

# FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT, CERTIFICATE

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Requirements for an undergraduate certificate may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the certificate.

## Program Description

This certificate program is designed to prepare students for a career in risk management; and, for those interested, to gain exposure to topic that constitute the first part of the Financial Risk Manager (FRM) exam, sponsored by the Global Association of Risk Professionals (GARP). The FRM exam is the primary industry designation with over 20,000 candidates taking the exam twice a year. Students completing the certificate are prepared to pass the first part of this two-part exam. The certificate requires a total of 21 credit hours and can be completed concurrently with a Penn State Behrend degree or via continuing education. More information can be found on the Penn State Behrend website (<https://behrend.psu.edu/school-of-business/academic-programs/certificate-programs/financial-risk-management>).

## What is Financial Risk Management?

Financial risk management is the practice of managing exposure to potential economic losses. Penn State Behrend's certificate in Financial Risk Management includes preparation for the first part of the Financial Risk Manager certification exam sponsored by the Global Association of Risk Professionals.

## You Might Like This Program If...

You are an Accounting or Finance major who aspires to a career in financial risk management.