

UBC | Master of Food and Resource Economics MFRE

Hello Students,

My name is Kelleen Wiseman, Academic Director of the [UBC Master of Food and Resource Economics \(MFRE\)](#) program at the University of British Columbia (UBC) in Vancouver. I would like to introduce you to the MFRE Program and the funding and admission opportunities for 2024/2025.

The Master of Food and Resource Economics (MFRE) is a one-year professional course-based master's program. Our program focuses on economic solutions for climate, food and the environment, offering a strong combination of academic concentrations, paired with a 4-month work experience project and a full year of professional and data analytic workshops. MFRE graduates have diverse job prospects and an ability to contribute actionable insights to solve global sustainability issues.

Key Program Features:

- **High Job Prospects in the Climate, Food, and Environmental Sector:** The demand for individuals with the skills and knowledge to contribute solutions to the pressing economic, environmental and social issues is increasing. MFRE graduates are equipped with these skills and are highly competitive in the job market.
- **Work Experience Skills to Launch Successful Careers:** Our students gain the key skills required to be competitive in today's job environment. We offer a work experience 4-month course, data analytics and professionalism full-year workshop series, and industry insight weekly seminars, providing students with real-world industry skills, and connections in climate, food and the environmental sector.
- **Courses with Real-World Applications:** Our program offers a robust curriculum grounded in data-driven decision-making that is needed to tackle today's ever-complex issues in climate, food and environment. Concentration options include **Strategic Business Management, Data Analytics, Economic Modelling,** and **Policy Analysis** for Climate, Food and the Environment.
- **Faculty Expertise and Connections:** Our faculty members are among the highest calibre in their research fields. They offer knowledge transfer, quality teaching, and their industry connections to facilitate jobs in the corporate, government and non-profit sectors.

Next Steps: If you are an individual with strong grounding in economics, business, or math/stats and have an interest in a career in the climate, food and environmental sector, MFRE is an excellent match for you. Interested in more information?

- **Virtual Info Session: Zoom:** Nov 28th 5:00 pm: How to prepare a strong MFRE application
- **Live Stream: MFRE LinkedIn:** Watch on-demand – just search for MFRE LinkedIn
- **Virtual Advising MFRE 2024 Drop-In Session: Zoom:** See dates on website
- **[MFRE Website: Admissions, Funding and Scholarships](#):** Application deadline: January 9, 2024
- **Email:** mfre.lfs@ubc.ca

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