

YALE SUMMER SCHOOL in BEHAVIORAL FINANCE

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Yale University, New Haven, CT

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We invite applications for the 2026 Yale Summer School in Behavioral Finance. This one-week program, now in its ninth iteration, is an intensive PhD course in behavioral finance taught by leading researchers in the field. The program will be of interest to students at schools that do not currently offer a PhD course in behavioral finance; but also to students who *have* already taken a course in this material but who would like to see it again from a different perspective and to interact with other students with similar interests.

To apply, you must be enrolled in a PhD program in economics or finance. To be selected, it is not necessary that behavioral finance be your main research focus. We are simply looking for students who are doing very well in their PhD programs, regardless of their particular research interests, and who would like to learn more about this area of finance.

Accommodation costs and reasonable transportation costs from a student's home university to New Haven and back will be covered by Yale University.

To apply, please e-mail the following to Karen Spitzer at icf-summer@yale.edu: (i) a cover letter detailing your background and research focus and explaining why you are interested in the program; (ii) a curriculum vitae; and (iii) the names and contact information of two faculty members who could act as references, if needed.

The application deadline is Thursday, March 5th. We welcome applications at any time on or before that date. We will notify candidates about their participation in April.