NUS School of Computing

Master of Science in Digital Financial Technology (MSc DFinTech)

(Effective from AY2023/2024)

Elective Courses (12 units)

Students are strongly encouraged to take the elective courses from one vertical track, but are not restricted to do so.

Vertical #1. Computing Technologies

Courses	Units	Available in Semester 1	Available in Semester 2
CS5224 Cloud Computing	4		✓
CS5231 Systems Security	4	✓	
CS5321 Network Security	4		✓
CS5331 Web Security	4		✓
CS5421 Database Applications Design and Tuning	4		✓
CS5439 Software Security	4	√	
FT5008 Contemporary Topics in Blockchain Applications	2	√	
IS4234 Compliance and Regulation Technology	4	√	
IS5008 Technology Risk and Cyber Resilience	4		✓
IS5009 Topics in Financial Technology Solutions	4		✓
IT5004 Enterprise Systems Architecture Fundamentals	4	✓	

Vertical #2. Financial Data Analytics and Intelligence

Courses	Units	Available in Semester 1	Available in Semester 2
CS5242 Neural Networks and Deep Learning	4	√	
CS5246 Text Processing on the Web	4		✓
CS5339 Theory and Algorithms for Machine Learning	4		✓
CS5344 Big-Data Analytics Technology	4	✓	
CS5446 AI Planning and Decision Making	4	✓	
FT5009 Contemporary Topics in Financial Data Analytics	2	✓	
FT5011 Deep Learning for Finance	4		✓
IS5006 Intelligence Systems Deployment	4		✓
IS5126 Hands-on with Applied Analytics	4	✓	
IS5152 Data-Driven Decision Making	4		✓
IT5005 Artificial Intelligence	4	✓	
IT5006 Fundamentals of Data Analytics	4		✓

Vertical #3. Digital Financial Transactions and Risk Management

Courses	Units	Available in Semester 1	Available in Semester 2
BMF5342 Technological Disruptions in Finance and	4	✓	
Data Analytics			
BMF5354 Financial Regulation in a Digital Age	4	✓	
BMF5355 Financial Institutions, Markets, Systems and	4	✓	
Technology			
BMF5358 Entrepreneurship in Financial Technology	4	✓	
BT4013 Analytics for Capital Market Trading and	4	✓	
Investment			
BT4016 Risk Analytics for Financial Services	4		✓
CS5233 Simulation and Modelling Techniques	4		✓
FE5105 Corporate Financing and Risk	4	✓	
FE5108 Portfolio Theory and Investments	4	√	
FE5221 Trading Principles and Fundamentals	2	√	
FE5222 Advanced Derivatives Pricing	4	✓	
FE5223 Introduction to Electronic Financial Market	2	✓	
FE5224 Current topics in Applied Risk Management	2		✓
FE5225 Machine Learning and FinTech	4		✓
FE5226 C++ in Financial Engineering	4	√	
FE5227 Commodities Fundamentals and Modelling	2		
FT5010 Algorithmic Trading Systems Design and Deployment	4		✓

^{*}Important: Courses in this list may be subject to change as decided by the Departments.