

Academic Year 2026/27

MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis

Code: 4050 F/P

MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (with Study Abroad)

Code: 5477 F (18 months)

MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (Dual Award)

Code: 4050N (Outgoing; 24-30 months)

Code: 4050I (Incoming; 12 months)

Notes

- (i) These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.
- (ii) A core module is a module which a student must pass.
- (iii) A core module for PSRB accreditation is a module a student is required to pass to obtain accreditation.
- (iv) A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.
- (v) All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.

1. Programme structure

- (a) Candidates may be admitted as full or part-time students. The periods of study are normally 12 months full-time or 24 months part-time.
- (b) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type	Core for PSRB Accreditation	Core for learning outcome	Mode
NBS8001	International Finance and Capital Markets	30	15	15		7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA, FM ¹ and AIA exemptions at fundamental level		
NBS8002	Techniques for Data Analysis	20	10	10		7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA and AIA		

¹ BT: Business and Technology; MA: Management Accounting; FA: Financial Accounting; FM: Financial Management

								exemptions at fundamental level		
NBS8003	Financial Information Analysis	20	10	10		7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA and AIA exemptions at fundamental level		
NBS8004	Dissertation (Analyst Report)	60			60	7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA and AIA exemptions at fundamental level		
NBS8005	Corporate Strategy and Valuation	20	10	10		7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA, FM and AIA exemptions at fundamental level		
NBS8006	Accounting for Analysts	30	15	15		7		Core for ACCA BT, MA, FA, FR ² and AIA exemptions at fundamental and professional 1 level		

(c) All candidates are required to take the following not for credit module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Core for PSRB Accreditation</i>	<i>Core for learning outcomes</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NBS8998	Academic Skills in AFFA MSc	0		0	7				

² FR: Financial Reporting

- (d) Part-time candidates shall study the modules in an order to be agreed by the Degree Programme Director.

2. Semester of Exchange

- a. Candidates who have successfully passed all taught elements of Year 1 at the first or second attempt may take part in a semester of study abroad at one of the School's exchange partner institutions. Such candidates shall transfer to (5477) MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (with Study Abroad).
- b. Permission to undertake a period of study abroad is subject to the approval of the Degree Programme Director. It is the responsibility of the individual students to make sure they meet the visa requirements of the country in which they plan to undertake a period of study. Travel and study abroad will be guided by the institutional policy and governmental policy at the time.
- c. International students undertaking this option must be aware that the University will withdraw UK student (Tier 4) visas for the time spent overseas.
- d. During the period of study abroad, students are required to take the following module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive Title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NBS8000	Business School PGT Mobility	0	0	0	7		

3. Dual Award – Outgoing students

- a. Candidates who have successfully passed all taught elements of Year 1 at the first or second attempt may, if selected through an application process, take part in a Dual Award at a participating NUBS partner institution, undertaking an additional year of study. Such candidates shall transfer to (4050N) MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (Dual Award).
- b. Permission to undertake a second year of study abroad is subject to the approval of the Degree Programme Director. It is the responsibility of the individual students to make sure they meet the visa requirements of the country in which they plan to undertake a second year of study. Travel and study abroad will be guided by the institutional policy and governmental policy at the time.
- c. International students undertaking this option must be aware that the University will withdraw UK student (Tier 4) visas for the time spent overseas.
- d. During the period spent studying at the partner institution, students are required to register for the following module at Newcastle University:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive Title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NBS7000	Business School Dual Award	0	0	0	7		

4. Dual Award – Incoming students

- a. Selected students from participating partner institutions will be registered on (4050I) MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (Dual Award).
- b. Students registered to this programme are not entitled to participate in a Semester Exchange opportunity, following completion of the degree programme.

5. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

6. Progress

Candidates may only proceed to the dissertation where they have passed all the taught modules or failed no more than 20 credits of taught modules.

7. Degree Title

Upon successful completion of the programme, the degree title awarded will be (4050F) MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis. Candidates who choose to take part in the Study Abroad shall be transferred onto the 18 month version of the programme and graduate with (5477F) MSc Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis (with Study Abroad)

Candidates who choose to take part in the Dual Award shall be transferred onto the 24-30 month version of the programme and upon successful completion of their second degree, will graduate with;

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Additionally, outgoing students will receive a separate certificate which details the partner institution they studied with as well as the degree certificate from the partner institution.

Incoming students:

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