHER 2ND YEAR TRACKS OF THE MASTER IN FINANCE

— Insurance and Risk Management
— Audit and Financial Advisory
— Investment Banking and Capital Markets
— Finance: Corporates and Markets
— Bank and Finance
— Corporate Finance and Financial Engineering
— Financial Market
— Asset Management
— Real Estate Management
— Corporate Financial Management