# **CERTIFICATE IN FINTECH**

To be admitted, students need to be Economics Majors or have completed the equivalent of ACCT 100, ACCT 101, ECON 101, ECON 102, and DS 212/ECON 212 or MATH 124, all with grades of C- or better.

## **Program Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Students will have a high-level understanding of fintech and how technology revolutionizes the financial industry.
- 2. Students will learn about the basics of Bitcoin, smart contract platforms, and decentralized finance.
- 3. Students will learn soft communication skills by interviewing a financial professional.
- Students will demonstrate effective communication and analytic skills for research reports.

### **Certificate in Fintech - 15 units**

All courses for the certificate must be completed with a minimum  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{GPA}}$  of 2.0.

#### Core (12 units)

Code	Title	Units
FIN 350	Business Finance	3
FIN 420	Introduction to FinTech	3
FIN 470	Fundamentals of Entrepreneurial Finance	3
FIN 520	FinTech II: DeFi, Business Blockchain, and Machine Learning	3

#### **Elective (3 units)**

Select any upper-division finance course (300 and above), excluding FIN 699.