#### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN FINANCE

### **ELECTIVE COURSES SPRING 2026**

# Outline spring term 2026

Study Period 1	Core: GM1033 Investments (7,5 credits)
Study Period 2	Core: GM1038 Financial Econometrics (7,5 credits)
Study Period 3-4	Elective courses: 15 credits in total

# **Important!**

- On Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December, you will receive a unique link (to your Ladok registered email), that takes you to the application form. The link in the email is personal so do not let anyone else submit their choices via your personal link. You can revise your elective choices until the deadline by re-submitting the form. If you are having problems or you have not received your personal link, you should contact Karin Jansson (karin.jansson@gs.gu.se) at the Graduate School.
- Some courses are part-time and run parallel with each other. They are not always
  compatible schedule-wise and if you are considering part-time courses, check
  and make sure that the schedules match before you make your choice. It is not
  recommended to mix full-time and part-time courses in the same study period.
- Courses with **pre-requisites** are noted in this document (marked with x). For these courses you need to check that you fulfil the pre-requisites in the course syllabus *before* sending your choices.
- All elective courses are 7,5 credits.
- For the next semester and for each study period, you will yourself register for your courses in Ladok. Registration for study period 1 is open between 10<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> January. Note that course registration is necessary for you to take part in the course, gain access to the course Canvas page and to have your study results reported.

The deadline for choosing courses is Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 11:00 hrs.

Make sure you have chosen 15 credits. Choose carefully.

You cannot change courses after the deadline.

## Information about the courses

### Click on the course code link to find:

**Content**: In the course syllabus

**Schedule:** Please note! The schedule is preliminary and can be updated until 2 weeks before the start of the course. If you wish to see schedules for more than one course at a time, enter the course codes in the <u>preliminary schedule link</u> for spring 2026.

**Literature:** Literature/Reading list for spring 2026 is available 8 weeks before the course starts.

**Examination dates**: Examination dates for written exams are noted in the schedule.

**Grading system**: In the course syllabus.

**Specific pre-requisites:** In the course syllabus. Some courses have pre-requisites in accordance with the entry requirements for a specific Master´s programme. For those courses, check that you fulfill the entry requirement in the relevant programme syllabus below:

- Programme syllabus Master of Science in Accounting and Financial Management
- Programme syllabus Master of Science in Economics
- Programme Syllabus Master of Science in Finance

If the column "Specific pre-requisites" is blank, you are considered eligible. If you have questions regarding the pre-requisites, you are welcome to contact the <u>student</u> counselling.

**Ranking of candidates:** Some courses are very popular and have more applicants than available seats. In such cases, students are ranked by their number of university credits (maximum 285 credits). If the course is full, you will be contacted by email to make a new choice. We will also contact you if you have made an incorrect choice, or do not meet the entry requirements.

## **COURSES**

# FULL-TIME Study Period 3 (26 March – 3 May 2026)

Code	Course name	Specific pre- requisites	Sustainability labelled
<u>GM0755</u>	Advanced Industrial Organization		
GM1037	Derivative Securities		
GM1209	Environmental Effects and Conflicts in Long-		focused
	run Economic Development		
<u>GM1403</u>	Management Accounting, Strategy and	Х	
	Control		

# FULL-TIME Study Period 4 (4 May – 7 June 2026)

Code	Course name	Specific pre- requisites	Sustainability labelled
GM0533	Maritime Logistics		
GM0756	Big Data Analytics for Business and		
	Economics		
<u>GM1019</u>	Mergers and Acquisitions	X	
<u>GM1035</u>	Private Equity		
<u>GM1217</u>	Project Management and Project Planning		related

## PART-TIME Study Periods 3 & 4 (26 March – 7 June 2026)

Code	Course name	Specific pre- requisites	Sustainability labelled
<u>GM1126</u>	Marketing in the service economy		
GM1325	Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship		focused

# Sustainability labelling of courses

Courses that are **sustainability-focused**, where at least one of the learning outcomes clearly shows that the course content meets one of the current sustainability criteria. In accordance with the criteria, the content with a focus on sustainability must also constitute the main focus of the course.

Courses that are **sustainability-related**, where at least one of the learning outcomes clearly shows that the course content meets one of the current sustainability criteria.

Criteria for sustainability labelling