Sabancı Masters in Finance

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Sabancı Masters in Finance Program (MiF) provides students with the essential skills to respond to the challenges of the ever-developing finance industry. An important distinguishing element of our program is its emphasis on practical training, with a strong emphasis on empirical research that will be conducted in CAFE - the first financial laboratory of Turkey as well as supplementing standard courses on concepts and theory. The program has been so far a success story. Program alums have been doing well in first placement and career progress. Our reputation among employers have been no less than superb. If you are interested in a career in finance, MiF is the right place to start.

Füsun Ülengin
Dean, Sabancı School of Management

START STRONG, CLIMB FAST

Join the Sabancı Masters in Finance Community

As the fastest growing financial center in Eastern Europe and the Middle East, Istanbul has many diverse, vibrant, global organizations and financial institutions. Sabancı University School of Management has close ties to this community, and the Masters in Finance students have access to a broad range of partnerships, recruiters, and career opportunities.

“What makes the MiF Program unique is the importance it gives to practice as much as the theory. I always wanted a masters program that would help prepare me with the right skills for the business life; and the MiF Program has very much fulfilled my expectations. The internship, seminars, and advisory board support help students to understand different job opportunities and career paths available in Finance and to find the most suitable one for themselves. The MiF also provides important technical skills with intensive courses and gives the unique experience of a real-time trading room with CAFE.”

Nazlı Deniz Ödevoğlu
MiF Class of 2009
BSc, Manufacturing Systems Engineering, Sabanci University
Current Position: Financial Accounting Manager, British American Tobacco Turkey
PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- 10-month intensive full-time program
- Hands-on practical training
- State-of-the-art finance laboratory, CAFE
- Excellent placement record
- Strong ties with finance industry
- Approved participant in the CFA® Institute University Recognition Program
- Research-oriented faculty
- Communication skills workshops

“Sabancı MiF graduates make a difference. We put novel ideas into practice and shape the future.”

Esra Demir
MiF Class of 2010
BA, Business Administration, Izmir University of Economics
Current Position: Business Transformation Specialist, HSBC
Our rigorous and elaborately designed Masters in Finance Program equips students with a combination of theory and practical knowledge in finance, as well as hands-on training in our state-of-the-art Center for Applied Finance (CAFE). This center is the one of its kind in the region and sets ground for up to date learning environment for the students.

The internship requirement enables our students to apply their knowledge to everyday operations in finance industry while Practicum Seminars provide a continuous contact with the industry. Students learn to access, interpret and analyze data by using current technologies, international financial markets, practices and accounting standards.

If you aim a successful and strong career in finance, MiF is the right place to start. We encourage you to visit our campus, attend our information sessions and meet our students, staff and faculty members to understand the Sabancı MiF experience.

Yusuf Soner, PhD
Executive Director of Professional Programs, Sabancı School of Management

“Understanding finance and financial concepts is essential to be successful in today’s highly competitive business environment. Sabancı MiF program is designed to excel in both theoretical and practical aspects of finance through a wide spectrum range of courses taught by top quality teaching staff.”

Köksal Çoban
Executive Vice President, Treasury, Finansbank
MiF Advisory Board Member

“What distinguishes the MiF program from other master programs in finance is that MiF places high importance on both social and managerial skills along with a technical background, and thus bringing versatile individuals into the sector. Establishing a good balance between theoretical and practical knowledge, the program helps students get one step ahead in the business life by offering them significant networking opportunities through practicum courses, high quality teaching staff and sector-focused networking events with leading names in sector. Yet another important point is that after a dense year of studying, when you look back on it, it is good friendships and memories that come to mind first. In short, as a MiF graduate, I can assure you that you will reap more than what you sow with this program.”

Hazal Alan
MiF Class of 2013
BSc, Manufacturing Systems Engineering, Sabancı University
Current Position: Corporate Finance Analyst, TSKB
Our innovative and challenging Masters in Finance program aims to transform analytical-minded recent university graduates into finance professionals who will be productive right from day one in their chosen careers. This ambitious objective is all the more fitting in a city with plans to become a globally-accepted financial center. Our carefully-designed program delivers a strong theoretical basis, without losing focus on practical applications, and a financial toolbox that will provide you with an edge in your work lives. Through continuous contacts with industry and a state-of-the-art trading room, you will be able to acquire essential skills for the financial workplace. We encourage you to realize your full potential and to join the ranks of our highly demanded graduates.

Koray Deniz Şimşek, CFA
Academic Director, MiF

SKILLS-ORIENTED PROGRAM

The Masters in Finance program is designed with a goal of furnishing students with all the essential skills needed for a successful career in finance.

Curriculum Components

Proficiency in Financial Theory and Applications:
With rigorous course sequences in Investments and Corporate Finance fields, MiF program aims to deliver theoretical foundations with a practical perspective.

Building a Financial Toolbox:
Courses such as Financial Econometrics, VBA Programming, and Financial Modeling equip students with the modern tools required in analyzing and interpreting financial data.

Understanding the Financial Environment:
Practicum seminars with a focus on local and global industry practices are delivered by experienced professionals from the industry. The internship requirement provides students with the opportunity to learn by doing.

Developing Managerial Skills:
Weekly workshops, jointly run with the MBA program, aim to improve students’ writing, presentation, interviewing and negotiation skills.

“As well as a good academic background, the MiF program gives you the opportunity to improve your technical and practical skills, which will help you to stay a step ahead of your future competitors. The program is hard and you might be complaining about your current workload, and deem some practical classes as unnecessary, or less important for your future career. But believe me all of them are useful and have a purpose! At the very beginning of my career, I realized that I was well-equipped for any job in finance.”

Nihan Özulu
MiF Class of 2011
BSc, Industrial Engineering, Bilkent University
Current Position: Pricing Associate, Turkcell
PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The MiF program is a full-time non-thesis degree program comprising a total of 33 credits in course work together with the seminar series (Finance Practicum) and the internship requirement. The program starts in early September and runs slightly more than 10 months until early July.

The first two weeks of the program is devoted to intensive remedial courses, such as accounting, statistics and MS Excel. Fall and Spring semesters are each divided into two seven-week quarters, offering the flexibility to cover a variety of topics in finance. In the second half of the Spring semester, students are required to do full-time internships for seven weeks.

The summer semester, which is also seven-weeks long, complements the core part of the program with specialized courses. Some of the courses that have been offered in the past include International Finance, Strategic Financial Management, Corporate Governance, and Global Capital Markets.

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“I always wanted to do my masters in a finance program in which I could apply the theories on real-life examples; and the MiF program more than met my expectations. The MiF program also gave me the opportunity to get more insight about the financial world with an internship, weekly finance seminars, and its elite advisory board. On top of useful in-class exercises, the professors were within email reach, and always motivated to teach us more. Flashing the memories of quick and intense year, I believe the MiF program armed me well in the depth of the financial world, both with theory and practices.”

Hüseyin Turan
MiF Class of 2013
BSc, Industrial Engineering, Boğaziçi University
Current Position: Analyst, Ünlü Securities
CAFE
Center For Applied Finance Education

• A simulated trading room with state-of-the-art financial software and real-time data-feed services utilizing a powerful hardware infrastructure
• A laboratory providing a sophisticated learning environment in finance
• A smart classroom allowing hands-on finance education

The CAFE has 25 workstations in the classroom, and 3 workstations in the adjacent business suite. Each workstation is connected to data-feed from all over the world with further access to supporting software. Among these software are financial information networks and databases such as Thomson Reuters DataStream, WRDS, CRSP, COMPUSTAT, Rasyonet Stockground, Matriks, FINCAD, SDC, and virtual trading and portfolio simulation tools such as FTS.

BENEFITS of CAFE
• Trade with your classmates or enter worldwide trading competitions using FTS, financial trading simulation software
• Research companies using comprehensive data from all over the world
• Follow real trading activity guided by an expert via video-conferencing

“MiF program of Sabancı University successfully achieves a certain goal of offering in depth knowledge in classical and modern concepts of finance in an environment where interaction between students and networking with the leading professionals of the financial sector are fostered. As a new graduate of MiF, I gained insight into finance throughout the program and realized an increase in my career options while making my own career path.”

Ender İyikul
MiF Class of 2013
BSc, Physics, Boğaziçi University
Current Position: Analyst, Treasury, HSBC
Members of the advisory board have been instrumental in shaping the Masters in Finance program. They are committed to upholding the high standards of the program through periodic reviews, keeping the curriculum in line with the ever-changing demands of the finance industry.

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<td>TSPAKB</td>
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<td>Executive Vice President</td>
<td>Akbank</td>
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<td>Burak Tansan</td>
<td>Partner and Managing Director</td>
<td>Boston Consulting Group</td>
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<td>Hurşit Zorlu</td>
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<td>Anadolu Grup</td>
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<td>Hüsnü Can Dinçsoy</td>
<td>Advisory Partner</td>
<td>PwC</td>
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<td>İlhami Koç</td>
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<td>İşbank</td>
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<td>Mustafa Kemal Yılmaz</td>
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<td>Borsa İstanbul</td>
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<td>Müşfik Cantekinler</td>
<td>Head of Transaction Advisory Services</td>
<td>Ernst &amp; Young</td>
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<td>Garanti Yatırım</td>
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<td>Pınar Abay</td>
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<td>Selçuk Tuncalı</td>
<td>Managing Director</td>
<td>Ünlü &amp; Co</td>
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“Sabancı University’s Masters in Finance (MiF) program is highly regarded by the employers, due to the wide variety of high quality education programs of the University. As a member of the Advisory Board, I have observed that, by attending the MiF program, the students develop a strong foundation in the fundamentals of finance. They also gain the managerial, technical and the social skills needed to succeed in business life. I believe the program has the power to change the way the students think and therefore their potential careers and ultimately their lives.”

Müşfik Cantekinler
Partner and Head of Transaction Advisory Services, Ernst & Young
MiF Advisory Board Member
FINANCE PRACTICUM SEMINARS

An important distinguishing component of the Sabancı Masters in Finance curriculum is the Finance Practicum, a series of seminars given by industry experts. These seminars, spread over the first three quarters of the program, not only help students learn various aspects of Turkish and global finance practice, but also provide significant networking opportunities. Seminar topics and companies that participated in Finance Practicum since the beginning of the program are listed below in alphabetical order.

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<td>Product Development in Finance</td>
<td>İş Investment</td>
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<td>Capital Markets Law</td>
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<td>Investment Banking &amp; Brokerage Houses</td>
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<td>Macroeconomic Perspectives</td>
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<td>Participation Banking</td>
<td>Global Securities</td>
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<td>Warrants and Borsa Istanbul</td>
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“Finance has become a complex universe during the last decades. Traditional social sciences education is inadequate to grasp dynamics of this change. What we need on the human resources front is a generation capable of better understanding and involving actively in this new finance world.”

İlhami Koç
Deputy CEO, İşbank
MIF Advisory Board Member
The rigorous finance training Masters in Finance students undergo is very well perceived by employers during the students’ job search. The table given below reports the placement performance of alumni who were actively searching for a job (thus, the statistics exclude those who worked at their family business, established their own company, or joined the military to complete their obligatory military service).

### MiF Program Placement Performance

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<th>MiF Class of</th>
<th>2010</th>
<th>2011</th>
<th>2012</th>
<th>2013</th>
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<td>% employed within 3 months of graduation</td>
<td>100%</td>
<td>91%</td>
<td>91%</td>
<td>92%</td>
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In addition to being placed rather quickly, our alumni have been recruited by some of the leading Turkish and multinational companies, as seen below.

### Companies Employing MiF Graduates

- Accenture
- Akbank
- Azerbaijan Industry Bank
- Booze & Company
- British American Tobacco
- Business Resilience Group
- Credite Suisse
- Deloitte
- Ernst & Young
- EVG Securities
- Finans Invest
- Finansbank
- Frito Lay
- Garanti Asset Management
- Garanti Bank

### Internship Placements

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<td>HSBC</td>
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<td>Intereuropa RTC</td>
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<td>Deutsche Bank</td>
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### The Career Development Unit

The Career Development Unit at the School of Management provides professional guidance to all of our students by helping them explore career options, set employment objectives and take action toward achieving their goals. Activities include interview simulations for improving students’ interviewing skills, training sessions on the job search, workshops for writing effective CVs and cover letters, and job-market panels with experienced executives.

“Sabancı University MiF is a professionally designed program that opens variety of windows in all areas of finance. Intensive academic curriculum and invaluable networking opportunities get you fully equipped for finance world. I really believe Sabancı MiF alumni will be the leaders of Turkey’s changing and developing financial services industry”

İsmail Tanıl  
MiF Class of 2012  
BA, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Middle East Technical University  
Current Position: Analyst, Garanti Securities
Masters in Finance Program welcomes students with 0-2 years of work experience. MiF students come from different backgrounds. The following tables display the diversity in educational backgrounds and gender for the past four years.

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<th>TEST SCORES</th>
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<td>TOEFL</td>
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<td>GRE</td>
<td>158</td>
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<td>ALES</td>
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<th>GENDER</th>
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<td>Female</td>
<td>31%</td>
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<td>Male</td>
<td>69%</td>
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<td>Business Administration</td>
<td>20%</td>
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<td>Engineering</td>
<td>36%</td>
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<td>Economics</td>
<td>29%</td>
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<td>Other</td>
<td>15%</td>
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“At the beginning of my career as a global finance professional, I am ready for any kind of finance related job thanks to MiF program. The program does not only give theoretical background but also provides you with technical and practical skills to apply your knowledge in different areas. While I was studying for CFA exams I realized that MiF had already done most of the job for me. Now, I believe I made the right choice on MiF, at a turning point of my career.”

Buğra Kertmen
MiF Class of 2013
BS, Electronics Engineering, Sabancı University
Current Position: Investment Trainee, Khazanah Nasional, Malaysia
FACULTY MEMBERS

FINANCE

Aysun ALP
Ph.D., University of Maryland, USA
Areas of Interest: Corporate finance research, mergers & acquisitions, credit ratings & international finance

Evrim AKDOĞU
Ph.D., Washington University in St. Louise, USA
Areas of Interest: Corporate finance, mergers & acquisitions

Melsa ARARAT
Ph.D., Istanbul University, Turkey
Areas of Interest: Strategy, corporate governance, business ethics

Reha YOLALAN
Ph.D., Université Laval, Canada
Areas of Interest: Decision analysis, performance management, efficiency measurement, risk management, financial institutions

Özgür DEMİRTAŞ
Ph.D., Boston College, USA
Areas of Interest: Empirical asset pricing, time-series and cross-sectional anomalies, asset allocation, financial risk management, optimal portfolio selection, empirical corporate finance, earnings management

Şerif Aziz ŞİMŞİR
Ph.D., Cornell University, USA
Areas of Interest: Corporate finance, mergers & acquisitions, corporate capital structure

Yiğit ATILGAN
Ph.D., City University of New York, USA
Areas of Interest: Empirical asset pricing, portfolio theory, fixed-income markets, derivative instruments

Network Faculty

William T. ZIEMBA
Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley, USA
Areas of Interest: Asset-liability management, portfolio theory and practice, security market imperfections, Japanese and Asian financial markets, sports and lottery investments and applied stochastic programming

Practice Faculty

Melsa ARARAT
Ph.D., Istanbul University, Turkey
Areas of Interest: Strategy, corporate governance, business ethics

Reha YOLALAN
Ph.D., Université Laval, Canada
Areas of Interest: Decision analysis, performance management, efficiency measurement, risk management, financial institutions
ECONOMICS

Alpay Filiztekin
Ph.D., Boston College, USA

Areas of Interest: Economic growth, productivity dynamics, examination of effects of inflation on real economy, applied macroeconomics

ACCOUNTING

John Goodwin
Ph.D., La Trobe University, Australia

Areas of interest: Market based accounting research, corporate governance

Mine Akasu
Ph.D., Syracuse University, USA

Areas of Interest: Troubled debt restructurings, financial distress, valuation, initial public offerings

Ulf Nilsson
Ph.D., Jonkoping International Business School, Sweden

Areas of Interest: Management accounting & cost management, inter-organizational relationships (supply chains), the balanced scorecard & performance measurement, changes in financial accounting, international accounting standards

Network Faculty

Recep Pekdemir
Ph.D. in Accounting, Istanbul University, Turkey

Areas of Interest: Managerial accounting

Erol Balkan
Hamilton College, USA / Ph.D., State University of New York at Binghamton

Areas of Interest: Economic Development, International Finance, Political Economy of the Middle East

OPERATION MANAGEMENT & INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Burcin Bozkaya
Ph.D., University of Alberta, Canada

Areas of Interest: Operations research applications, operations management, combinatorial modelling and optimization, heuristic algorithm design and optimization, transportation and logistics planning, geographical information systems and applications

Can Akkan
Ph.D., Cornell University, USA

Areas of Interest: Design, planning & control of discrete parts manufacturing systems, production scheduling, project scheduling

Nihat Kasap
Ph.D., University of Florida, USA

Areas of Interest: Pricing and quality of service in telecommunication networks, heuristic design and optimization, data mining and machine learning, systems analysis & design, database management systems
LIFE AT SABANCI UNIVERSITY

Social And Cultural Activities And Student Clubs

Sabancı University supports extracurricular activities that enhance students’ social and cultural skills as well as their creative abilities. There are large numbers of student clubs including the MBA Club, Economics and Management Club and Young Entrepreneurs Club.

Sports Facilities

The campus has a multi-purpose sports hall which includes a basketball/volleyball court, squash courts, a cardio-fitness hall, two aerobics halls, a table-tennis hall and a climbing wall. There is another sports hall on campus with a tennis court and a basketball court that is also suitable for playing volleyball, handball, badminton, and table tennis.

Information Technology (IT) Services And Laptop Computer

Sabancı University provides each student with a laptop computer. Access to the Internet and local network can be obtained through cabled and wireless systems widely available throughout the campus. Instructional support and a permanent e-mail address are also supplied to all students.

The Information Center (IC)

The Information Center has a large collection of books, e-books, multimedia resources, more than twenty thousand print and electronic journals and 57 CD-ROM and online databases. These databases include management and finance specific ones such as Ebsco-Host and ISI Emerging Markets database, Thomson Reuters Datastream.

Dormitories

Sabancı University dormitories currently accommodate more than 70% of the students. The university offers two- and four-bed accommodations with the necessary utilities. Students residing at the dormitories have their own personal telephones, voice mailboxes, and network connections. There are additional apartments close to the university, which are available for graduate students.
HEALTH FACILITIES AND PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE

Students enrolled in degree programs have access to the health services offered by the University. A doctor and a nurse are on staff, with an ambulance service, available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In addition, students enrolled at the University receive a comprehensive health insurance paid for by the University.

TRANSPORTATION

Regular shuttle services are provided between Istanbul and the campus. The departure and arrival points in the city are Taksim, Kadıköy, Sabiha Gökçen Airport, Üsküdar, Anadolu Hisari/Kavacık, Mutlukent, Bakırköy, İzmit and Viaport Shopping Center. Information regarding the transportation schedule is available at the University’s website. Public transportation is also available between Campus and nearest metro station.

THE SABANCI UNIVERSITY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Make Time For The Arts

The Sabanci University Performing Arts Center aims to contribute to the rich cultural life of Istanbul, particularly to the city’s Anatolian side, and provide cultural services to the University’s students, staff, and all art appreciators in the region. The center’s goal is to become a prestigious performing arts center renowned for its quality. The center has a world-class acoustic design making it an ideal venue for art performances such as operas, theater plays and concerts. In a typical week, the center offers three different events enhancing the quality of life of the entire community.
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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The MiF Program at Sabancı University welcomes applicants with university degrees in economics, engineering, business administration or any other technical based discipline, and a strong interest in finance. The admission committee evaluates applicants with respect to their academic backgrounds and achievements, test scores, and motivations to study finance. Admission offers are given after conducting formal interviews.

For more information about the application process, please visit our webpage at: som.sabanciuniv.edu/en/mif

TUITION FEE

The cost for the Masters in Finance program is subject to change each year. Tuition fee is announced on our website and payable in installments at the beginning of each term.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Several merit-based scholarships are available to MiF students. Scholarship applications are evaluated by the admissions committee based on academic achievements. The recipients are provided either full or partial tuition waiver. A majority of our students (an average of 84%) receive at least one form of a scholarship. The pie chart below summarizes the percentage of students receiving scholarships for the past three years.

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Do you have a question about the SOM Masters in Finance Program or the admission process?

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