

EMERGING TECHNOLOGY IN FINTECH CERTIFICATE

Department website (<https://www.uwp.edu/learn/programs/emergingtechfintec.cfm>)

College: General

Emerging technologies in Fintech certificate will prepare students to gain an in-depth knowledge of financial technologies, AI/ML techniques in finance, and emerging technologies such as the blockchain.

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Apply computational systems and technologies to integrate financial processes and improve work flows.
2. Evaluate and manage risks of digital transformation in financial institutions.
3. Use digital tools and techniques for analytical applications in financial organizations.
4. Utilize artificial intelligence and machine learning in financial applications.
5. Experiment with technologies for decentralized finance and blockchain applications.

Requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Emerging Technology in FinTech

Admission to the Emerging technologies in Fintech Certificate requires:

- A baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution
- Overall undergraduate GPA on required transcripts of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

Students need to submit transcripts and a current resume. For students who do not meet the GPA requirement, a provisional admission may be made based on additional information such as a statement of purpose and/or an interview with the applicant.

Code	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
FNT 730	Technologies in FinTech	3
FNT 735	Blockchain Technologies	3
FNT 740	Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in FinTech	3
Total Credits		9

University Requirements for Graduate Certificates

Graduate certificates are designed for students at one of the following levels:

- Students who have completed a baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution and are enrolled for graduate credit
- Students who are enrolled simultaneously in a graduate degree program

Students must meet the admission requirements of a degree seeking or non-degree seeking graduate student to be eligible to earn a graduate

certificate. At least 75% of the credits must be earned after completion of a baccalaureate or higher degree and students must attain a GPA of 3.00 within the certificate courses.

Certificate programs are designed to develop a particular expertise or set of skills. Graduate certificate programs will require a minimum of 8 graduate-level credits. For graduate certificates, at least 50% of the credits must be at the 700 level. At least 60% of the credits for the graduate certificates must be earned at UW-Parkside for program residency. Individual departments and programs may require more than 60% of the credits to be taken at UW Parkside.

Certificate programs should not be confused with certification or licensure programs which lead to certification by an outside agency.