EMORY | Department of Economics

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE

The Economics Leadership Certificate recognizes students who demonstrate a sustained commitment to leadership development, active engagement in departmental initiatives, and professional growth. This program is affiliated with the Economics Department and the Economics Leadership Program.

Eligibility & Enrollment-To be eligible, students must:

- Be a declared Economics major or minor
- Submit a brief application or statement of interest at the start of the academic year, outlining their motivation for joining the program and their commitment to fulfilling the requirements

Certificates will be awarded upon successful completion of the requirements listed below.

Certificate Requirements-To earn the Leadership Certificate, students must:

- Enroll in and complete the Economics Leadership course
- Participate in at least two (2) Club Networking events each semester
- Participate in at least one (1) Professional Development event each semester
- Demonstrate active departmental leadership, which may include:
 - Serving on the Departmental Advisory Board
 - o Holding a leadership position in a departmental student club
 - Acting as a peer mentor for the Outreach Committee
 - Participating in other approved leadership projects (students may submit proposals for alternative projects in advance for approval)
- Submit a Year-End Reflection (1-2 pages) describing:
 - Key takeaways from the program
 - How leadership skills were developed and applied
 - Plans to use these skills in future academic, professional, or community contexts

Students who fulfill these requirements will receive a formal certificate from the Economics Department recognizing their leadership contributions.