

Economics & Finance

1. **Certified Financial Planner (CFP Intercollegiate Competition Club)**
SMIFC Consortium Competition – Students attend and present at the Student Managed Investment Fund Conference each fall semester. At the conference, students are able to attend panel discussions with some of the leading asset/wealth investment professionals in the Midwest. Student teams are then invited to present and defend their Investment Fund and their portfolio structure/asset allocation position for their Fund for the near term.
 - **Student Investment Club surpasses \$400,000 in actual dollars managed by students.**

2. **Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA Intercollegiate Competition Club)**
CFA Research Challenge - A worldwide intercollegiate competition between teams of students submitting a corporate analysis of the company of their choice. The analysis includes an industry overview, competitive position, investment summary, valuation, financial analysis, investment risk, and corporate governance. Selected teams are invited to attend the Midwest competition to present their reports to a panel of industry professionals. Winners of the Midwest are then invited to the Americas Regional Competition in Boston and then on to South Korea for the world championship.
 - **2017 Olivet placed in the top 10 at Chicago conference.**

3. **Applied Economics (Intercollegiate Competitions)**
College Fed Challenge – Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago – The College Fed Challenge is a competition designed to bring real-world economics into the classroom. Teams play the role of monetary policymakers by analyzing the economy with all information available up to the date of the challenge and make recommendations before leading economists and Federal Reserve staff in the Chicago Federal Reserve Bank.