



ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

Canterbury

ECONOMICS AND FINANCE PROGRAMMES

Our School of Economics offers a wide range of postgraduate degrees which are informed by a thriving research culture and cosmopolitan academic community.

We are dedicated to excellence in both teaching and research and in the most recent Research Excellence Framework (REF), our submission was ranked 21st in the UK for research intensity by the *Times Higher Education*.

Classical economics programmes

MSc Economics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/194

This degree provides training in advanced economic theory and econometric methods. It develops a comprehensive understanding of how modern market economies function and how governments regulate market activity. Graduates from this programme typically work as economists and economics consultants to governments and private enterprises.

MSc Economics and Econometrics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/198

This stimulating project-orientated degree provides advanced training in the theory and practice of econometric modelling and is one of the few degrees in the UK to offer specialist training in this area. Students are prepared to become highly qualified data analysts and technical advisors for a wide range



of private companies as well as government institutions.

MSc Development Economics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/2207

Blending classical and modern explanations of development, this degree addresses problems faced by contemporary developing economies and analyses policies to overcome underdevelopment and stimulate growth. Graduates from this course typically work in international institutions and state departments that oversee development co-operation.

Financial economics programmes

MSc Financial Economics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/2206

Combining economic and finance theory with practice, this degree

builds a bridge between the core areas of financial economics (such as financial architecture, regulation and intermediation) and a classical finance curriculum. This provides you with enhanced versatility in the ever-more-demanding global job market. Graduates would typically start their career as financial analysts or consultants in the financial industry or at a variety of state institutions.

MSc Quantitative Finance and Econometrics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/2204

Focusing on rigorous quantitative treatment of models used in advanced financial engineering, this degree builds a solid foundation for work as a financial data analyst. It provides vast knowledge of quantitative tools and develops skills to clearly communicate results to

clients. Graduates would typically work in business consultancy specialising in finance, banking and investment management.

MSc International Finance and Economics

www.kent.ac.uk/pg/2205

From financial booms and crises to stagnation and sustained growth, this degree offers profound understanding of the mechanics of international capital flows and the functioning of international financial institutions. Graduates would typically go on to work in functional roles as economists in international financial institutions or analysts in financial consultancy.

Entry requirements

Usually, a minimum 2.1 (or equivalent) in economics, or a relevant subject, plus evidence of a quantitative background. For international students, we look for an equivalent level of attainment in examinations in the countries concerned. For specific details, see www.kent.ac.uk/pg

All students from non-English-speaking countries must show evidence of competence in an English language test at an appropriate level before beginning a postgraduate degree. For more information, see www.kent.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate/how-to-apply

Funding opportunities

The School of Economics and the University of Kent offer several types of scholarship for outstanding

students on MSc taught programmes for 2019/20.

These include:

- a number of International School Scholarships (£8,000 each)
- School of Economics Scholarships for Excellence (£3,500 each)
- four GREAT China Scholarships (in partnership with the British Council) (£10,000 each)
- a number of scholarships for Development Economics MSc (up to 50% of the tuition fee).

For further details of our scholarships, see: www.kent.ac.uk/scholarships/search

Tuition fees 2019/20

These programmes are available on a full-time basis only.

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| UK/EU students | £7,500 |
| International students | £15,700 |

How to apply

Applications are made electronically via our website at www.kent.ac.uk/courses/postgrad/apply

You can apply for our postgraduate programmes at any time. However, if you are applying for a programme that begins in September, we recommend that you submit your application by the end of July.

Further information

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Independent rankings

Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2019

- Kent was ranked in the top 10% of the world's universities for international outlook

Research Excellence Framework

- Kent was ranked in the top 20 for research intensity by the *Times Higher Education* following the most recent Research Excellence Framework (REF)

Times Higher Education awards 2017

- Kent won the Outstanding Support for Students award

Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education

- Over 92% of Kent postgraduate students who graduated in 2017 and responded to a national survey were in work or further study within six months (DLHE).

Teaching Excellence Framework

- Kent was rated gold for its outstanding teaching in the UK Government's Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF)*



*The University of Kent's Statement of Findings can be found at www.kent.ac.uk/tef-statement

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