



**University of  
Zurich** <sup>UZH</sup>

**UZH International Summer Schools**

**Online Format**  
Apply by  
25 April 2021



**Finance for the Future**

**Investments, Sustainable Finance and FinTech**

**4 – 23 July 2021**

**Faculty of Business, Economics and Informatics  
in collaboration with the International Relations Office**

## Course Description

In this online summer school, the fundamentals of wealth management and the latest developments in this area – Sustainable Finance and FinTech – will be presented. You will learn the theoretical basics of portfolio management and play a simulation in which you will manage two investment funds in a group.

Sustainable Finance has emerged as a key opportunity to deploy large amounts of capital for financial returns and positive social and environmental outcome. The remaining sessions are dedicated to FinTech. FinTech is the new technology and innovation that aims to compete with traditional financial methods in the delivery of financial services.

The impact of the current situation with COVID-19 on the financial markets will also be discussed during several sessions.

Participating in this online summer school will not only allow you to get to learn theoretical aspects about finance, but also to interact with practitioners and experts from academia. A unique opportunity to expand your network!

<b>Hosting Institute</b>	Department of Banking and Finance, UZH
<b>Course Director</b>	Prof. Dr. Marc Chesney
<b>Course Manager</b>	Dr. Benjamin Wilding, Anja Zraggen
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Credits</b>	6 ECTS
<b>Target Audience</b>	2nd or 3rd year Bachelor students and Master students

## Main Learnings

- Get to know the past, present and future development of the Swiss financial system and the wealth management in Switzerland.
- Enhance your knowledge in macroeconomics and finance (financial instruments, asset classes, behavioral finance).
- Learn from scientists and people from the practice about the most recent and promising trends in FinTech and Sustainable Finance.
- Test and apply your gained knowledge in a portfolio management game.

## Teaching and Learning Methods

- Podcasts and Livestreams - Watch sessions on our online platform and interact with lecturers during live sessions
- Q&A sessions - Ask your questions and get answers from your UZH teaching team
- Group work - Interact with other students and work together on your projects
- Game-based learning: Apply the knowledge you gained within a digital simulation. Team spirit and fun will not be missing.



## Fees

The regular fee for this Summer School is CHF 1,500.

The fee includes:

- Tuition and application fee
- Final certificate and transcript
- Virtual classroom teaching
- A digital social program that will foster your intercultural competence

## Scholarships

We offer generous discounts to students from UZH partner universities, including strategic partners and international networks (Universitas 21 and LERU).

State your interest in a scholarship in your motivation letter. Once we have received your application, we will notify you of any potential discounts available to you.



## Application

Strong Bachelor students, who have completed their first year of study, as well as Master students are encouraged to apply. This course is open to students from all subject areas.

Please apply online on our registration form as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. We will carefully check your application and get back to you within seven days. For further information on the application process please visit [www.summerschools.uzh.ch](http://www.summerschools.uzh.ch).

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