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**Bloomberg Finance Fundamentals** 

**Certification Program** 

Students Guide

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# Student Sign Up

Students can create a BFE account using Bloomberg Terminal access by running the function **{BCER<GO>}**. Click on the Sign Up in the upper left of the page.

Make sure you add your university email domain if you have one.



**Once you validate your email,** click on login in the upper left corner of the BCER<GO>.

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Once you have logged in, click on the Launch Course button in the middle of thepage. This will launch a web browser.



### 2 Bloomberg Finance Fundamentals

The BFF certification is particularly beneficial for finance and economics students at the early stages of their bachelor's degree, personal finance students, or non-finance majors seeking exposure to fundamental applied finance knowledge. It is also suitable for MBA students lacking prior finance experience.

While the BFF certification provides minimal exposure to the use of the Bloomberg Terminal, its primary focus is on introductory finance with an emphasis on applications in personal finance and careers.

#### **Certification Content:**

The BFF certification comprises four modules, each containing four modules, 3 lessons each:

Module 1: The Purpose of Investing (90 minutes; 17 Questions) Introduction to the Economy and Investing Sources of Finance Going Public Module 2: Types of Investment (90 minutes; 31 Questions) The Financial System **Company Investments Financial Risks** Module 3: Risk and Reward (90 minutes; 17 Questions) Fraud in the Financial Markets The Media and The Financial Markets The Importance of Regulation and Scrutiny Module 4: Portfolio Management (90 minutes; 57 Questions) The Pathway to Portfolio Management Managing a Portfolio for Clients The Fundamentals of Finance

To achieve BFF certification, all four modules must be completed in order, as the video presentation often refers to knowledge discussed in earlier modules. Each module is designed to take approximately 90 minutes, totaling six hours.

#### **Recommendations for Certification:**

Four human characters—Amina, Ben, Arjun, and Sophia—represent different facets of personal and career finances.

Amina (Part 1): This section requires close attention, as questions are based on the current life & business situation of the character. Points are awarded only if every sub-question is answered correctly.

Ben (Part 2): This section covers potential career paths and provides insights into the daily routine of a finance professional. It is particularly interesting for students exploring opportunities in the finance sector.

Arjun (Part 3): This section has the fewest questions and can be completed without reviewing material from previous modules. It mainly explores the connection between media and financial markets.

Sophia (Part 4): This section may be intriguing for participants whose career or interests are unrelated to finance. It delves into basic rules of portfolio management and investing, offering a brief introduction to personal investing. About one-third of the questions are not evaluated and aim to assess your level of risk aversion.

#### **Certificates Tab**

Click on the Certificates tab and then on any certificate course available.

Once on the description of the certificate, you will see the Add Class button on the right-hand side of the page.





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# **3 Downloading Your Certificate**

In the Certificates tab, you can click on the card of the course you completed and see the performance score for each of the modules.



# 4 Student FAQ

#### Does WU have free web access?

WU does not provide an opportunity to perform a certification program from home. Now they are accessible only from public computers in the Finance Area. Alternatively, students can purchase webaccess for \$149 each.

 I do not agree with some of the answers. What should I do? Bloomberg representatives are always happy to edit their mistakes. You can write an E-mail via <u>bbg.edu@bloomberg.net</u>. In case necessary, Bloomberg representative will describe you the logic of the answer and parts of the modules to find it.

#### Can you reset a student's score?

No. Bloomberg follow is a no reset policy, unless there is a technical glitch that has affected the user.

If the student had a technical issue and needs to reset a module, please sendevidence via <u>bbg.edu@bloomberg.net</u>.

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