

Key Facts



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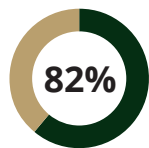
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Final Assessment

The Certificate is assessed via a **1-hour, 50-question objective test**, delivered online with instant results.

From December 2018, online examinations will be supplemented with **remote invigilation**, enabling learners to schedule exams anytime, anywhere in the world – and significantly reducing the carbon footprint from travel to examinations centres.

More Information

For further guidance, please visit www.charteredbanker.com or contact the Institute's Member Engagement Team, via: info@charteredbanker.com or +44 (0) 131 473 7777.

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GREEN FINANCE CERTIFICATE

The world's first benchmark qualification for Green Finance

Chartered Banker Institute is a trading name of The Chartered Institute of Bankers in Scotland: Charitable Body No: SC013927.

The Importance of Green Finance

Managing climate-related risks and supporting the transition to a low-carbon world are our most significant global challenges. Achieving these requires the combined efforts of global bodies, national governments and the financial services sector, putting sustainability and stewardship at the heart of finance.

Key Facts

The Green Finance sector is growing rapidly worldwide:

- The World Economic Forum estimates that by 2020, \$5.7 trillion will need to be invested annually in green infrastructure, much of which will be in today's developing world
- The green bond market has grown to over \$100 billion of annual issuance, now including sovereign bonds.

To support the sector's continued growth, finance professionals need to develop and demonstrate the specific knowledge and expertise needed to help direct investments to support the transition to a low carbon world, address climate-related risk, and explore green finance opportunities.

The Green Finance Certificate has been launched by the Chartered Banker Institute as the first global, benchmark qualification for the Green Finance sector.

Module Information

The Certificate provides learners with a comprehensive overview and understanding of the evolving Green Finance sector, covering:

- Scientific background to Green Finance - the transition to a low carbon world, including climate change/risk
- Key concepts in Green Finance, including stranded assets

- Green Finance principles, including the UN Sustainable Development Goals
- Risk management in Green Finance
- Green Finance products and services (banking, insurance and investment)
- Ethical dimensions of Green Finance.

Qualification Level

The Green Finance Certificate is designed as an equivalent to a QCF Level 4 (EQF Level 5 / SCQF Level 7).

Why Chartered Banker?

- Globally recognised, the Institute is the only professional body in the world able to confer Chartered Banker status upon individuals.
- 82% of students would recommend the completion of a Chartered Banker qualification to others.
- Our Code of Professional Conduct is adhered to by 200,000 bankers globally.*
- 80% of learners said learning enabled them to improve their job performance.
- Our professional standards provide a global benchmark for firms and professional bodies internationally.
- A not-for-profit charity with a core purpose of raising the standards of professionalism of bankers in the UK and Internationally.

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Who is the Green Finance Certificate for?

The Certificate is aimed at financial services professionals wishing to enhance their knowledge and expertise of Green Finance.

UK and Global Audiences

Broad financial services sector coverage, including bankers, insurers, investment managers, central bankers and regulators, risk managers, analysts and consultants.

Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for the Green Finance Certificate, and no prior knowledge of the Green Finance sector is assumed.

Resources

The Green Finance Certificate is delivered via an online study guide which breaks up learning into bite size units. Each unit is followed by a short concept-check test or quiz to ensure understanding of the material.

Mobile Support

Green Finance Certificate learning materials are delivered via the Institute's LMS, which enables learners to access them anywhere, anytime, using most computer, tablet and mobile devices.

Employer Support

Employers can track progress of individuals and cohorts through regular progress reports and learner analytics, enabling timely intervention when necessary.

Additional Support Options

A range of blended support options for employers (e.g. tuition, revision workshops) are available on request.