

ECONOMICS, B.A.

Credits: 122
CIP Code: 520601

Program Description

The Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics offers students with the opportunity to engage in innovative approach to study of orthodox theories and contemporary issues in economics. The program emphasizes on providing knowledge and understanding of urban affairs and economic development, not only from the traditional point of view, but also from that of minorities and developing countries of the Third World. Attuned to current problems of American and world economies, the program prepares students who wish to pursue graduate study in economics and related fields.

Admissions Requirements

Applicants to the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics must meet the General Admissions Requirements as published in this Catalog.

Student Learning Outcomes

Graduates of the Economics Program will be able to:

1. Apply appropriate technology and data analysis tools and techniques to address micro- and macro-economic problems.
2. Use research-based economic data collected from various sources for analysis, forecasting and prediction modeling.
3. Interpret the results of statistical testing and economic data presented in tabular, chart and graphic format.
4. Use diagrammatic forms of analysis to communicate economic ideas in a clear and logical manner.
5. Analyze and interpret economic data results through the use of field research and literature searches.

Degree Requirements

In addition to the General Degree Requirements as published in this Catalog, students pursuing the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics must earn minimum final grades of "C" in CENG 105 College Composition I, CENG 106 College Composition II, CMAT 109 College Algebra for Bus & Econ, and CMAT 110 Calculus for Bus & Econ in all economics and business courses.

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Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
CENG 105	College Composition I (Area D1)	3
CGED 100	First Year Seminar	1
CMAT 109	College Algebra for Bus & Econ (Area C1)	3
CBIO 101	Biological Science (or other course - Area C3)	3
CFLS 201 or CSTA 101	Intermediate Spanish (Area D) or Fundamentals of Speech	3
Any Social Science course in Area B		3
Hours		16

Second Semester

CENG 106	College Composition II (Area D2)	3
CGED 101	1st-Year Seminar	1
CMAT 110	Calculus for Bus & Econ (Area C2)	3
CBUS 250	Personal Finance (Area E1)	3
CPSY 211	General Psychology (or other course - Area B1)	3
CBUS 120	Intro to Business Administrati	3
Hours		16

Second Year

First Semester

CPHI 105	Critical Thinking (Area A3)	3
CECO 251	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
CHIS 201	United States,Africa & World (or other course - Area A2)	3
CBUS 207	Principles of Accounting I	3
CHUM 228	or other course - Area A1	3
CBUS 295	Leadership & Prof Dev I	1
Hours		16

Second Semester

CBUS 335	Principles of Marketing	3
CECO 252	Principles of Microeconomics	3
CBUS 206	Management Info Systems	3
CBUS 208	Principles of Accounting II	3
Approved Elective		3
Hours		15

Third Year

First Semester

CBUS 313	Statistics I	3
CBUS 317	Enterprise Integration Systems	3
CBUS 341	Business Finance	3
CECO 315	Intermediate Macroeco Analysis	3
2nd Concentration/Minor/Credential/Other		3
Hours		15

Second Semester

CBUS 314	Statistics II	3
CBUS 308	Accounting Information Systems	3
CECO 362	Money and Banking	3
CECO 316	Intermediate Microeco Analysis	3
2nd Concentration/Minor/Credential/Other		3
CBUS 395	Leadership & Prof Dev II	1
Hours		16

Fourth Year

First Semester

CBUS 460	Production/Operations Mgmt	3
CECO 324 or CECO 335	Economic Development or International Trade	3
CECO 369	Urban Economics	3
2nd Concentration/Minor/Credential/Other		3
Free Elective		3
CBUS 495	Leadership & Prof Dev III	1
Hours		16

Second Semester

CECO 309	Introduction to Econometrics	3
2nd Concentration/Minor/Credential/Other		3
Approved Elective		3
Free Elective		3
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Hours		12
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Total Hours		122

Note: A minimum grade of "C" is required in all Business Core Courses, courses taken in the Concentration, CMAT 109 College Algebra for Bus & Econ, CMAT 110 Calculus for Bus & Econ, CENG 105 College Composition I, and CENG 106 College Composition II.