International University of Sarajevo (IUS)

Faculty of Business and Administration (FBA)

AY 2025-2026

Master of Arts in International Finance - 120 ECTS

Fall - Semester I						Spring - Semester II					
Code	Title		Т	Р	ECTS	Code	Title		Т	Р	ECTS
IBF502	International Financial Envi	ronment	3	0	6	ECON506	Applied Econometrics		3	0	6
IBF503	International Business Envir	ronment	3	0	6		Program Electives	See Table 1			24
MBA581	Advanced Business Researc	h Methods	3	0	6						
	Program Elective I	See Table 1	3	0	6						
	Program Elective II	See Table 1	3	0	6						
	Semester Total =						Semester Total =				30

Fall - Semester III							Spring - Semester IV					
Code	Title		Т	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Т	Р	ECTS		
IBF589	Master's Thesis Proposal				12	IBF599	Master's Thesis			24		
	Program Electives	See Table 1			24							
Semester Total = 24								Semester 1	otal =	24		

Abbreviations: T (Theory), P (Practice)	eviations: T (Theory), P (Practice)		14
Total Credits Required for Graduation	120	Average ECTS Credit Load Per Semester	30
Total Credits of Electives	60	Elective Ratio	50%

The 120 ECTS IF consists of four required courses (24 ECTS), elective options (60 ECTS), a Master's Thesis Proposal (12 ECTS), and a Master's Thesis (24 ECTS).

Out of elective options, a minimum of two courses (with teaching load) from MA level (5xx code) must be taken.

Table 1: Program Elective Courses											
Code	Title	Т	Р	ECTS	Code	Title	Т	P	ECTS		
IBF501	Monetary and Fiscal Strategy	3	0	6	IBF519	Risk and Insurance Management	3	0	6		
IBF505	International Financial Risk Management	3	0	6	IBF535	Comparative Tax Systems	3	0	6		
IBF509	International Money Market	3	0	6	IBF562	Special Topics in Finance	3	0	6		
IBF510	International Capital Market	3	0	6	IBF585	Research Activity I - Research in Practice	0	14	6		
IBF511	Financial Market Regulation	3	0	6	IBF586	Research Activity II - Conference Paper/Presentation	0	14	6		
IBF512	Investment Management	3	0	6	IBF587	Research Activity III - Journal Paper	0	28	12		
IBF513	Portfolio Management	3	0	6	IBF588	Internship	0	28	12		
IBF514	Financial Modeling	3	0	6	MBA501	Financial and Managerial Accounting	3	0	6		
IBF515	Financial Data Analysis	3	0	6	MBA511	Financial Management	3	0	6		
IBF516	Credit Analysis and Banking	3	0	6	MBA528	Advanced Business Ethics and CSR	3	0	6		
IBF517	International Banking and Finance	3	0	6	IUS Free	Up to 48 ECTS can be taken from MAN/IBF/ECON			48		
IBF518	Islamic Finance	3	0	6	electives	electives undergraduate courses that are approved by Advisor			48		

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