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BSc in Quantitative Finance



QUANTITATIVE FINANCE (QFIN)

Since 1998, QFIN programme has groomed high-performers in finance and banking to helm the rapid economic growth both regionally and globally. Today we are more excited than ever about the finance industry and the future it promises. Get ready to rise above the competition and capture market opportunities with the rigorous academic training and powerful professional network offered with a QFIN education.



OVERVIEW

The QFIN programme is the first of its kind in Hong Kong. Since our establishment we have created a knowledgeable and active pool of graduates with deep community roots in the Pearl River Delta region and beyond. Engaged in everything from local start-ups to multinational investment banks, and from tech companies to Big Four accounting firms and other leading businesses, our alumni represent a rich regional and global resource which will be within your arm's reach when you join the QFIN programme.

QFIN offers a flexible, customisable curriculum that allows you to explore your potential and specialise according to your personal aspirations. You will also have the freedom to adjust your course selection to reflect real-time industry developments. Our targeted courses in finance, information technology, statistics and mathematics are complemented by enrichment courses such as *the Banking and Finance Practicum*, which brings you face-to-face with industry experts in real and simulated working environments.

A critical piece of the QFIN programme is whole person development, which we facilitate through a comprehensive co-curriculum that includes overseas exchange, internships, case competitions and volunteer service – along with on-the-job training experience and alumni engagement. These opportunities allow you to develop essential leadership and communication skills to complement your financial expertise, giving you a strong competitive edge in the marketplace.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

JUPAS Students

Local students applying on the strength of their Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) Examination should apply through JUPAS.

JUPAS code: **JS4252**

Minimum Entrance Requirements

Level 3 or above in Chinese Language, English Language and Mathematics

Level 2 or above in Liberal Studies

Level 3 or above in any two elective subjects, including:

1. Two New Senior Secondary elective subjects

or

2. One New Senior Secondary elective subject and Mathematics (Extended Part) Module I or Module II

Non-JUPAS & International Students

For details regarding admission requirements for non-JUPAS and international students, including students from Mainland China, please contact CUHK Office of Admissions and Financial Aid or visit www.oafa.cuhk.edu.hk/.



YOUR DEVELOPMENT

QFIN graduates are highly sought after by employers, recognised for their strong financial quantitative and qualitative skills, including valuation, asset allocation, credit and portfolio analysis, risk modelling, capital budgeting and structured finance.

Through your study in QFIN, you will develop an appreciation for social responsibility and the substantial impact it has on business sustainability. Your heightened sense of ethics and integrity, along with a sensitivity to the world around you, will help you emerge as a perceptive, well-rounded business leader. QFIN alumni actively give back to the communities in which they live and work, contributing to positive change in business and social environments.



Finance Trading Laboratory

Practical training courses on trading are offered as part of the programme. In addition to our in-house expertise, a number of firms and associations provide support and expert practitioner advice and training to our students.

As a QFIN student, you will be able to conduct and test your market analysis in our 53-desk Finance Trading Laboratory, among the best of its kind in the world on a university campus. The laboratory is equipped with Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters terminals, and is supported by unparalleled real-time data feeds from the New York Stock Exchange, the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, and Eurex, one of the world's leading derivatives exchanges.



Shiyu SONG

"Through the CUHK Finance Department, QFIN students have access to a world class finance trading laboratory, where Bloomberg, Thomson Reuters and many other databases are available. I benefitted a lot from using this trading laboratory: the up-to-date research reports provided me with different perspectives of the financial world; real-time data feeds allowed me to be connected with the global markets; the news, chart and graph functions from Bloomberg also saved my time for analysis. Equipped with such powerful tools, students are more efficient when participating in trading or case competitions."



Charlie LIU

"The real world of finance is very much different from what we learn from books, and that's why practical experience is so critical in this industry. I am very grateful that as a QFIN student, I had the privilege to take the Banking and Finance Practicum course, which provided me with priceless real-life exposure to the equity research industry."

Even though it is part of the curriculum offered by QFIN, the practicum course is actually more like an 'apprenticeship' or 'internship' than a typical 'course'. Instead of attending lectures, we communicate face-to-face with industry experts and equity research analysts from an external financial institution; instead of doing homework and taking exams, we present our original equity ideas and research reports in front of senior managers of the research department – and they challenge you just like you are a real analyst! The challenging but exciting course not only equipped us with the technical skills essential to succeed in this highly demanding industry, but also gave us precious insights into how research analysts really work in the 'mysterious' world of investment banking. It was definitely a memorable experience, and I would highly recommend any young talent interested in the finance industry to apply for the QFIN programme for the countless academic and career resources it provides, especially the practicum courses."



GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES

Internship Programme

QFIN internships complement and elevate the value of your undergraduate education, greatly improving your competitiveness in the financial job market.

- On average, QFIN students complete three internships during their course of study.
- More than 90% of students complete at least one internship in a finance-related institution.
- Students may take a leave of absence for one or more semesters during the programme to do full-time internships.

Our students have successfully completed internships in Hong Kong, the surrounding Pearl River Delta region including Shenzhen and Guangzhou, other cities in the Mainland, including Beijing and Shanghai, as well as overseas, including London, New York, San Francisco, Frankfurt, Singapore, Seoul and Tokyo.



Alexandra DING
at Goldman Sachs

"To sum up my off-cycle internship experience at Goldman Sachs Securities Division, the three words I would use to describe it would definitely be challenging, interesting and fruitful. Through the incredible 4 months with equity structuring team, I gained a deeper understanding towards the sales and trading industry by working alongside numerous bright colleagues on the trading floor and learnt from their ways of reading markets and doing business. Due to the culture of GS to focus on junior cultivation, I had tremendous opportunities to take responsibilities to help with real transactions and truly add value to the business. I really enjoyed being treated as a full-time analyst and getting assigned meaningful tasks such as help coming up with new structured products and price the exotics and hybrids.

As technical and intellectually interesting as the role can be, it is my major programme – Quantitative Finance that has helped me equip myself with the skillset of both fast learning and professional communication. Besides, thanks to the strong alumni network of QFIN programme, I got to know and learn from lots of successful seniors working in the finance industry, which also helped me tremendously grow professionally and personally."



Anson CHEUNG
at HSBC Global Markets

"My 10-week internship as a trading summer analyst at HSBC Global Markets was a very rewarding experience. I worked for the Counterparty Exposure Management team, which is usually known as the XVA trading desk. I assisted the team in doing pricing adjustment on various products, ranging from FX Forwards to Cross Currency Swaps, to take the credit risk and funding cost into account, and then hedging the risk through different strategies. Participating in the discussion within the team, I understood how the traders hedged their exposures and the rationale behind different hedging strategies, which is a precious opportunity to learn from the experienced traders.

The learning curve on the trading floor is very steep and you are expected to understand the business very quickly. I am glad the QFIN programme helped me to build a strong knowledge about both the financial markets and the quantitative theory behind it, which helped me to pick up the role faster and excel during the internship."



Nina CHEUK
at State Street

"My semester internship as a research intern at State Street Global Markets was definitely a valuable experience. I was given the opportunity to work with strategists under the macro strategy team, focusing on emerging markets research. During the internship, I assisted the team in creating research articles on recent key events for traders, asset managers and central banks officials, for example, China's MSCI A-share inclusion, steel and aluminium tariffs, US-China trade war, HKD weakness etc. Apart from being involved in the research articles, I was responsible for providing overnight market update and analysis on events during Asia trading hours for our European clients. This experience has given me new perspectives in understanding world events and their effects on the macro economy, the various industrial sectors and, finally, on asset allocation. Through addressing the ad hoc research requests from the sales and traders, I was also able to observe the synergies between sales, trading and research. It was indeed a privilege to gain hands-on experience in the financial industry by working with top professionals during my internship."



Louis LAU
at Pacific Pension & Investment Institute (PPI)
in San Francisco

"Working as a summer intern at the Pacific Pension & Investment Institute (PPI) in San Francisco was an unforgettable experience. Through the summer, I had the chance to learn about business from a global perspective by working with colleagues from diverse backgrounds with a different workplace culture. My work in research required a combination of academic knowledge and an understanding of different industries. It was challenging, but gave me an appreciation of the importance of a broader understanding of business issues, from regulations in the United States to investment strategies in India. Apart from my job duties, the experience in the United States was exceptional. PPI organised weekend activities, like hiking and sightseeing, for summer interns, encouraging us to gain American experiences. Never did I imagine such an opportunity to work in America and undoubtedly it was one of the best experiences I have ever had. I am proud to be a part of the QFIN family!"

CONNECT WITH **THE WORLD**

International Exposure

In an increasingly interconnected world, graduates with international experience and global business perspective will be best positioned for success. QFIN is an ideal place to translate your cultural curiosity into cross-cultural dexterity and better business performance.

- More than 85% of our students go on exchange at least once.
- We have exchange partnerships with universities in more than 70 cities across 19 countries and 6 continents.
- From the start of your second year, you can choose to do summer, one-semester or one-year exchanges.
- To maximise your experience, our flexible curriculum allows you to go on as many exchanges as you wish, provided you graduate within the maximum study period.

In addition to overseas exchange programmes, our students partake in international case competitions, study trips and overseas internships. These types of exposure provide further opportunities for personal and professional development, and your participation will be backed by extensive training and support from QFIN to help you make the most of your time overseas.



Jasmine YEUNG
at Stellenbosch University
in South Africa

"I was admitted to CUHK through the Sports Scholarship Scheme. Thanks to the flexibility of the QFIN programme, I could join various activities alongside my intensive training: I was president in a student society; captain of the fencing team; and I went to South Africa for exchange. Besides my studies, I also joined student activities including surfing, hiking, photography, wine tasting and many more. During my exchange, I got the chance to volunteer at a school located in the ghetto area. Living in Stellenbosch is awesome as well – imagine finishing class in the afternoon, then spending your evening with a glass of wine surrounded by nature.

Apart from studying, travelling is another thing that you must do during your exchange. I got the chance to go on different adventures like bungee jumping, crocodile cage-diving and joining a 26-day camping trip to see the deserts and wild animals in Africa. Reviewing my 4 years at university, exchange is literally my best experience so far. Grasp the chance, explore and enjoy!"



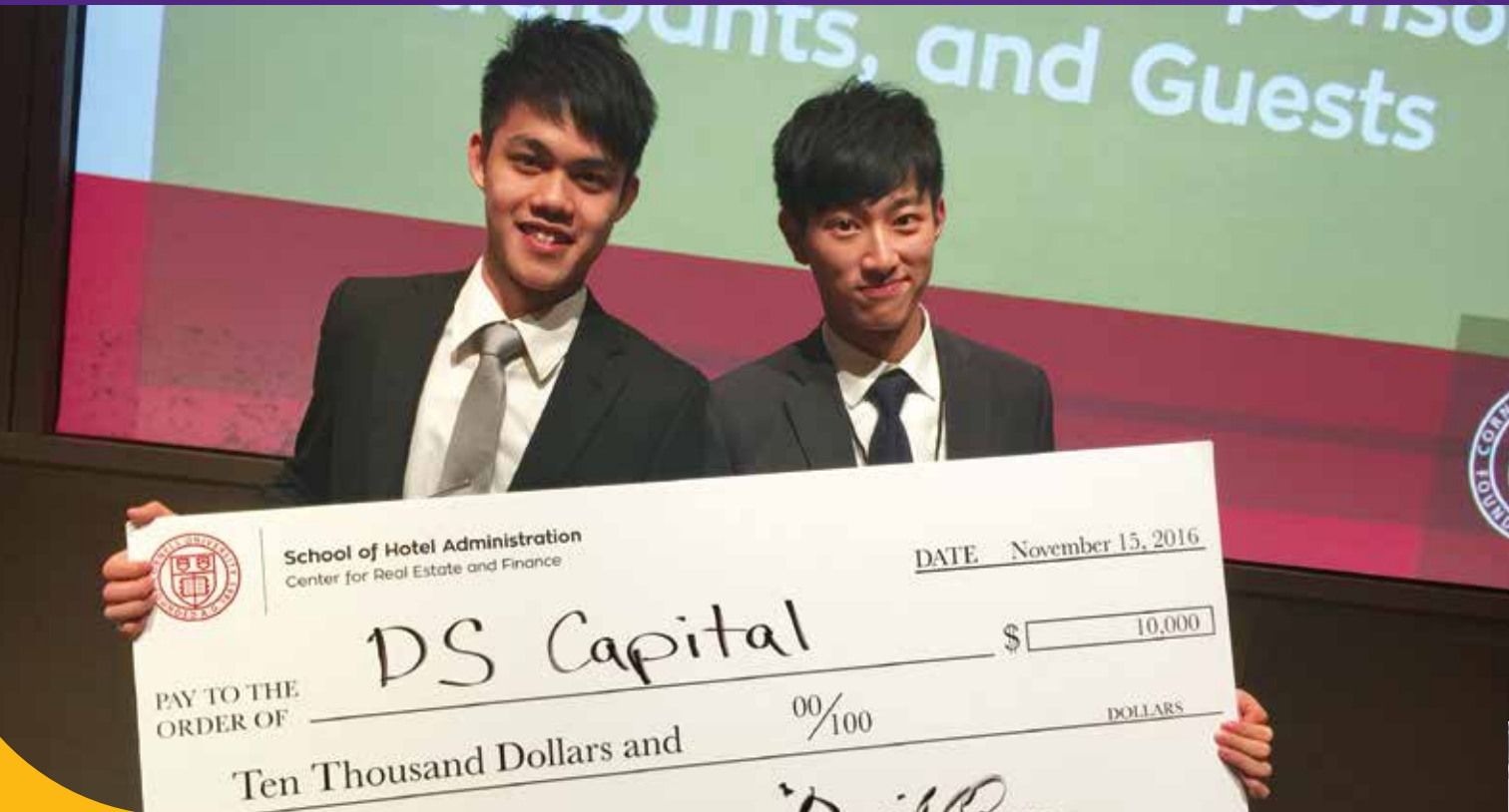
Arya YUAN
at University of Pennsylvania
in the United States

"The four months at Penn was one of the best times in my life. I made friends with Americans and other exchange students from the rest of the world, one of whom even visited me in Hong Kong shortly after. I soon adopted part of their sports culture and went on celebration parade when Philly Eagle won the Super Bowl (American football game).

America being the world's largest economy, I found it interesting to learn about their history and economy from classes at Penn. For example, one class covered the 2008 financial crisis and how the companies emerged from the crisis distressed and went through restructuring.

Visiting other cities in the states is also one thing you shall not miss. Living in Philly, New York and Washington are easily within reach during weekend trips and I had a great time outside classes."





William WANG and Lucas LI
Cornell International Real Estate Case Competition 2016 Champion

William

"The QFIN programme offers more than academic and career training. Through joining competitions, students get to be trained in teamwork, presentation skills and the application of business knowledge in an extensive way. There are local, regional and international competitions. I was fortunate enough to participate in various competitions with different themes, such as deal advisory, market entry strategy, entrepreneurship, hackathon and more. I learnt so much from each competition and the teammates with whom I worked.

Our team won the Cornell Real Estate Case Competition in New York City. The business case was about valuing a commercial property located in Minneapolis that involved the application of financing and post-acquisition value-unlock strategy, and the team got to present in front of panels of experienced industry participants after 5 days of continuous preparation. Before the competition, we received training from CUHK Business School about property valuation, which helped equip us with pragmatic financial modelling skills as commonly practiced in industry."

Lucas

"After learning theoretical knowledge from school, a case competition participation is a precious chance to gain practical experience. This motivated me to join the Cornell International Real Estate Case Competition in New York, teaming up with 5 other students from CUHK. We received intensive training for one month with real-life real estate market knowledge, financial modelling techniques and presentation skills, and flew to New York to compete with renowned schools from all over the world. We came up with the winning presentation, supported by comprehensive analysis, and completed in five days with great team effort, to take home the championship.

It was exciting that, under the competition's real-life set-up, we could brainstorm financial solutions to judges as if we were analysts in a private equity fund house. Other than the practical side, it was also an eye-opening opportunity for me to watch the presentations from elite teams from all over the world and exchange ideas with them."

Sam KAM
McGill International Portfolio Challenge 2017
Finalist

"McGill International Portfolio Challenge is a global asset management competition. Participants are given the task to construct a portfolio which can solve problems of a pension fund in five years.

Last autumn, our team represented CUHK at the final round of this competition. We went to McGill University and met finalists from 8 different countries. We had dinners and chatted with them to share experience. In the final round, we presented our investment ideas to professionals from famous asset management companies. They asked challenging questions during our presentation. All in all, it was definitely a fruitful experience to us. Through this competition, we widened our horizons and learnt how to apply theories to solve actual financial problems."



Renee LEUNG
Global Business Case Competition and Peak Time 2016
Champion

"It was really my privilege to be part of the CUHK case competition team, participating in the Global Business Case. The experience of competing in the Global Competition helped me to win the Peak Time, another international business case competition.

The final round of Peak Time was held in Riga, Latvia, which provided me a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to visit this old-style city. The competition itself was exceptionally challenging and demanding. Not only did we do two case studies and presentations in four hours each, we also competed with other teams in a business simulation, in which we had to analyse data and make decisions every hour using the CESIM platform. It was the first time for me to do a short case like that. However we were able to manage the time well, and presented a sound business plan which was well appreciated by the judges.

Joining case competitions not only gives you the opportunity to put the knowledge learnt at school into practice; it also enhances your problem solving, teamwork and presentation skills. Most importantly, you also learn about different companies and industries through doing case competitions as every case is different."

IMAGINE YOUR FUTURE

Career Prospects

Upon your graduation from QFIN, you will be equipped with strong analytical and quantitative skills, as well as practical business experience that will let you hit the ground running in your first job. You will be well-prepared to launch a career in investment, private, commercial or corporate banking, financial services, consulting, accounting as well as general management in major business corporations in Hong Kong and beyond. Top employers frequently target QFIN students for graduate recruitment.

Employers Include

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AIA Group
Allianz Global Investors
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Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Bank of China
Bank of Communications
Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ
Barclays
BlackRock
Bloomberg L.P.
BNP Paribas
BOCI-Prudential
CASH Financial Services Group
CFA Institute
China Alpha Investment
China Merchants Securities
CICC
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Citigroup
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CBA
Crédit Agricole CIB
Credit Suisse
DBS
Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu
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Eurex Frankfurt AG
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Forbes Private Capital
FTSE Group
Fullgoal Asset Management
Goldman Sachs (Asia) LLC
Guotai Junan Securities
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MSCI Inc.
National Australia Bank
Nomura
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P&G
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PPI
PricewaterhouseCoopers
Rabobank International
SAFE Investment Company
S&P Capital IQ
Schroders
Securities & Futures Commission
Shenyin Wanguo (HK)
Société Générale
Standard Chartered Bank
State Street Bank
Sun Hung Kai Properties
Symmetry Investments
The Royal Bank of Scotland
UBS
Wells Fargo
Western Asset Management
Willis Towers Watson
Zhongtai International



Career Coaching

Your QFIN education is supplemented by professional development support to help you discover and launch your career. We provide coaching, counselling and practical workshops covering all aspects of the job application process. We host career talks and networking sessions with prominent organisations as well as sharing sessions with alumni and industry professionals. You may also benefit from the many mentorship and buddy programmes available to further enhance your first-hand industry knowledge.

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The QFIN Programme at CUHK Business School is affiliated with the CFA Institute® University Affiliation Program. This affiliation certifies that our curriculum is well-suited to prepare students for CFA examinations and eventual employment in the finance and investment industry.

Our programme covers 70 percent of Level I topics under the CFA Program Candidate Body of Knowledge and CFA Institute ethical and professional standards. As a QFIN student, you are entitled to CFA Institute curricula, exclusive online Level I sample examinations, journals, webcasts and other educational resources. You are also eligible to apply for Level I CFA examination scholarships.

STUDENT LIFE



Society of Quantitative Finance (QFiS)

The closely-knit QFiS promotes the QFIN Programme within and outside of CUHK. It connects students with the business sector, providing society members updates on relevant news and developments within the financial industry.



Heidi CHAN

"I might not be the typical student who will enter the finance industry, but I was still fortunate to be a Quantitative Finance major. The programme offers me a high degree of flexibility to explore courses in different majors, and I can also balance my school work and extra-curricular activities to search for my real interests and passions.

I believe most young people love travelling. To me, volunteering overseas is an alternative way to understand the lives of others, the exposure to a new environment is also a challenge for me to become more independent and adaptable. In Costa Rica, together with 8 other volunteers, we travelled by truck to reach the hills where we visited Cabecar, one of the indigenous communities. There, we spent an evening around a campfire with them.

I also did a bridge-building service trip with Wuzhiqiao (無止橋) to Yunnan in China for 9 days and a humanitarian field training trip to Nepal for 7 days.

Through planning educational activities for our audience and doing weekend travels, I was able to practice my leadership skills and different ways of communicating and solving problems with other foreign volunteers."



Candy NG

"I was very pleased to be one of the representatives of CUHK joining the Cross-border Study Tour for Post-secondary Financial Talents Programme. In the programme, I paid visits to government bodies and financial regulators in Hong Kong and Shanghai. Through this, I got a better understanding of the differences in market operation and regulatory standards in these two places. I had the chance to spend five weeks working in a Chinese enterprise. This was a fresh experience for me since the working culture in Chinese enterprises is quite different from those in Hong Kong. In Chinese enterprises, the importance of seniority is significant and highlighted while local companies put more emphasis on the interaction among different levels of the company. And most importantly, in this tour, I made friends with students from other universities. Exchanging ideas with them was inspiring and made the tour very enjoyable."



Quantitative Finance Alumni Association (QFAA)

The QFAA nurtures and maintains a close relationship among alumni of QFIN and helps them develop strong networks in the business world. The Association organises seminars and social gatherings to help alumni and students stay current on the latest financial market developments whilst also promoting alumni relations and potential business collaboration.



Eric CHOI

"Since picking QFIN as my first choice when I was in high school, I had always wanted to work in the equity business.

I graduated in 2003 which was one of the worst years of all times. I wasn't able to get a relevant job in the equity market at all. However, I believe that if I am passionate enough my chance will come. Therefore, I spent a lot of time in building relationship and studying relevant things and hoping to get a chance to join the equity business. The training I got from QFIN became a critical part when the chance came. The hiring manager was an options market maker and he asked me a lot of questions about derivatives and concepts of market-making. I am very grateful that I learnt the relevant knowledge when I was in CUHK and this became a turning point in my career.

After running equity trading in Point72 for a few years, I am very happy to hire QFIN graduates given their strong academic background. However, I always try to remind our fellow classmates that finance is a human business. Never be shy and try to build your own relationships. I am looking forward to sharing more of my experience with QFIN schoolmates in the future."



Jack KO

"The QFIN Programme has equipped me with the analytical skills and the foundation knowledge in finance. For those who are interested in exploring the finance industry, this Programme has also provided excellent career resources and guidance to get us well prepared. With the solid alumni network established over 15 years, we enjoy listening to plenty of stories of a wide variety of career paths. The flexibility of the study environment has provided us with opportunities to develop our own unique experiences in internship and overseas exchange programmes."



Ronald YIM

"The most amazing parts of the QFIN programme are not only the solid academic foundation but also the exposure and networks you gain in 4 years of undergraduate life. I am from the first batch of graduates under the new curriculum. The flexibility and support from the programme allowed me to take courses that fit my interests, to go on summer and semester exchanges, as well as do several internships in various sectors. Every QFIN student has the chance to shape his/her own personal and career development.

Unlike most QFIN graduates, I joined the management consulting industry and I am now a Business Analyst at McKinsey & Company. As a junior consultant, I have already been engaged in solving complex business problems for a wide variety of multinational companies and have worked closely with their senior management. The QFIN programme equipped me with essential problem-solving skills, communication skills and leadership abilities.

The exposure, skills and network you acquire in the QFIN programme are beneficial to you in all industries. If you are looking forward to taking up challenges and exploring your potential, CUHK's QFIN programme will be your best choice."

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The QFIN Alumni Scholarships were established with the generous support of our alumni. These awards are exclusively available to QFIN students and are in addition to the numerous prizes, scholarships and academic awards offered through CUHK Business School.

QFIN Alumni Scholarships are intended to support and encourage exceptional individuals to pursue their studies at overseas universities. Recipients are selected on the basis of their academic merits, outstanding personal character, deep commitment to others and potential for leadership.

At present, one Outstanding Student Award and two Overseas Exchange Scholarships are awarded each year.

OUTSTANDING STUDENT AWARD

Agnes FONG

"It was my greatest honour to receive the Quantitative Finance Outstanding Student Award, especially on the year that marked the 20th anniversary of our Programme. This Award is the highest recognition for the effort I had paid throughout my QFIN journey. There had been ups and downs within these past 4 years, but with the support from my peers and the Programme Office, I was able to overcome and venture through the adversities, and achieve much more than what I had expected.

Owing to the invaluable opportunities provided by the Department and the University, my term as a QFIN candidate was full of experiences not limited to academia, but also in professional development, leadership, and extra-curricular activities. I was given the chance to attend and represent CUHK at the Boao Forum for Asia, to organise volunteer teaching projects in rural areas in Guangxi, to study abroad at UCLA as an exchange student, and to intern at banking institutions in both Hong Kong and Beijing. These experiences have shaped me into an all-rounded individual with international exposure. With the practical knowledge I had gained in class, and always bearing in mind the counsel to prepare for our careers early, I had worked hard and successfully passed the professional and licensing examinations before graduation, and became truly ready for the challenges out in the real business world.

Still, without the generous help and guidance from our alumni and the Department Office throughout the programme, I would not have been able to achieve what I have. Thus, I wish to contribute back to the Programme by becoming a mentor to current students and motivate them to pursue their ambitions, and personally tell them that we should never underestimate ourselves – luck is what happens when preparation meets opportunity."



Overseas Exchange Scholarships

Anthony WAH

"It was not until the last two months of my one-year exchange study in Japan did I realise how fruitful it was. Studying at Hitotsubashi University in Tokyo wasn't only about travelling to different areas in Tokyo and enjoying solo trips. I joined several ECA groups such as basketball team and wind orchestra. These experiences make my exchange beyond wonderful and precious.

I could only study Japanese from the very beginning when I arrived in Japan and couldn't take all those classes conducted in Japanese in the first semester. However, daily conversations with Japanese friends and internships effectively boosted my Japanese level. Eventually I took two finance courses taught in Japanese. I came to realise that Japanese classes are indeed very different from ours. Also, cultural differences can be seen on various aspects, ranging from working culture and career planning, to peer communication and even extra-curricular activities. Such differences opened my eyes, and allowed me to reflect on myself: what is the type of U-life I want?

Exchange is definitely at the top of your must-do list when you enter university. Thanks to the Exchange Scholarship, I got the chance to travel to some local prefectures like Mikawamiya. I had the chance to see how indigenous dwellers live along well with their city. This scholarship enabled me to expand my to-do list in this once-in-a-lifetime experience, and I would like to extend my gratitude to the warmest donors for supporting my exchange."



Bouki KWOK

"It is really a unique and remarkable experience to live and study in London for 5 months. London is such a bustling and hectic city with lots of things to enjoy and explore. My classmates in the university were willing to actively participate in lessons and shout out their ideas. I was deeply impressed by the learning environment there and I did enjoy working with local students on different coursework and projects.

Other than studying, travelling is also an inseparable part of my exchange life. It is a good way for me to understand more about the culture of a city and to meet new friends. Among the 10 countries I have travelled to, I like Switzerland the most. We have been to Jungfrauoch – Top of Europe which is 3454m above sea level and the view was really amazing.

Thanks to the generous support of the alumni from the QFIN programme, I was awarded the Exchange Scholarship and the department does support students like me to go on exchange which is a once-in-a-lifetime experience. I would definitely encourage you to grasp this opportunity to explore the world!"



QFIN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The QFIN Programme's rigorous yet flexible curriculum is guided and regularly reviewed by the QFIN Advisory Committee to ensure the best possible learning outcomes for you. Comprised of seasoned professionals in finance and various related organisations, the Committee advises on the direction of the programme and the quality and relevance of course content. Members also facilitate internship and graduate placements, practicums and mentorship programmes.



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