



ECONOMICS 2021-2022

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Economics provides students with the basic analytical tools to understand how markets and economies work. It also helps students learn how to analyze data for decision-making purposes. Students learn critical thinking and problem-solving skills suited for many rewarding careers. Economics is an excellent major for students contemplating careers in business, government, and non-profits. It is also an excellent major for students preparing for graduate education in law school, MBA programs, and Economics. The major also helps students preparing to teach in the social studies. Nationally, the starting salaries of Economics graduates consistently rank among the highest starting salaries of all Bachelor's degrees.

Admission to the major is granted by the department. Minimum university admission requirements are: (1) a minimum of 32 earned semester credit hours. (2) A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 ("C"). Contact the department for application procedures.

ECONOMICS: B.S. MAJOR

Required Core Courses (29 credits)

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, and Credits. Lists core courses for the B.S. major including ECON 201, 202, 207, 301, 355, 356, 420, 462, and 485W.

Required Elective Courses (9 credits)

ECON 300/400 ECON 300/400 ECON 300/400

Required Business Foundation Requirements (31 credits)

MATH 112 College Algebra (4)

Note: Math 112 is a pre requisite to ECON 207

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, and Credits. Lists business foundation requirements including CIS 101, BLAW 200, ACCT 200, ACCT 210, *MRKT 210, *MGMT 230, *MGMT 300, MGMT 346, and FINA 362.

*Note: MGMT 300 formally MGMT 200, MGMT 230 formally MGMT 330, MRKT 210 formally MRKT 310

ECONOMICS: B.A. MAJOR

Required Core Courses (26 credits)

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, and Credits. Lists core courses for the B.A. major including ECON 201, 202, and 207.

Note: Math 112 is a pre requisite to ECON 207

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Required Elective Courses (12 credits)

ECON 300/400
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Required for Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree

Language (8)

Note: Contact the department of World Languages and Cultures for acceptable language sequences.

Required Minor: Yes. Any.

The information listed comes from the University Catalog, for any discrepancies refer to the Catalog.