

Economics

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Bachelor of Arts Degree Requirements

Economics Major

ECON 40 and 50 are prerequisites for most upper-division courses in economics. Any student planning graduate work is advised to take *additional mathematics* and *some foreign language*.

	<i>Units</i>
Major requirements	39
Core: ECON 40, 50, 100A, 100B, 123	(15)
Areas of concentration	(12)
<i>Majors must complete at least 3 units from each area</i>	
A. History/History of Thought: ECON 101, 105, 107, 109, 110, 151, or 115T	
B. International: ECON 114, 161, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182	
C. Applied Microeconomics: ECON 117, 131, 150, 152, 162, 174, or 188T	
D. Applied Macroeconomics: ECON 103, 119, 135, 140, or 188T	
Approved economics electives (at least 9 units upper division)	(9)
Senior project: ECON 185 or 190 or 191	(3)
General Education	51
Electives and remaining degree requirements	34
<i>(see Degree Requirements); may be used toward a dual major or minor</i>	
Total	124

Advising Notes

- Economics majors may not use ECON 25, 40, 50, or AG EC 1 for General Education requirements.
- A maximum of 6 units of either ECON 185 or 190, or any combination of these courses, will be allowed as credit toward the major, or toward either minor within economics.

- CR/NC grading is not permitted in the economics major or minor.
- General Education and elective units may be used toward a dual major or minor (see *Dual Major* or departmental minor). Consult the appropriate department chair, program coordinator, or faculty adviser for further information.
- No General Education Integration or Multicultural/International course offered by the Department of Economics may be used to satisfy the General Education requirements for economics majors.

Economics Minor

	<i>Units</i>
ECON 40, 50	6
Select one: ECON 100A, 100B, 101	3
Economics electives	9
Total	18

International Political Economy Minor

International political economy is the systematic inquiry into the political and economic forces generating wealth and social change on a global scale. As an interdisciplinary program it is administered from two departments: Political Science and Economics. Students who desire a greater understanding of the complex political and economic interactions of nations are encouraged to learn more about this program by consulting with a faculty adviser in either department.

	<i>Units</i>
<i>Political Science</i>	
PL SI 120	3
Electives*	6
Select from: PL SI 121, 125, 126, 128T, 140, 141, 142T, 143T, 144T, 145T, 146T, 149T	
<i>Economics</i>	
Electives**	9
Select from: ECON 109, 114, 161, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 185, 190	
Total	18

* PL SI 1 or 2 may be listed as a prerequisite for some of these courses.

** ECON 40 and 50 are prerequisites for some of these courses.

Note: The minors also require a 2.0 GPA and 6 upper-division units in residence.

Advising Note for Minors

ECON 25, 40, and 50 may also meet General Education requirements. ECON 165 cannot be used as an elective for any minor in the Economics Program.

Teaching Credential in Social Science. See the social science credential adviser, Jared Stallones, in Social Science, Room 215 for advising and refer to Secondary Teaching Credential under Social Science Programs.

COURSES

Economics (ECON)

25. Introduction to Economics (3)
 Survey of the development of economic ideas and theories in the context of economic history. Analysis of major economic thinkers. Introduction to contemporary economic issues and policy controversies. Does not count toward the major in economics. G.E. Breadth D3.

40. Principles of Microeconomics (3)
 Introduction to microeconomic theories of demand, production, and income distribution; price determination and resource allocation, under alternative forms of market organization; government regulation of economic activity; applied economic analysis and policy formation in selected topic areas. G.E. Breadth D3. (CAN ECON 4)

50. Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
 Prerequisite: ECON 40. Macroeconomic theories of the determination of income, output, employment, and prices in the economy as a whole; business cycles, fiscal and monetary policies; economic growth and development; international trade; and comparative economic systems. G.E. Breadth D3. (CAN ECON 2)

100A. Economic Theory: Microeconomic Analysis (3)
 Prerequisites: ECON 40, 50. Price mechanism and resource allocation under conditions of pure competition, monopolistic competition, oligopoly; theories of consumer's choice, cost, production, income distribution; nature of economic generalizations.

100B. Economic Theory: Macroeconomic Analysis (3)
 Prerequisites: ECON 40, 50. An examination of classical, Keynesian and post-Keynesian theories of the determination of the levels of income, output, and employment; the scientific and ideological implications of Keynesian thought; and the theoretical foundations of contemporary monetary and fiscal policies.