

## Economics Program

The [Department of Economics](#) offers programs of study preparing students for careers in business, government or graduate education programs. There are three major programs within the department. The first, [Business Economics](#), integrates business and economics courses in a way that allows students to analyze business problems with the insight garnered from the economics discipline. The [General Economics](#) program places emphasis on social science within a broad liberal arts education. The [International Economics](#) program focuses on the international and regional aspects of economics.

### **Business Economics Program Required Courses**

A minimum 120 credit hours are required for the degree. Other administrative requirements will be needed; see the University Catalog for detailed requirements.

#### **General Education\***

English I	ENC 1101
English II	ENC 1102 (Pre: ENC 1101)
Humanities	6 credits (Transfer students may not take WOH2012 at FAU as a humanity)
Natural Science	6 credits (Some examples listed in "Core Curriculum" link below)
Social Science	6 credits (Requirement met with micro and macroeconomics)

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#### **Pre-Professional Business Courses** (Minimum grade of "C")

Accounting I (Financial)	ACG 2021 (Pre: 30 credits)
Accounting II (Managerial)	ACG 2071 (Pre: ACG 2021 with a grade of "C" or better)
Macroeconomics	ECO 2013 (Pre: 30 credits)
Microeconomics	ECO 2023 (Pre: 30 credits)
Methods of Calculus	MAC 2233 (Pre: College algebra or see math dept.)
Introductory Statistics	STA 2023 (Pre: Liberal arts math 1 or see math dept.)
Information Systems Fundamentals	ISM 2000 (Pre: 30 credits)

NOTE: A Math Placement Exam is available and may be required for some students.

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#### **Business Core** (Pre: 60 credits, except for enc 3213) (Minimum grade of "C")

Business Law I	BUL 4421
Management Information Systems	ISM 3011 (Pre: ISM 2000)
Writing for Management	ENC 3213 (Pre: ENC 1101 & 1102)
Quantitative Methods in Admin	QMB 3600 (Pre: MAC 2233 & STA 2023)
Mgmt & Organizational Behavior	MAN 3025
Marketing Management	MAR 3023 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023)
Financial Management	FIN 3403 (Pre: ACG 2021 & 2071)
Upper-Division Economics Course	met by required major course
International Perspective Course	met by required major course
Operations Management	MAN 3506 (Pre: MAN 3025 & QMB 3600)
Global Strategy and Policy	MAN 4720 (Pre: 90 credits & see catalog)

#### **Business Electives**

The business economics major requires a minimum of 51 credits of upper-division (#3000 +) college of business courses (Excluding ENC3213). Most business economics majors will need 6 additional credits of upper-division business courses beyond the Business Core and the Business Economics Major courses to fulfill this requirement.

<b>Business Economics Major</b> (Pre: 60 credits) (Minimum grade of "C")	
Intermediate Microeconomics	ECO 3101 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
<b>or</b> Managerial Economics	<b>or</b> ECP 3703 (Pre: STA 2023; & either ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Intermediate Macroeconomics	ECO 3203 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Introduction to Econometric Methods	ECO 4421 (Pre: STA 2023; & either ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
3 credits of Int'l. Economics course	ECS 3013, ECO 4704, or ECO 4713 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
6 additional credits of upper-division economic coursework (Pre: see catalog; Not ECO 3003)	
Cases in Economic Analysis	ECO 4933 (Pre: ECO 3101 or ECP 3703, & ECO 3203)

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### **General Economics Program Required Courses**

A minimum 120 credit hours are required for the degree. Other administrative requirements will be needed; see the University Catalog for detailed requirements.

#### **General Education\***

English I	ENC 1101
English II	ENC 1102 (Pre: ENC 1101)
Humanities	6 credits (Transfer students may not take WOH2012, at FAU, as a humanity)
Natural Science	6 credits (Some examples listed in "Core Curriculum" link below)
Social Science	6 credits (Requirement met with micro and macroeconomics)

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#### **Pre-Professional Business Courses** (Minimum grade of "C")

Accounting I (Financial)	ACG 2021 (Pre: 30 credits)
Accounting II (Managerial)	ACG 2071 (Pre: ACG 2021 with a grade of "C" or better)
Macroeconomics	ECO 2013 (Pre: 30 credits)
Microeconomics	ECO 2023 (Pre: 30 credits)
Methods of Calculus	MAC 2233 (Pre: College algebra or see math dept.)
Introductory Statistics	STA 2023 (Pre: Liberal arts math 1 or see math dept.)
Information Systems Fundamentals	ISM 2000 (Pre: 30 credits)

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#### **General Economics Major** (Pre: 60 credits) (Minimum grade of "C")

Intermediate Microeconomics	ECO 3101 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Intermediate Macroeconomics	ECO 3203 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Intro. to Econometric Methods	ECO 4421 (Pre: STA 2023 & either ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
3 credits of Int'l. Economics Course	ECS 3013, ECO 4704, or ECO 4713 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
12 additional credits of upper-division economics coursework (Pre: See catalog; Not ECO 3003)	
Cases in Economic Analysis	ECO 4933 (Pre: ECO 3101 or ECP 3703, & ECO 3203)

#### **Other Required Courses**

12 credits of social science cognates\*\* (Pre: See catalog under "General Economics Major")

Foreign Language - (8 credits) 2 college semesters of the same foreign language or equivalent competency (See catalog's "foreign language graduation" requirement).

**\*\*Note** - 45 credits of upper-division courses are required for the degree. Some students may wish to take all or some of their social science cognate courses as upper-division courses (3000+) to assist in partially fulfilling this graduation requirement.

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### **International Economics Program Required Courses**

A minimum 120 credit hours are required for the degree. Other administrative requirements will be needed; see the University Catalog for detailed requirements.

#### **General Education\***

English I	ENC 1101
English II	ENC 1102 (Pre: ENC 1101)
Humanities	6 credits (Transfer students may not take WOH2012, at FAU, as a humanity)
Natural Science	6 credits (Some examples listed in "Core Curriculum" link below)
Social Science	6 credits (Requirement met with micro and macroeconomics)

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#### **Pre-Professional Business Courses** (Minimum grade of "C")

Accounting I (Financial)	ACG 2021 (Pre: 30 credits)
Accounting II (Managerial)	ACG 2071 (Pre: ACG 2021 with a grade of "C" or better)
Macroeconomics	ECO 2013 (Pre: 30 credits)
Microeconomics	ECO 2023 (Pre: 30 credits)
Methods of Calculus	MAC 2233 (Pre: College algebra or see math dept.)
Introductory Statistics	STA 2023 (Pre: Liberal arts math 1 or see math dept.)
Information Systems Fundamentals	ISM 2000 (Pre: 30 credits)

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#### **International Economics Major** (Pre: 60 credits)

Intermediate Microeconomics	ECO 3101 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Intermediate Macroeconomics	ECO 3203 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
Introduction to Econometric Methods	ECO 4421 (Pre: STA 2023 & either ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
9 credits of Int'l. Economics	ECS 3013, ECO 4704, & ECO 4713 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
6 additional credits of upper-division economic courses	(Pre: See catalog; Not ECO 3003)
Cases in Economic Analysis	ECO 4933 (Pre: ECO 3101 or ECP 3703, & ECO 3203)

#### **Other Required Courses**

12 credits of social science cognate\*\* (Preferably specializing in a region; see major in catalog)

Foreign Language - 2 college semesters of the same foreign language (8 credits) or equivalent competency (See catalog's "foreign language graduation" requirement).

**\*\*Note** - 45 total credits of upper-division courses are required for the degree. Some students may wish to take all or some of their social science cognate courses as upper-division courses (3000+) to assist in partially fulfilling this graduation requirement.