

Certificate in ESG Investing

Effective 8 April 2025,
the Certificate in ESG Investing
will be renamed to the

**Sustainable
Investing
Certificate**

Build your reputation as the in-house ESG specialist

Unlock the essentials of sustainable finance with the Certificate in ESG Investing from CFA Institute. This certificate is designed for finance professionals who want to integrate environmental, social, and governance (ESG) insights into investment decisions. Through this globally recognized program, you'll learn how to integrate ESG factors into investment decisions, assess long-term risks, and seize new opportunities in sustainable finance.

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

New for 2025 | The curriculum is updated with new content, case studies, statistics, facts and figures and more. Upon completing the ESG Investing certification, you'll gain expertise across key areas such as.

- **Foundational Knowledge:** Grasp core ESG issues, sustainability context, and market dynamics.
- **Approaches & Application:** Explore responsible investment strategies and learn to conduct ESG analysis and integration.
- **Performance Reporting:** Understand investment mandates, portfolio analytics, and ESG-focused client reporting.

PROGRAM AND EXAM DETAILS

- **Flexible, Self-Paced Learning:** Fit your studies around your schedule with comprehensive, accessible materials. 100-130 hours of study time. The program must be completed in 6 months.
- **Exam Format:** A 100-question, 2-hour and 20-minute multiple-choice exam. In-person site testing or online proctored testing is available.
- **Earn a digital badge and certificate** demonstrating your mastery in ESG Investing from CFA Institute, the global leader in investment education.

Empower your career with ESG knowledge that aligns with the growing demand for responsible investing.

CAREER-ADVANCING BENEFITS

- **Enhanced Recognition:** Impress leaders by driving ESG integration, showcasing your role in advancing the firm's sustainability goals.
- **Valued Expertise:** As a certified ESG professional, you'll be positioned to take on higher-impact responsibilities, which can pave the way for leadership roles.
- **Competitive Advantage:** Gain skills that support long-term company objectives, reflecting positively on you and your potential for advancement.

26,562 people
from **129** countries
have earned the **Certificate**
in ESG Investing.

ADVANCED SUSTAINABILITY CERTIFICATE | Climate Risk, Valuation, and Investing Certificate

This certificate provides a practical approach to building the knowledge and skills you need to integrate climate considerations into valuation and portfolio construction processes. Develop the expertise to simplify complex climate concepts and facilitate effective communication with stakeholders and clients.