

**Curriculum Guide for Economics Majors
Social and Behavioral Sciences**

Name _____ Advisor _____

REQUIRED ECONOMICS COURSES	UNITS	GRADE
Econ. 200 <u>or</u> 201a&b <u>or</u> 210	_____	_____
Econ. 332 (P, Math. 113 or 115a-b or 124 or 125)	3	_____
Econ. 361 (P, Math. 113 or 115a-b or 124 or 125)	3	_____
Econ. 276 <u>or</u> 339	3	_____

ELECTIVE ECONOMICS COURSES

A minimum of 9 elective units (3 courses) must be selected from among:

Econ. 405	_____	_____
406	_____	_____
407	_____	_____
411	_____	_____
418	_____	_____
421	_____	_____
424	_____	_____
425	_____	_____
430	_____	_____
431	_____	_____
432	_____	_____
435	_____	_____
438	_____	_____
442	_____	_____
443	_____	_____
444	_____	_____
452	_____	_____
453	_____	_____
460	_____	_____
461	_____	_____
481	_____	_____
482	_____	_____
484	_____	_____
485	_____	_____
486	_____	_____
489	_____	_____

Other elective Econ. courses (e.g., 303, 307, 313, 340, 371, 382, 383, 386):

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Please note: A minimum of 15 units of all elective Econ. courses must be at the upper division (i.e., 300 or 400) level.

TOTAL ECONOMICS UNITS _____

Please note: A minimum of 30 units of Economics are required for the major.

NOTES

1. The Department has three introductory offerings: Econ. 200 or 201a&b or 210 (210 has a prerequisite of six units of calculus). One of these introductory offerings must be completed before other Economics classes can be taken.
2. Students are encouraged to complete Econ. 332 and especially Econ. 361 as early as possible in their program of study since these two classes, especially Econ. 361, are prerequisite to most of the upper division Economics elective classes.
3. Since Econ. 332 and 361 have a Mathematics prerequisite, students should strive to complete the necessary prerequisites to take these two classes early in their program of study. While MATH 113 or 115a-b is sufficient preparation for Econ. 332 and 361, students who have a strong interest in Mathematics or those who wish to pursue graduate study in Economics are encouraged to take MATH 124 or 125. Students who are interested in graduate study in Economics should take as many courses in Mathematics as possible including MATH 129, 215, 223, Students interested in graduate study in Economics should also choose courses such as Econ. 411, 418, 421, and 432 as elective courses for their major. Such students may also take MATH 451 in place of Econ. 339 or 276.
4. Economics majors **cannot** take Econ. 330. Students who complete Econ. 330 before declaring Economics as a major *cannot* then take Econ. 332. Instead such students must either take Econ. 430 or 442 as a substitute for Econ. 332. In such a case, Econ. 430 or 442 will not count as one of the 400 level electives required for the major. Economics majors **cannot** take Econ. 300. Econ. 361 should be taken in lieu of 300. Students who complete Econ. 300 before declaring Economics as a major *must* take Econ. 361. For such students, Econ. 300 will **not** count towards the major.
5. The Department also offers a degree in Business Economics through the College of Business and Public Administration. This requires Advanced Standing. The Economics requirements for the major in Economics and the major in Business Economics are quite similar. The difference lies in some of the general education and other requirements (e.g., students select a minor for the Economics major while students must complete a set of required courses in various business disciplines for the Business Economics major).
6. Students should consult with departmental advisors for assistance in selecting elective classes since an optimal choice of electives is contingent on future career plans. Similarly, students should not hesitate to see an advisor before selecting a minor, etc. All faculty in the Department are involved in advising students. Advising appointments can be scheduled in McClelland 401.