



Department of Economics

Students can choose their economics electives to fit one of the nine following areas of specialization. Specializations consist of four related courses in different areas of economics. Courses for specializations are offered based on faculty availability. Please note that fulfilling a specialization is not required to complete the economics major. A specialization does not appear on a student's transcript and students are responsible for tracking their own progress towards completion of a specialization.

BEHAVIORAL ECONOMICS

- Behavioral Economics and Finance (**Econ 415**)
- Game Theory and Economic Activity (**Econ 487**)
- **TWO** of the following: Economics of Life (**Econ 305**), Experimental Economics (**Econ 310**), Economics and Psychology (**Econ 315**), or Health Economics (**Econ 371**)

BUSINESS POLICY

- **ONE** of the following: Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**) or Macroeconomics & Machine Learning (**Econ 422**)
- **ONE** of the following: Stocks, Bonds, and Financial Markets (**Econ 215**), Business and Government (**Econ 341**), or Development of the Modern U.S. Economy (**Econ 356**)
- **ONE** of the following: Managerial Economics (**Econ 400**), Industrial Organization (**Econ 405**), Economics of Labor Markets (**Econ 430**), or Game Theory and Economic Activity (**Econ 487**)
- **ONE** economics course at or above the 300-level

CONSULTING ECONOMICS

- Managerial Economics (**ECON 400**)
- Transfer Pricing and Tax Policy (**Econ 435**)
- **TWO** of the following: Financial Economics (**Econ 333**), Industrial Organization (**Econ 405**), Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**), Financial Econometrics (**Econ 423**), Law and Economics (**ECON 442**) or Game Theory (**ECON 487**)

DATA SCIENCES

- Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**)
- Macroeconomics & Machine Learning (**Econ 422**)
- Financial Econometrics (**Econ 423**)
- **ONE** of the following: Game Theory and Economic Activity (**Econ 487**) or Experimental Economics (**Econ 310**)

ECONOMICS OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

- Macroeconomics and Machine Learning (**Econ 422**)
- Economics of Artificial Intelligence (**Econ 436**)
- **TWO** of the following: Economics of Digital Assets (**Econ 312**), Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**), Computing Methods in Economics (**Econ 480**), or Game Theory (**Econ 487**)

FINANCIAL ECONOMICS

- Financial Economics (**Econ 333**)
- Advanced Financial Markets (**Econ 433**)
- Financial Econometrics (**Econ 423**)
- **ONE** of the following: Stocks, Bonds, and Financial Markets (**Econ 215**), Money and Banking (**Econ 411**), Behavioral Economics and Finance (**Econ 415**), International Finance (**Econ 432**), or Housing and Mortgage Markets (**Econ 446**)

HEALTH ECONOMICS

- Health Economics (**Econ 371**)
- Health Policy and Economics (**Econ 372**)
- **TWO** of the following: Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**), Economics of Labor Markets (**Econ 430**), Public Finance (**Econ 434**), or Research in Health Economics & Policy (**Econ 470**)

INTERNATIONAL AND DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

- **TWO** of the following: Introduction to Global Trade and Finance (**Econ 231**), International Trade (**Econ 431**), or International Finance (**Econ 432**)
- **ONE** of the following: Economic Development (**Econ 362**), Latin American Economics (**Econ 364**), or Development Issues for Africa (**Econ 366**)
- **ONE** economics course at or above the 300-level

LAW AND ECONOMICS

- Law and Economics (**Econ 442**)
- **TWO** of the following: Business and Government (**Econ 341**), Industrial Organization (**Econ 405**), Economics of Regulation (**Econ 440**), or Game Theory and Economic Activity (**Econ 487**)
- **ONE** of the following: Health Economics (**Econ 371**), Health Policy and Economics (**Econ 372**), Microeconomic Data Analytics (**Econ 421**), or Public Finance (**Econ 434**)

MACROECONOMICS AND MONETARY ECONOMICS

- Topics in Macroeconomics (**Econ 410**)
- Money and Banking (**Econ 411**)
- Macroeconomics & Machine Learning (**Econ 422**)
- **ONE** of the following: International Finance (**Econ 432**), Labor Economics (**Econ 430**), or Housing and Mortgage Markets (**Econ 446**)

PUBLIC POLICY

- Either **TWO** of the following: Contemporary Economic Issues (**Econ 309**), Business and Government (**Econ 341**), Environmental Economics and Policy (**Econ 365**), or Health Policy and Economics (**Econ 372**) OR **six** hours of Washington Policy Semester (**Econ 394**)
- **TWO** of the following: Industrial Organization (**Econ 405**), Public Finance (**Econ 434**), Economics of Regulation (**Econ 440**), Law and Economics (**Econ 442**), or Housing and Mortgage Markets (**Econ 446**)



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