The MA in Global Finance, Trade and Economic Integration (GFTEI) will provide you with a comprehensive, policy-focused understanding of the international market. Explore the complex changes underway in the global economy, such as emerging patterns within trade networks, as well as explorations of monetary and human capital flows as they impact national economies. Students will have the chance to apply interdisciplinary methodologies to analyze the effect of globalization on state capacity, policy autonomy, and national economic conditions; the relationship between economic, political, and social outcomes; corporate governance and competition; and the interaction of interest groups, states, and multilateral agreements and organizations. If you wish to pursue a career in international policy analysis for public sector agencies; analyst positions in multilateral institutions and organizations; research positions within non-governmental organizations; or if you are interested in working within the private sector as an economic policy consultant, country risk or international project analyst, or as an international project manager, then the GFTEI degree is for you.

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**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

**International Studies Core:** Choose from a set of robust courses that provide a broad understanding of international politics and economy. Examples of core courses include:
- Introduction to International Political Economy, Comparative Politics in the 21st Century or International Politics

**Program Training Core:** You will receive training in all of the following areas:
- International Trade
- International Monetary Relations
- Political Economy of Globalization OR International Political Economy

**Specialization:** Dive deep into a customized sequence of courses that matter most to you--designed by you, for you. With the ability to select a regional or topical concentration, the opportunities are endless. Samples of past concentrations include: Geographic areas (i.e., Latin America, China, the Middle East and Africa), political economy, environmental studies, quantitative methods, international business, policy analysis, development economics and development policy.

**Skill Sets:** Select skills-based courses that provide you the expertise to effectively interpret data, skillfully communicate, and manage challenging issues that you will encounter throughout your career. Examples of skills courses include:
- Econometrics for Decision-Making I *(required)*
- Statistical Methods II or Statistics for Int'l Affairs *(required)*
- International Project Management
- International Business Transactions
- Microfinance Tools
- Professional Communications
- Art of Forecasting
INTERNSHIPS
MA students register an average of 225 internships annually, with roughly 50% completed in Colorado, 25% internationally, and 25% in the U.S. outside of Colorado. Additionally, roughly half of internships occur during the summer and half during the academic year. While students intern in private, public, and multilateral organizations, the majority of internships occur in the nonprofit/NGO sector. Some examples of where GFTEI students have had internships are: National Renewable Energy Lab, U.S. Department of Commerce, CH2M, International Trade Office of Colorado, and Acumen Fund.

CAREERS
Graduates of the Josef Korbel School’s MA in GFTEI have pursued careers in international economic policy analysis for public sector agencies, analyst positions in multilateral organizations, research analyst positions within NGOs, as well as private sector careers. Examples of where our GFTEI alumni are working include: U.S. Department of State, Booz Allen Hamilton, UNESCO, World Bank, U.S. Trade and Development Agency, Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing and International Business & Technical Consultants.

APPLICATION MATERIALS
- Application
- Application fee ($65 online fee)
- One official transcript from each higher education institution you have attended (including English translations when applicable). Send transcripts in an official, sealed envelope bearing an official stamp from the Registrar’s Office across the envelope’s seal.
- Official GRE test scores (University of Denver code is: 4842)
- Two letters of recommendation
- Statement of Purpose (500-750 words)
  - Explain why you have chosen to pursue a graduate degree in GFTEI and how the degree program will prepare you to reach your specific career goals.
- Resume

International Students
- Financial Verification Form and Supplement for International Applicants
- TOEFL scores (non-native English speakers; University of Denver code is 4842)

CLASS PROFILE
Each year approximately 180 students enroll in master’s programs at the Josef Korbel School.
- Average GRE Scores:
  - Verbal: 157
  - Quantitative: 151
- Average GPA: 3.41
- Average Age: 26 years
- Age Range: 21-54
- Females: 55%  Males: 45%
- Non-US Students: 10.6%
- Citizenships represented: 27
- Average Class size: 20

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