### CONFERENCES

#### On-Line Conferences/WebBoards

Receive advice from, and converse with, accomplished professional leaders on useful, informative topics. Dates and topics vary:

- Strategies for Getting the Job You Want
- Everything You Wanted to Know About Finance Certifications
- How to Prepare for Your Career
- ♦ FMA Chapter Fall Kick-Off

#### **Finance Leaders' Conference**

The only international conference, held each spring, specifically to address the needs and concerns of finance students. Conference attendees typically:

- Learn about various financial careers and what it takes to succeed
- Sharpen their team, leadership, and communication skills
- Expand their circle of professional contacts and friends
- Learn from experts on how to start their career & achieve their goals

Attendees have the opportunity to meet:

- Representatives from FMA student chapters around the world
- Finance professionals representing "powerhouse" companies and numerous financial career specialties

### FMA Annual Meeting

Distinguished receptions, dynamic keynote address, first-class luncheon, and unmatched networking, along with much more, make this conference the undisputed leader.

- Attracts over 2000 attendees from around the world, making it the largest finance-related symposium of its kind
- Contains information about recent advances in finance with sessions on virtually every topic

### Future Meeting Dates & Sites

2002	San Antonio, TX	October 16-19
2003	Denver, CO	October 8-11
2004	New Orleans, LA	October 6-9
2005	Chicago, IL	October 12-15

# **FMA PUBLICATIONS**

#### Careers in Finance...

contains position descriptions compiled from a survey of junior, middle, and senior level financial managers, articles on alternative career paths, information regarding professional certifications in finance and related disciplines, information on continuing education, and professional advice.

### Financial Management Forum...

written exclusively for finance students, the *FM Forum* spotlights career opportunities in a variety of finance specialties, strategies for a successful job search, career ideas and avenues of opportunity, and details regarding FMA's student events (published semi-annually during the fall and spring semesters).

### How to Get a Job ...

on-line guide contains worksheets and tips on: identifying your job skills, career desires, and companies that fit your criteria; compiling a great resume; obtaining and completing a successful interview; selecting the right offer; and succeeding on the job.

### Financial Management (FM)...

focuses on topics relevant to the financial management of business and other organizations . *FM* offers articles that analyze and critique the most important issues facing financial managers today (published quarterly).

# Journal of Applied Finance (JAF)...

offers a blend of practical and educational articles along with invited commentary. Each issue promotes better understanding of current issues in finance and applications of financial theory (published semi-annually).

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# LET FMA HELP YOU...

Find Your Financial Career Path

**Gain Answers To Your Career Questions** 

**Stand Out Among Your Peers** 

**Sharpen Your Education And Skills** 

Keep Up-To-Date On The Latest Financial Developments

FMA Student Membership: An Essential Part of Becoming a Professional

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# **Looking for the Perfect Finance Job?**

FMA can help:

- ♦ Careers in Finance book
- ♦ Guide on How to Get a Job
- ♦ Financial Management Forum
- ♦ On-line connections to job and career sites
- Bring your career questions to experts on FMA's Student WebBoard

# **Curious About How to Develop Professional Business/Career Contacts and Skills?**

FMA gives you an edge:

- ♦ Join your local FMA Chapter
- Demonstrate leadership by designing & implementing chapter activities
- ♦ Attend FMA's Finance Conferences
- Meet professionals and get advice through FMA's Student WebBoard
- ♦ Consult How to Get a Job

# Wondering How to Set Yourself Apart from Other Students?

FMA offers the opportunity to be recognized through:

- National Honor Society
- Collegiate Fellows Program
- Certified in Financial Management Designation Scholarship
- Chapter leadership activities

# Desire Intellectual and Professional Growth for a Thriving Career?

FMA keeps you ahead:

- ♦ Read FMA's many publications
- Visit FMA's Student Web Board
- Be active in your local FMA Chapter
- Attend FMA's Finance Conferences
- Connect to finance & educational sites on-line

# Want Help in Researching a Paper?

FMA gives you new insight:

- Visit FMA's website for current and archived FMA published articles
- Link to other finance information sites from FMA's website

# BENEFITS OF FMA STUDENT MEMBERSHIP

### All FMA Student Members Receive:

- Careers in Finance book
- Subscription to the Financial Management Forum
- Subscription to the Journal of Applied Finance
- On-line conference access through the WebBoard
- How to Get a Job on-line publication
- On-line searchable current and archived journal articles
- ♦ Forecast Competition
- On-line job, finance, educational, and career resources

### **Optional Benefits:**

- ♦ Local chapter programs/activities and leadership
- ♦ FMA Finance Leaders' & Annual Conferences
- ♦ Subscription to Financial Management

# **Honor Programs**

### FMA National Honor Society

Receive recognition for superior academic achievement specifically in finance, established in 1974.

Undergraduate requirements: (Chapters may set higher requirements)

- 3.25 Overall GPA **OR** 3.25 GPA in finance & related coursework
- Completion of a minimum of six (6) hours of finance
- ♦ Junior or senior class standing

Graduate requirements: (Chapters may set higher requirements)

- 3.50 Overall GPA **OR** 3.50 GPA in finance & related coursework
- Completion of one-half required coursework

### **FMA Collegiate Fellows Program**

For student members...

- Displaying exemplary leadership, and/or
- Contributing meaningful service to their chapter/school

# Certified in Financial Management Scholarship\*

For student members...

- With unique qualifications and expertise
- ♦ Intending to attain the CFM designation

\*Scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis and pay for enrollment fees for the CFM exam.

# LOCAL FMA CHAPTER BENEFITS

Student members can participate in various additional activities through local FMA chapters:

- Leadership
- Speaker Programs
- ♦ Field Trips
- Chapter Newsletter Publication
- Create a Chapter Website
- Seminars/Workshops
- Panel Discussions
- Banquets/Receptions

- Meetings & Networking
- Investment Competitions
  - Resume Book Publication
  - Business/Career Fair
- Social Gatherings
- Sports Tournaments
- Community Service Activities
- ♦ Plus Much More!

Each FMA student chapter selects the programs and services it offers, customizing them to meet the specific needs of its members.

# Local FMA chapters receive support from FMA International in numerous ways including:

- Leadership guidance on our website and through the student chapter manual, the home office, and communiqués
- Supplies for promotional and management activities with most materials available for immediate download from our website
- Contact information available on other FMA chapters and members for networking, chapter assistance, and help with speakers
- International affiliation with a professional organization specifically focused on furthering the theories and practices in finance

### FMA chapters with an outstanding performance may receive:

- ♦ Superior Chapter Designation
- Membership Development Awards

For information about local chapters, check with local chapter officers or school administrators, visit our website, or contact FMA International.

# STUDENT MEMBERSHIP FEES

	One Year	Two Year
Regular Student Membership	\$45*	\$70*
National Honor Society Membership	\$50*	\$80*

\*Deduct \$10 from the one year or \$20 from the two year membership fee if electing to waive the subscription to *FM*.

 Chapters may charge local chapter fees, in addition to FMA student membership fees, to cover chapter costs.