Corporate Governance & Finance Online

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SUCCESSFUL COMPANIES INTEGRATE FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE AND GOVERNANCE MECHANISMS

In our Master program Corporate Governance & Finance Online, we equip you with the strategic vision and specific tools to successfully manage the complexities in a globalized and fast-paced business environment. Our internal faculty and internationally renowned experts from the fields of finance and corporate governance provide you with knowledge and competences at the interface of financial management and governance systems.

Corporate Governance & Finance Online is not a typical distance education program. Based on a blended learning concept, the program employs a mix of online courses and traditional on-campus classes. The biggest part of the workload are individual learning assignments, which gives you as a student even more temporal and local flexibility. Overall, this study program is designed for those who do not want to decide between a Master degree or work experience. Thanks to the blended learning concept, you can have both and combine studying and working.

You should consider Corporate Governance & Finance Online if you are looking for a program that
• fits your schedule and allows you to study from anywhere
• offers comprehensive academic and administrative support and an international network
• helps you to gain future-oriented skills & competencies
• allows you to study while you are working
• has an excellent reputation and reasonable tuition fees

FH-Prof. Dr. Maria Rabl
Head of Department

Prof. Dr. Andreas Altmann
Rector
## Overview

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<th><strong>TITLE</strong></th>
<th>Master program Corporate Governance &amp; Finance Online</th>
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<td><strong>ACADEMIC DEGREE</strong></td>
<td>Master of Arts in Business</td>
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<td><strong>DURATION</strong></td>
<td>4 semesters including Master thesis and final exam</td>
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<td>Expertise in financial management and governance systems combined with advanced academic research skills</td>
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<td><strong>TIME MODEL</strong></td>
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<td>2 consecutive days (usually Friday &amp; Saturday), 6 ~ 8 days per semester</td>
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Program

WE EQUIP YOU WITH THE STRATEGIC VISION AND SPECIFIC TOOLS TO DEAL WITH COMPLEX BUSINESS ENVIRONMENTS

Having a sound financial foundation is a key success factor for companies. Nevertheless, recent corporate scandals have shown that it is no longer enough for companies to focus on financial performance only. This is where corporate governance comes into play. Companies have to set up a system of rules and practices to balance diverse stakeholders’ interests and to attain the company’s objectives.

In the Master program Corporate Governance & Finance Online you will

- learn to analyze and understand complex financial problems and develop knowledge-based and methodological competences required for a career in the modern financial industry.
- recognize aspects of corporate governance which are part of your professional life and learn how to handle them successfully.
- understand the increasing importance of corporate governance issues across a range of business such as big companies, SMEs, non-profit organizations or public authorities.
- understand and integrate both corporate governance and finance.
- develop the necessary management behavior and operational competencies to successfully manage a company.

THE MODULES AT A GLANCE*

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*all above figures rounded; ECTS = European Credit Transfer System

Career prospects & goals

WIDE RANGE OF OPPORTUNITIES AND DEVELOPMENT PATHS

The competence to link different concepts and think beyond departments combined with practical experience opens up a wide range of career opportunities for our graduates. After graduation, you will be well qualified for

- working in leading management positions in big companies, SMEs, non-profit organizations or public authorities, e.g. as financial controller, risk manager, compliance & governance manager, business analyst, consultant, project manager,
- starting your own business, or
- pursuing an academic career.
Time model

ENHANCE YOUR CAREER AND COMBINE STUDYING AND WORKING

With only two webinars per week and six to eight on-campus days in Innsbruck per semester we give you the temporal and local flexibility to work full-time while studying Corporate Governance & Finance Online.

- Webinars: 2 webinars per week in the evening
- On-campus sessions: 3 blocks à 2 days on-campus sessions in Innsbruck per semester (usually Friday & Saturday)
- Flexible time: Approx. 20 hours workload per week that can be scheduled individually & flexibly

Webinars  
On-campus sessions in Innsbruck  
Flexible time
(Online) assignments, preparation and follow-up work, group and project work.

eCampus at MCI

THE WORLD IS YOUR CLASSROOM

MCI eCampus facilitates studying online with a high level of autonomy in time and place. As a student, you can download the teaching and learning materials from eCampus and work on them when and where it suits you. While working autonomously, you are always in contact with faculty, fellow students and the MCI’s support services.

The learning platform Sakai is our main communication tool. You can access this online platform and all relevant course materials and tools from anywhere at any time. The conference solution Adobe® ConnectTM is used for the online webinars. Through the personal customized learning environment on MCI eCampus, you receive the latest updates, e-mails, and all necessary information, so that you can fully concentrate on your studies. Assignments and tests to check the personal learning progress, plus discussion forums and moderated chats, further facilitate your online study process.
MCI Learning Goals Master

In order to ensure the transfer of learning and enable students to further develop competencies leading to clear profiles for their future careers, the MCI has formulated detailed cross-curricular learning goals. MCI’s learning goals clearly define what students will know, understand and, what competencies they will have.

COMMUNICATION
Our graduates are effective communicators in their field of work.
Objective: Our students can discuss problems, ideas, and solutions with specialists and non-specialists.

SCIENTIFIC METHODS
Our graduates are competent in applying scientific methods to solve practical problems.
Objectives: Our students can apply relevant theories and appropriate scientific methods in their field of work. Our students can act according to ethical principles when doing scientific work.

Specific learning goal
CORPORATE GOVERNANCE & FINANCE
Our graduates are responsible global citizens.
Our students actively promote the integration of responsibility in decision-making processes.
## Curriculum

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Faculty

With a mixed faculty comprising the MCI’s own teachers, managers from science, technology and business, international visiting lecturers, and recognized experts from the worlds of research, consulting and the liberal professions, the MCI offers an enriching combination of theory and practice that creates added value for students and enables them to put their new-found knowledge to the test, while the latest findings in theory and practice are integrated in the program with synergistic benefits.

The high educational standard and close mentoring of students ensure that they receive a training with a strong practical orientation in an efficient program which can be completed within the prescribed period. The combination of theory and practice is the key to an innovative teaching and learning experience.

Tuition

Students from EU & EEA countries are required to pay a tuition fee of currently EUR 363 per semester plus membership fee to the Austrian Student Union. Details & information for students from third countries can be found at www.mci.edu/admission.

To ensure that accepted students take up their places and do not break off their studies without good cause, a deposit in the amount of the student fees is charged, which subsequently goes towards tuition fees for the second semester. Students are also responsible for paying the required course materials distributed by MCI.

Degree

Graduates of the program are conferred the academic degree Master of Arts in Business, in short MA or M.A. (attested by a leaving certificate, the Master diploma, the international diploma supplement etc.). It is recommended to combine the academic degree with the brand “MCI” to provide trust and orientation in an increasingly non-transparent international education market. Example: MA (MCI).

MCI Alumni & Friends provides a dynamic service platform promoting contacts, image, professional careers and personal development of MCI and its graduates.

Going global

One of the most essential components of MCI study programs is their international orientation. This is reflected not only in the curriculum and assigned projects, but also in the backgrounds of our faculty and students. Even though there is no mandatory semester abroad in the study program Corporate Governance & Finance Online, we encourage our students to take advantage of this opportunity and complete courses abroad.

Further information: https://www.mci.edu/en/international
Admission

THE PROGRAM ACCEPTS


2. Graduates of other Bachelor or post-secondary programs comprising courses totaling a minimum of 70 ECTS credits in:
   • business administration / strategic management
   • accounting / controlling
   • human resource management / business process management

Details: www.mci.edu/admission

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

The MCI operates an admissions procedure for all study programs. The dates are listed on the individual study program websites, and an overview of the dates for all the programs is available at www.mci.edu/deadlines.

Places are allocated on the basis of the following criteria:

- Online application: CV & motivation
  Particular attention is paid to previous education and certificates obtained, general professional development and applicants’ academic and professional goals.

- Online admission interview
  The interview gives applicants the opportunity to present themselves personally, to expand on the information provided in the application and to explain their academic and professional goals. A Skype-based interview is also possible.

Detailed information on the admission procedures for the individual study programs and preparatory documents for the written entrance exams can be accessed on the webpage of the study program concerned.
**Further information**

The MCI team is always happy to assist with regard to applications. Advice on all aspects of study at the MCI, including applications and our attractive student services, is available to personal callers or by phone. For an appointment, please mail to office@mci.edu, call +43 512 2070-0 or contact us via WhatsApp +43 664 88723671.

With a program of sample lectures, study program presentations, project presentations and laboratory visits, the MCI Open House is an ideal source of guidance in selecting the right study program. For the dates, please go to [www.mci.edu/openhouse](http://www.mci.edu/openhouse).

The Facebook site of MCI serves as a platform for exchange with other (potential) students.

**Facebook:** Join us on Facebook and keep you updated on:
- the latest events
- current topics
- job opportunities
- photos

[www.facebook.com/department.bwlo](http://www.facebook.com/department.bwlo)

**CONNECT WITH MCI**
Location, campus & services

The MCI offers students an excellent infrastructure with attractive lecture rooms, computer labs, space for group work, and modern research facilities as well as conveniently located student accommodation and car parking, and excellent access by public transport. Students also enjoy a unique university setting, with mountains on the doorstep, unbeatable opportunities for sports and leisure activities, and three other countries – Germany, Switzerland and Italy – just around the corner.

LIBRARY
Thanks to an exemplary cooperation agreement signed with Innsbruck University, students have full access to the international scientific literature and professional library services with generous opening hours. In addition, the MCI has its own smaller reference libraries with a great selection of newspapers, magazines and journals. www.mci.edu/en/library

ACCOMMODATION
As an old university town, Innsbruck offers a wide range of accommodation in dormitories, studios, shared apartments etc. www.mci.edu/en/accommodation

SPORTS & LEISURE
Innsbruck – at the heart of the Alps – is an outstanding tourism destination that has hosted the Winter Olympics twice and as such is the perfect place for year-round sports and leisure activities. The Innsbruck University Sports Institute (USI) is also open to MCI students and offers modern facilities for a wide range of sports and healthy exercise. www.mci.edu/en/sports

ALUMNI & FRIENDS
The MCI’s alumni association is a dynamic platform for debate and personal contacts for all MCI graduates, students, faculty and partners. Panel discussions with first-rate international speakers are a stimulating source of motivation and ideas and an enjoyable way to share knowledge and experience. www.mci.edu/en/alumni

CAREER
In keeping with the MCI’s motto ‘mentoring the motivated’, a Career Center with its own international network supports MCI graduates during their first steps and subsequent development in the business world and enables companies to choose their recruitment needs from a pool of excellence. The Career Center offers support and guidance for students and alumni, including internship placements and job opportunities, interview training, career coaching and industry recruitment events. www.mci.edu/en/career

LANGUAGE SKILLS
The MCI’s international orientation is underscored by the wide range of foreign languages offered, with a focus on intercultural competence and communication skills in addition to language competence. Extra-curricular language courses are available in Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, and Russian among many others. Experienced language trainers with first-class didactic skills provide a varied and fun learning experience. www.mci.edu/en/languages

STUDENT LIFE
As a university town, Innsbruck is a young-at-heart city that offers MCI students creative interaction in a wide range of fields, and a variety of entertainment and social activities (arts, music, societies, churches, health, shopping, nightlife etc.). www.mci.edu/en/studentlife

START UPS
Entrepreneurial thinking and working are taken seriously at the MCI. The MCI’s faculty, students and graduates with the entrepreneurial spirit wishing to set up their own businesses or make commercial use of the results of their research benefit from the in-depth expertise and modern infrastructure. www.mci.edu/en/startup
Study at MCI

For full information, please visit our website at www.mci.edu. We are always happy to advise.

BACHELOR  6 semesters

Management & Society
- Business Administration
- Business & Management
- Management, Communication & IT
  - Management
  - Media
- Management & Law
- Nonprofit, Social & Health Care Management
  - Health Management
  - Nonprofit Management
  - Social Management
- Social Work
- Tourism Business Studies

Technology & Life Sciences
- Biotechnology
- Biotechnology & Food Engineering
- Digital Business & Software Engineering
- Environmental, Process & Energy Engineering
- Industrial Engineering & Management
- Mechatronics
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Mechanical Engineering
- Medical, Health and Sports Engineering
  - Medical Engineering
  - Health and Sports Engineering
- Smart Building Technologies

MASTER  4 semesters

Management & Society
- Corporate Governance & Finance
- Entrepreneurship & Tourism
  - Marketing Management
- Strategic Management
- European Health Economics & Management
- International Business & Law
- International Business & Management
- International Health & Social Management
- Management, Communication & IT
- Social Work, Social Policy & Management

Technology & Life Sciences
- Biotechnology
- Food Technology & Nutrition
- Chemical Engineering
- Energy Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Plant Engineering & Operations
- Industrial Engineering & Management
- Mechatronics & Smart Technologies
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Mechanical Engineering
- Medical Technologies

EXECUTIVE EDUCATION

Executive PhD Program in Management

Executive Master  4 semesters
- Digital Business MBA
- Digital Economy & Leadership MSc
- Digital Marketing & Analytics MSc
- Executive MBA
- LL.M. Digital Business & Tech Law
- Management & Leadership MSc

Certificate Courses
- Controlling & Management
- Corporate Communications
- Digital Business Analytics
- Family Business
- General Management
- Human Resources Management
- Innovation Management
- Management, Psychology & Leadership
- Marketing
- Sales Management
- Systemic Leadership Psychology

Management Seminars
- Management
- Leadership
- Communication
- Digital Skills
- Leadership Trainings
- Programs for universities
- Corporate Programs
- Technical Trainings
- Automation & Control Engineering
- Fundamentals of Process Engineering
- In-house Energy Management
- Workshop Computational Fluid Dynamics
- International Sessions for Students
- Summer School / Winter School

ENG = English, GER = German, FT = Full-time, PT = Part-time, ONLINE = Blended learning (online & attendance modules)