Economics, B.S.

Academic Plans

Four-Year Graduation Plan

The following checkpoints list the minimum requirements students must complete by certain semesters in order to stay on the University's Four-Year Graduation Plan.

Before the third semester begins: at least one-quarter of the semester hours required for graduation.

Before the fourth semester begins: MATH:1850 Calculus I.

Before the fifth semester begins: MATH:1860 Calculus II and at least half of the semester hours required for graduation.

Before the sixth semester begins: STAT:3100 Introduction to Mathematical Statistics I (if chosen statistics course).


Before the eighth semester begins: STAT:3120 Probability and Statistics (if chosen statistics course) and at least two applied field courses.

During the eighth semester: ECON:4800 Econometric Analysis, all remaining coursework in the major, all remaining GE CLAS Core courses, and a sufficient number of semester hours to graduate.

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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First Year

Fall

ECON:1100 Principles of Microeconomics | 4
MATH:1850 Calculus I | 4
GE CLAS Core: World Languages First Level Proficiency | 4 - 5
CSI:1600 Success at Iowa | 2
Elective course | 2

Hours | 16-17

Spring

ECON:1200 Principles of Macroeconomics | 4
MATH:1860 Calculus II | 4
ENGL:1200 The Interpretation of Literature | 3 - 4
or RHET:1030 Rhetoric | |

Hours | 15

Second Year

Fall

ECON:3150 or ECON:3125 Intermediate Macroeconomics | 3
or Intermediate Microeconomics: Advanced
STAT:3100 Introduction to Mathematical Statistics I | 3
RHET:1030 or ENGL:1200 Rhetoric or The Interpretation of Literature | 3 - 4
GE CLAS Core: World Languages Second Level Proficiency | 4 - 5
GE CLAS Core: Diversity and Inclusion | 3

Hours | 15

Spring

ECON:3150 or ECON:3125 Intermediate Macroeconomics | 3
or Intermediate Microeconomics: Advanced
STAT:3101 Introduction to Mathematical Statistics II | 3
GE CLAS Core: World Languages Fourth Level Proficiency | 4 - 5
GE CLAS Core: Natural Sciences with Lab | 4
Elective course | 2

Hours | 15

Third Year

Fall

STAT:3120 Probability and Statistics | 4
Major: applied field course | 3
GE CLAS Core: Historical Perspectives | 3
Elective course | 3
Elective course | 2

Hours | 15

Spring

ECON:4800 Econometric Analysis | 3
Major: applied field course | 3
GE CLAS Core: Natural Sciences without Lab | 3
GE CLAS Core: International and Global Issues | 3
Elective course | 3

Hours | 15

Fourth Year

Fall

Major: applied field course | 3
GE CLAS Core: Values and Culture | 3
Elective course | 3
Elective course | 3
Elective course | 3

Hours | 15

Spring

Major: applied field course | 3
GE CLAS Core: Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts | 3
Elective course | 3
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Hours | 15
Degree Application: apply on MyUI before deadline (typically in February for spring, September for fall)

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- a Sustainability must be completed by choosing a course that has been approved for Sustainability AND for one of these General Education areas: Natural Sciences; Quantitative and Formal Reasoning; Social Sciences; Historical Perspectives; International and Global Issues; Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts; or Values and Culture.
- b Fulfills a major requirement and may fulfill a GE requirement.
- c Enrollment in math courses requires completion of a placement exam.
- d Students who have completed four years of a single language in high school have satisfied the GE CLAS Core World Languages requirement. Enrollment in world languages courses requires a placement exam, unless enrolling in a first-semester-level course.
- e Students may use elective courses to earn credit towards the total s.h. required for graduation or to complete a double major, minors, or certificates.
- f Both ECON:3125 and ECON:3150 must be completed at the University of Iowa.
- g Students may choose to complete either STAT:3100-3101 or STAT:3120.
- h Typically this course is offered in fall semesters only. Check MyUI for course availability since offerings are subject to change.
- i GE CLAS Core courses may be completed in any order unless used as a prerequisite for another course. Students should consult with an advisor about the best sequencing of courses.
- j Typically this course is offered in spring semesters only. Check MyUI for course availability since offerings are subject to change.
- k At least two of the applied field courses must be completed at the University of Iowa.
- l Students must complete four ECON courses (12 s.h.) numbered 3325-4700 excluding ECON:4090 and ECON:4700; at least two of the courses must be numbered 4090-4700.
- m Please see Academic Calendar, Office of the Registrar website for current degree application deadlines. Students should apply for a degree for the session in which all requirements will be met. For any questions on appropriate timing, contact your academic advisor or Graduation Services.