

# THE ONLINE MASTER'S IN FINANCE FROM WILLIAM & MARY

To apply to the [Online Master of Science in Finance \(MSF\)](#) program at William & Mary, you must submit or fulfill the following admissions requirements:

- A bachelor's degree** from a regionally accredited university
  - Current [resume or CV](#)** with employment history
  - At least **two years of professional work experience** OR prospects must otherwise demonstrate their business acumen
  - [A completed online application](#)**, including:
    - Two letters of professional recommendation.** Please select individuals who can provide specific and relevant information about your intellectual and quantitative abilities, performance and motivation
    - Completion of **[one personal essay](#)**. To learn more about essay prompts, please visit the [online application portal](#) or contact your Admissions Advisor
    - Official academic transcripts (from all institutions attended).** We prefer electronic official transcripts, but we also accept hard-copy official transcripts
      - Electronic transcripts must be sent directly from the institution to [masononline@wm.edu](mailto:masononline@wm.edu)
      - Hard-copy official transcripts should arrive in a sealed envelope with the signature of the registrar across the seal. **DO NOT OPEN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS.** Hard-copy official transcripts must be sent directly from your academic institution or forwarded in a sealed envelope from you to the following address:

College of William & Mary  
Raymond A. Mason School of Business  
Attn: Online Programs Office - Martha Orr  
P.O. Box 8795  
Williamsburg, VA 23187
- NOTE: You can upload unofficial transcripts with your application, which will suffice for the initial admissions decision; if accepted, you must submit official transcripts before the first day of class. In the case of incomplete transcripts, or if you have significant transfer credits, W&M reserves the right to delay passing a decision on your application until official transcripts are received.
- Proof of English language proficiency** for non-U.S. citizens. Applicants must have a TOEFL score of at least 100 if internet-based, 250 if computer-based or 600 if paper-based, or an IELTS score of at least 7. Exemptions may be granted for applicants who have earned a degree from an accredited U.S. institution or lived and worked full time in a predominantly English-speaking country for the past two years
  - Application fee of \$100 or a fee waiver.** The application fee may be waived for W&M undergraduates and alumni; early applicants (by priority deadline); referred applicants; high-quality applicants (academically or professionally); active duty military or veterans; volunteers who have served in humanitarian organizations such as the U.S. Peace Corps, Teach for America or AmeriCorps; and at the discretion of the Admissions Office. Contact an Admissions Advisor to discuss whether you qualify for a fee waiver
  - Personal admission interview.** Qualified applicants who have submitted and completed their application will be invited to schedule a personal admission interview. Interviews are conducted virtually via Zoom or telephone.

**No GMAT or GRE scores are required to apply to the Online MSF**

