

Economics Program

The [Department of Economics](#) offers programs of study preparing students for careers in business, government or graduate education programs. There are two 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.

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.

Intellectual Foundation Program (IFP) *

English I	ENC 1101
English II	ENC 1102 (Pre: ENC 1101)
Society and Human Behavior	6 credits (3 credits met by ECO requirement)
Natural Science	6 credits (one course with a lab)
Math & Quantitative Reasoning	6 credits (met with MAC2233 and STA2023)
Global Citizenship	6 credits
Creative Expression	6 credits

*Students admitted to FAU prior to fall 2009, see the [General Education](#) requirements. Students who have earned an AA (Associate of Arts) degree from a regionally accredited Florida Public Institution will be deemed to have met the IFP.

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

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

Mgmt & Organizational Behavior	MAN 3025
Marketing Management	MAR 3023 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023)
Financial Management	FIN 3403 (Pre: ACG 2021 & 2071)
Writing for Management	ENC 3213 (Pre: ENC 1101 & 1102)
Upper-Division Economics Course	met by required major course
Quantitative Methods in Admin	QMB 3600 (Pre: MAC 2233 & STA 2023)
Management Information Systems	ISM 3011 (Pre: ISM 2000)
Business Law I	BUL 4421
International Perspective Course	met by required major course
Operations Management	MAN 3506 (Pre: MAN3025; & QMB 3600 with "C" or better)
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 (2 courses) of upper-division business courses beyond the Business Core and the Business Economics Major courses to fulfill this requirement.

Business Economics Major (Pre: 60 credits) (Minimum grade of "C")	
Intermediate Microeconomics	ECO 3101 (Pre: ECO 2013 & 2023, or ECO 3003)
or Managerial Economics	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)

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.

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English I	ENC 1101
English II	ENC 1102 (Pre: ENC 1101)
Society and Human Behavior	6 credits (3 credits met by ECO requirement)
Natural Science	6 credits (one course with a lab)
Math & Quantitative Reasoning	6 credits (met with MAC2233 and STA2023)
Global Citizenship	6 credits
Creative Expression	6 credits

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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

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. Students may wish to take all or some of their social science cognate courses as upper-division courses (3000+) to assist in fulfilling this graduation requirement.