



## New Bachelor *in*

# “Finance and Accounting ”

*"Behind every smart decision lies financial knowledge"*

## Why a Bachelor in “Finance and Accounting”?

- Offers a modern program, developed in collaboration with BOKU University and aligned with the dynamic demands of the labor market
- Combines theoretical knowledge with practical applications in finance and accounting
- Develops skills in financial analysis, management, and decision-making
- Provides training in economic and financial evaluation, as well as in the design of policies and development projects
- Equips students with skills to analyse funding sources and financing approaches
- Offers knowledge on the functioning of financial markets and institutions
- Builds competencies in financial reporting in line with national and international accounting standards
- Integrates modern technologies and FinTech concepts that are transforming financial services globally and in Albania
- Enhances employment opportunities and adaptability in a dynamic job market

## Competencies of the graduates

Graduates of this program will acquire the following competencies:

- In-depth professional knowledge and analytical skills in the field of finance and accounting for economic entities in the agricultural sector and other economic sectors.
- Skills in using contemporary approaches, including techniques, methods, software, to analyze the financial performance of economic entities useful in making financial decisions.
- Knowledge to assess and address the financial risk of economic activity and financing of economic entities.

- Skills in financial reporting methods and implementation of accounting standards for the private and public sectors.
- Capacities for financial planning, budgeting and implementation of investment projects in the field of agriculture and agribusiness, as well as knowledge of financing schemes and their effectiveness in the agricultural sector, but not only.
- Ability to design and propose economic policies and projects that promote development and alignment with European Union integration policies.
- Ability to assess financial, economic impact and social impact of various public and private programs or policies on economic entities.

## Potential employer and/or career path

Graduates can pursue careers in the following positions and roles:

- In financial institutions and organizations, in financial and banking institutions as well as in non-banking ones. In roles such as financial manager, financial analyst, credit analyst, financial services expert for individuals, businesses and the government.
- In the private sector, in private economic entities and NGOs as a finance, accounting and budget specialist, as well as in the role of financial advisor, etc.
- In the public sector, in public institutions at the central and local level as a budget specialist, fiscal system expert, debt specialist, local finance specialist, etc.
- In higher education institutions, public and private education, as well as in scientific research institutions, public and private, as a finance and budget specialist, investment analyst, research assistant, etc.
- In the non-financial market, in the insurance market and the real estate market as a sales agent, financier, advisor, etc.

In international institutions and organizations as a financial consultant for development policies and projects, finance and accounting specialist, specialist for project evaluation and monitoring.

## Alumnus and Experiences

### **Florinda Zherri**

Assistant Professor, Department of Finance and Accounting, Faculty of Economics and Agribusiness, Agricultural University of Tirana

*“This program inspired me to pursue an academic path, and today, as an Assistant Professor, I share the same values and knowledge with my students”*

**Henri Ndreca**

General Director, T-Blocks

*“My studies in Finance and Accounting built the foundation of my leadership, equipping me with strategic thinking, analytical discipline, and a vision for innovation. Today, as Chief Executive Officer of T-Blocks, these competencies translate into sound decision-making and the continuous growth of the business”*

**Fatmir Nikolli**

Regional Director and Director of the Agriculture Segment, NOA Sh.A

*“My studies in Finance and Accounting provided the foundation to lead with vision and to support the sustainable development of the agricultural sector at the regional level”*

**Esmeralda Doçi**

Head of the General Accounting Sector, Directorate of Finance, Social Insurance Institute

*“My studies in Finance and Accounting built a strong professional foundation and the integrity required to responsibly manage public finances and ensure transparency in administration”*

## The interdisciplinarity of the program

- 50 % ECTS in Social Sciences
- 24-25 % ECTS in Natural Sciences
- 24-25 % ECTS in Technical Sciences

The program is built on the principle of interdisciplinarity, which aims to integrate approaches, methods, techniques and analytical tools from different disciplines, producing new knowledge and solutions to complex problems with real impact on the economic, financial, social and technological challenges of a rapidly and continuously changing world. This interdisciplinary approach, which reflects the interconnected reality of the modern business world and follows the example of successful international programs, gives students a broader perspective and the ability to analyze and solve complex problems from multiple perspectives. In alignment with international standards (Muster Curricula), the program integrates knowledge from the fields of

technology, natural sciences, and economics, ensuring a comprehensive and interdisciplinary education that prepares students to address complex challenges.

### Which master programs are suggested?

- Finance
- Accounting
- Finance and Accounting
- Accounting and Auditing
- Finance and Banking
- Business Administration
- FinTech
- Economics
- Public Policy
- Public Financial Management