Students interested in studying banking in Philadelphia, PA, have many schools to choose from. Read on to find out more about one top local school’s degree programs, tuition and ranking info to find the right one for you.

!!!School and Ranking Information

Many private, not-for-profit and public schools in Philadelphia offer degrees in finance, for those interested in careers in the banking industry. The following school is the top pick for finance in the area, based on rankings and number of programs available.

\*\_\_Winner:\_\_ Temple University's Fox School of Business in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, offers the Bachelor of Business Arts in Finance and a Master of Business Administration in Financial Management degrees through its Department of Finance.

!!!School Info Chart

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| || | Category | || | Temple University |
| | | \_\_Rankings\_\_ | | | *#121 in National Universities (2015); #62 in Best Undergraduate Business Programs (2014); #58 inTop Public Schools (2015)\** |
| | | \_\_Location\_\_ | | | *Philadelphia, PA* |
| | | \_\_School Type\_\_ | | | *4-year; public* |
| | | \_\_Tuition & Fees (2014–2015)\_\_ | | | *Undergrad: $14,770 (in-state); $25,450 (out-of-state)\** |
| | | \_\_Finance Degrees Offered\_\_ | | | *Bachelor's; Master's* |
| | | \_\_Computer and Information Sciences Degrees Awarded (all levels) in 2013\_\_ | | | *200\*\** |
| | | \_\_Most Popular Computer and Information Sciences Degree Level in 2013\_\_ | | | *Bachelor's* |
| | | \_\_Undergraduate Graduation Rate (in 150% of normal degree time) for 2007 Entering Class\_\_ | | | *66%\*\** |
| | | \_\_Noteworthy\_\_ | | | The MBA program is accredited by AACSB International\*\*\* |
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|  | *‘’Sources: \*U.S. News and World Report, \*\*NCES College Navigator, \*\*\*Temple University’’* | | |

!!!Temple University

\*Undergraduate students may take an accelerated program that allows them to complete their finance bachelor’s degree in three years

\*Full-time MBA students must participate in a summer internship to be eligible for graduation

\*Fox School of Business and Management offers 28 student organizations, including the Financial Management Association and the Fox Finance Club

Temple University was founded in 1888 and has grown to enroll over 35,000 students, offer 404 degree programs and boast 17 schools and colleges. Fox School of Business and Management, which offers undergraduate and graduate degrees in finance, is one of the largest business schools in the nation, with more than 7,000 students and 195 faculty members.

The Bachelor of Business Administration in Finance degree program prepares graduates for employment at financial institutions such as commercial banks and investment banks. In addition to providing specialized knowledge in finance, the curriculum helps students develop problem-solving and communication skills and to understand critical business concepts, including the ethical and legal responsibilities of businesses and organizations.

MBA candidates who major in Financial Management take courses in the business core and in the Advanced Managerial Perspectives program. The MBA is a two-year, full-time program. Students must complete courses in upper-level finance, business strategy and risk management.