

Bachelor of Science in Economics

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GENERAL EDUCATION CORE REQUIREMENTS

(Higher-level courses in a particular discipline will satisfy core requirements.)
(When options are available, circle the course completed.)

	<u>check when completed</u>
<u>AREA A. ESSENTIAL SKILLS (9 hrs)</u>	
English Composition (6 hrs)	
ENGL 1101	_____
ENGL 1102	_____
Mathematics (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
MATH 1101, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1261	_____
<u>AREA B. INSTITUTIONAL OPTIONS (4 hrs)</u>	
Understanding the Arts (2 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
ARTS 1105; MUSC 1105; THEA 1105	_____
Understanding Society (2 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
IDST 2205, 2210, or 2215	_____
<u>AREA C. HUMANITIES & FINE ARTS (6 hrs)</u>	
Literature (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
ENGL 2110; IDST 2305	_____
Arts in Society (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
PHIL 2200; IDST 2115, 2310, or 2315; AFST 2010; BLST 2010	_____
<u>AREA D. SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS (11 hrs)</u>	
Science (8 hrs), <i>choose two, with (2) 1 hr labs:</i>	
ASTR 1000/L	
BIOL 1100/L, 1107/L, 1120/L	
CHEM 1151/L, 1152/L, 1211/L, 1212/L	_____
ENSC 1000/L	
GEO 1121/L, 1122/L,	
IDST 2405/L, 2410/L	_____
PHYS 1111/L, 1112/L, 2211/L, 2212/L	
Mathematics (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
MATH 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1260, 1261, 1262, 2600	_____
<u>AREA E. SOCIAL SCIENCES (12 hrs)</u>	
Economics & Political Perspectives (6 hrs)	
ECON 2106 (instead of ECON 2100)	_____
POLS 1150	_____
Historical Perspectives (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
HIST 1131, 1132,	_____
Social Science Perspectives (3 hrs), <i>choose one:</i>	
ANTH 1102; GEOG 1101, 1102; HIST 1131, 1132, 2111, 2112; IDST 2505; PSYC 1101; SOCI 1121	_____
<u>AREA F. (18 hrs)</u>	
ECON 2105 (3 hrs)	_____
MATH 1260 or 1261 (3 hrs) ¹	_____
MATH 2600 (3 hrs) ¹	_____
CSCI 1000 or 1301 or CBIS 2215 or 2220 (3 hrs)	_____
PHIL 2200 ² or 2250 or RHET 1110 (6 hrs)	_____

General Education Core Curriculum Hours Required **60**

UPPER-LEVEL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

(At least 39 hours must be 3000-4000 level courses)
(A minimum 2.5 average GPA is required in all economics courses)
(An institutional GPA of at least 2.0 is required to graduate.)

	<u>check when completed</u>
<u>REQUIRED ECONOMICS COURSES (15 hrs)</u>	
ECON 3220 International Trade	_____
ECON 3600 Intermediate Microeconomics	_____
ECON 3800 Intermediate Macroeconomics	_____
ECON 4340 Introductory Econometrics	_____
ECON 4990 Senior Seminar in Economics ³	_____
<u>ECONOMICS ELECTIVES, 3000-4000 level (15 hrs)</u>	
ECON 3240 International Finance	_____
ECON 3440 Comparative Economic Systems	_____
ECON 3620 Industrial Organization	_____
ECON 3640 Public Economics: Taxation	_____
ECON 3645 Public Economics: Expenditure	_____
ECON 3650 Public Choice Theory	_____
ECON 3660 Controversial Economic Issues	_____
ECON 3670 Labor Economics	_____
ECON 3680 Natural Resource & Environmental Economics	_____
ECON 3820 Money and Banking	_____
ECON 3830 Financial Markets & Institutions	_____
ECON 3840 Economic Growth	_____
ECON 3850 International Economic Development	_____
ECON 4320 Introductory Mathematical Economics	_____
ECON 4505 Special Topics in Economics:	_____
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ECON 4605 Internship	_____
ECON 4805 Independent Study: Supervisor _____	_____
Other ECON Course _____	_____
<u>ELECTIVES (30 hrs)</u>	
(Some of these courses must be 3000 or 4000 level so that at least 39 hours used for graduation are upper-level courses. These hours may be used to complete a second major or a minor.)	
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ECON 0001 First Year Academic Seminar or other freshman seminar (0 hrs)	_____
Total Hours	<u>120</u>

¹ If taken in Area A or D, then any 3- hour elective must be taken.
² If taken in Area C, then PHIL 2250 and RHET 1110 must be taken.

³ As of October 2004, successful completion ECON 4990, Senior Seminar, satisfies the exit exam requirement for ECON majors.

Prerequisites for courses listed on the front side

Course	Prerequisites
ENGL 1102 ENGL 2110	Grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1101 ENGL 1102
IDST 2305	ENGL 1102
MATH 1101 MATH 1113 MATH 1114 MATH 1260 MATH 1261 MATH 1262 MATH 2600	Four years of high school mathematics Four years of high school mathematics Four years of high school mathematics Grade of "C" or better in Area A MATH Grade of "C" or better in MATH 1113 & 1114* Grade of "C" or better in MATH 1261 Grade of "C" or better in Area A MATH
ECON 3220 ECON 3240 ECON 3440 ECON 3600 (fall semester only) ECON 3620 ECON 3640 ECON 3645 ECON 3650 ECON 3660 ECON 3670 ECON 3680 ECON 3800 (spring semester only) ECON 3820 ECON 3830 ECON 3840 ECON 3850 ECON 4320 ECON 4340 (fall semester only) ECON 4505 ECON 4605 ECON 4805 ECON 4980 ECON 4990 (spring semester only)	ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 ECON 3600 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 3600 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100 ECON 3600 & MATH 1261 ECON 3600 & MATH 2600 ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100* ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100* ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100* ECON 2105 & 2106 or ECON 2100* ECON 3600 and 3800

Optional Concentrations: Your transcript will not indicate completion, but you may note it on your résumé

Public Economics Concentration (15 hr)

(required courses)

- ECON 3640 Public Economics: Taxation
- ECON 3645 Public Economics: Expenditure
- ECON 3650 Public Choice Theory

(choose two of the following public courses)

- ECON 3670 Labor Economics
- ECON 3680 Natural Resource & Environmental Economics
- ECON 4505 Economics of Education
- ECON 4505 Sports Economics
- ECON 4505 Urban Economics
- An approved 3000-4000 level Economics course
- An approved 3000-4000 level POLS/PUAD course

Graduate Study Concentration (14 hr)

(required courses)

- ECON 4320 Introductory Mathematical Economics
- MATH 1261 Calculus I (4 hr)
- MATH 1262 Calculus II (4 hr)
- MATH 2150 Linear Algebra

(additional recommended courses)

- MATH 2263 Calculus III (4 hr)
- MATH 4340 Differential Equations

International Concentration (12-15 hr)

Foreign Language (must pass a second level university course in a foreign language)

(choose three of the following courses)

- ECON 3220 International Trade
- ECON 3240 International Finance
- ECON 3440 Comparative Economic Systems
- ECON 3840 Economic Growth
- ECON 3850 International Economic Development

*See undergraduate catalog for further information