

Structure of the Major in Finance

Finance Major Requirements (24 credits / 8 courses)

- **Required Courses (6 credits):**
 - FINA 385, 395.
- **Electives (18 credits):** Select six additional 400-level Finance courses offered by the Department.

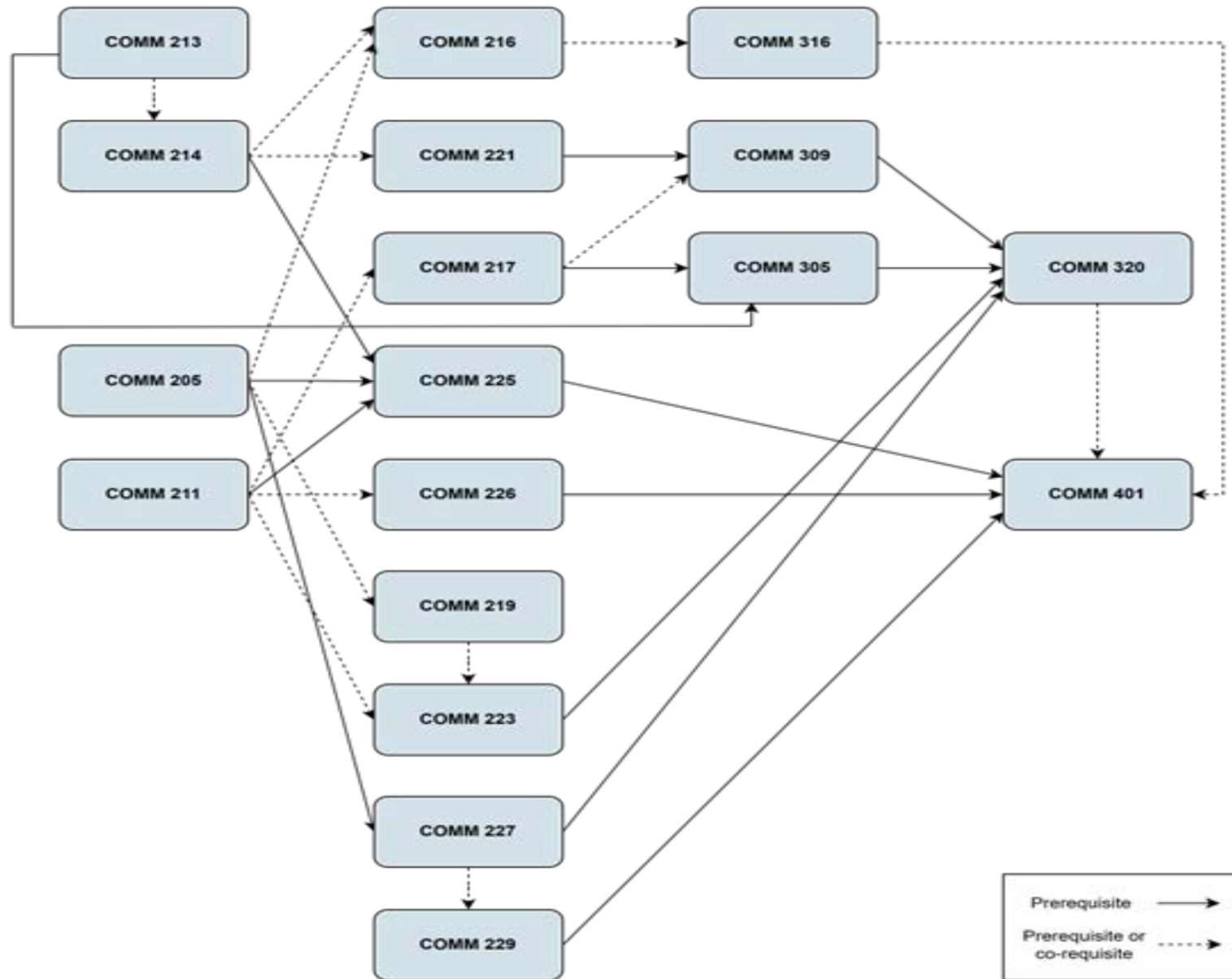
	COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT	PREREQUISITE	CO-REQUISITE	NOTES
Core Courses	COMM 205	Business Communication	3		ECON 203	
	COMM 211	Global Business Environment	3		ECON 201, 203	
	COMM 213	Computing and Visualization Tools for Business Analytics	1.5		ECON 201	
	COMM 214	Business Analytics	3	MATH 208, 209	COMM 213	
	COMM 216	Ethics, Business Sustainability, and Social Responsibility	1.5		COMM 205, 214	
	COMM 217	Financial Accounting	3		COMM 211	
	COMM 219	Innovation Management	1.5		COMM 205	
	COMM 221	Financial Markets	3	ECON 201	ECON 203, COMM 214	
	COMM 223	Marketing Management	3		COMM 211, 219	
	COMM 225	Production and Operations Management	3	COMM 205, 211, 214		
	COMM 226	Business Technology Management	3		COMM 211	
	COMM 227	Interpersonal and Critical Thinking Skills	3	COMM 205		
	COMM 229	Managing People in Organizations	3		COMM 227	
	COMM 305	Managerial Accounting	3	(COMM 213 or 215), COMM 217		
	COMM 309	Business Finance	3	COMM 221	COMM 217	
	COMM 316	Business Law and Ethics	1.5		COMM 216	
COMM 320	Entrepreneurship	3	COMM 223, 227, COMM 305, 309			
COMM 401	Strategic Management	3	COMM 225, 226, 229 and 45 business credits	COMM 316, 320		
Required Courses	FINA 385	Theory of Finance I	3	COMM 309, 221		
	FINA 395	Theory of Finance II	3	COMM 309, 221	FINA 385	
Elective Options	FINA 402	Short-Term Financial Management	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 405	Cases in Finance	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 408	Building and Testing Trading Systems Using Technical Analysis	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 409	Applied Investment Analysis	3			Permission of Department

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Elective Options	FINA 410	Investment Analysis	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 411	Portfolio Management	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 412	Options and Futures	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 413	Advanced Topics in Derivative Markets	3	FINA 412		
	FINA 415	Mergers and Acquisitions	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 416	Behavioural Finance	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 420	Real Estate Finance	3	COMM 309, FINA 210		
	FINA 421	Sustainable Investments	3	FINA 385	FINA 395	
	FINA 455	Seminar in Finance	3	Varies by Topic		Offered under different topics. Can change term-to-term.
	FINA 465	Trading in Financial Securities	3	(FINA 409 or 410), FINA 412		Cannot be taken if credit has been received under FINA 455.
	FINA 470	International Finance	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 471	Multinational Financial Management	3	FINA 470		
	FINA 481	Management of Financial Institutions	3	FINA 385, 395		
	FINA 482	International Banking: Operations, Policy and Strategy	3		FINA 481	
FINA 495	Honours Seminar in Finance	3			Honours Program	

Important Information

- Prerequisites:** A prerequisite must be completed before taking the next course. Example: COMM 309 → FINA 385.
- Co-requisites:** Courses that can be taken in the same term. Example: FINA 385 & FINA 395.
- Student Responsibility:** Students must follow the correct course sequence and retake failed courses before progressing.
- Curriculum Reference:** Check the [undergraduate calendar](#) or degree worksheet for your year of entry.
- Possible Finance Streams Include:**
 - Corporate Finance: FINA 402, 405, 415
 - Financial Institutions: FINA 471, 481, 482
 - International Finance: FINA 470, 471, 482
 - Derivatives: FINA 412, 413, 465
 - Investments: FINA 408, 409, 410, 411, 416, 420, 455

Flowchart for JMSB Core Courses



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