

## VIA EMAIL

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Dear Shang,

Congratulations! The Admissions Committee has recommended you to the Graduate Dean for admission to the UCLA Anderson School of Management Master of Financial Engineering (MFE) Program. Our selection decision was based on your outstanding scholarship and career as well as the distinctive perspective you will bring to the UCLA Anderson MFE Class of 2022.

Please order one official copy of your transcripts from all academic institutions attended (beyond secondary school or community college), to be sent to the email address listed below. The transcript(s) must be sent by the Registrar's office or the service that provides e-transcripts for your University. They must be in both officially translated English and the language in which your instruction was completed. Since you have already graduated, the transcript(s) must specify the degree(s) conferred and the date(s) of conferral or you must also provide us with official copies of your diploma/degree certificate. Again, your official e-Transcripts and degree certificates should be emailed directly by your University/College to the UCLA Anderson MFE Associate Director of Admissions & Program, Leanna Cortez, at leanna.cortez@anderson.ucla.edu.

Should your official academic records *not* be received within two weeks from today's date we will assume that you are declining our offer and we will be unable to hold your place in the class.

Please note that by University of California policy, applicants recommended for admission to any graduate level program are subject to an official admissions review process conducted by the UCLA Graduate Division. After we have received all of your official documents, your entire admissions record will be forwarded to the Graduate Division for review, which can take up to a few weeks to complete. Once this stage of the process is finished, you will receive notification of the Graduate Division Dean's official decision. The email will come from UCLA\_Application\_Decision@gdnet.ucla.edu. They will prompt you to check your UCLA Graduate Application Decision status online. This important email will have a password which will allow you to access the official decision letter from the Dean of the Graduate Division, a checklist detailing contingencies of your admission (if any) and access to the online Statement of Intention to Register (SIR). Should you decide to accept the offer of admission, you will be required to submit the SIR and a non-refundable \$2,000 enrollment deposit online by May 14, 2021. Your deposit will be credited toward your first quarter fees.

Please disregard information pertaining to the Statement of Legal Residence (SLR) since this is not required for enrollment in the MFE program. You will not receive a hard copy of your admissions letter; however, you can print a copy of this letter for your records.

Information regarding local housing and enrollment will be made available to you soon after you have accepted the Graduate Division's offer of admission.

As an international student, you will receive an auto-generated email notification from the Dashew Center for International Students and Scholars (DCISS) office within 48 business hours after completing the SIR. This email will contain instructions on how to request your I-20. The Confidential Financial Statement form will be required as part of that process so it is important to start gathering your documents as soon as possible. Please see the DCISS "newly admitted F-1 students" webpage for further details.

In your application, you acknowledged that all of the information you provided is true and accurate. As such, all admitted students will go through a background check through Re Vera Services, LLC, which will cost \$80usd, and is to be paid by you to the vendor and completed by **June 30, 2021**. UCLA Graduate Division reserves the right to revoke an offer of admission if any information is found to be falsified or other fraudulent action has been taken.

You may now begin your background check process by clicking on the following link: <a href="https://www.reveraservices.com/uclamfe.html">https://www.reveraservices.com/uclamfe.html</a>. Once you enter the site the MFE program is pre-selected within the dropdown menu, so you will simply hit the "Next" button which will take you to the following screen. Please fill in your personal information including your applicant ID which is your University ID (this number is included at the top of this letter). You will then E-sign the document and submit your payment to Re Vera Services, LLC to complete the background check.

**New Student Orientation Week\*** is mandatory and will begin Monday, September 13, 2021 and end Friday, September 17, 2021. MFE classes will officially begin Thursday, September 23, 2021. For planning purposes, please be aware that your official time in the MFE program begins with orientation and that workshops/events may be scheduled before the start of your classes. As such, please do not make other travel plans anytime between the end of orientation and the beginning of class instruction. (Please note: Newly admitted F-1 and J-1 students will receive an email notice from DCISS 30 days prior to the start date indicated on the I-20 with instructions on how to complete the *mandatory* iSTART *online* visa check-in.)

UCLA Anderson is a great place to learn and develop your potential. We strongly believe that you will reap significant benefits from being a part of the UCLA Anderson community, and that in turn, our community will be enhanced by your many contributions.

Congratulations, once again, on your admission to the MFE Program! We look forward to having you join us at UCLA Anderson this September.

Sincerely,

Mikhail Chernov MFE Faculty Director

**UCLA Anderson School of Management** 

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\*Please note that we continue to monitor the ongoing COVID-19 situation and its impact on admissions, travel and visa applications. UCLA is adhering to guidance from local, state and national public health authorities. The campus will provide updates to the Bruin community on any new developments that would affect the campus or the status of campus operations. We are committed to supporting our students as we strive for community, flexibility and success to light the way in these times. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at mfe@anderson.ucla.edu.