

Economics Major Checklist: A.B. Degree

Prerequisites to the Major

MATH REQUIREMENT

Successful completion or demonstrated proficiency required. Completion of higher-level math course demonstrates proficiency in lower-level math course.

- MATH 111L **or** MATH 105L and MATH 106L
- MATH 122/112L **or** MATH 122L
- MATH 202 **or** MATH 212 **or** MATH 222 **or** any higher-level math course with MATH 212 as a prerequisite

STATISTICS REQUIREMENT

Choose one from the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 111 (recommended) | <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 230/MATH 230 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 112FS | <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 250/MATH 342 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 130 | |

Core Economics Courses

ECON 205D may be taken as a co-requisite with ECON 210D.

- ECON 101D* Economic Principles
- ECON 201D Intermediate Microeconomics I
- ECON 205D** Intermediate Microeconomics II
- ECON 208D Econometrics (must be taken before senior year)
- ECON 210D Intermediate Macroeconomics

Upper-Level Economics Courses

HISTORY ELECTIVE

Choose one from the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 222D American Business History | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 314 History of Modern Macroeconomics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 302 Introduction to Economic History | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 316 History of Modern Economics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 303A Political Philosophy of Globalization | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 318S Economic Science Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 304 The International Economy, 1850-Present | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 319 Philosophy & Methodology of Economics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 311 History of Economic Thought | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 322SA Economics of Creative Goods |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 312 Adam Smith & the System of Natural Liberty | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 344 History of Art Markets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 313 Uses of Economics | |

GENERAL ELECTIVES

Any four economics courses at the 300-level or above, with at least one course at the 300-level and one course at the 400-level.

Courses 500-549 can only be counted toward the major with approval from the director of undergraduate studies.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 3 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 4 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> ECON _____ |

General Restrictions

- A maximum of TWO economics transfer credit courses will be accepted toward the major (A.B. or B.S.). This applies to courses taken in the United States and to study abroad courses. One exception is the London School of Economics full-year (fall & spring) program, from which a maximum of FOUR courses may be counted toward the major.
- ACES enforces prerequisites for many ECON courses.

*Students with credit for both AP Macro and AP Micro (4 or higher) may receive credit for ECON 101. To receive credit for ECON 101 using an international standardized exam, please visit <http://trinity.duke.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/credit-AP-IPC-PMC> for qualifying scores.

Prerequisites are enforced for ECON 205D. They include ECON 201, MATH 111L and **either MATH 212 **or** MATH 212 **or** MATH 222.

Students should note that these requirements are almost identical to B.S. major requirements. Any student who fulfills A.B. major requirements will also have fulfilled B.S. major requirements and will be certified for that degree. For this reason, we recommend students change their degree objective to B.S.