

REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION TO UPPER DIVISION (300/400-LEVEL SBE COURSES)

Students majoring in the SBE must be admitted to the school prior to enrolling in 300/400-level courses with the exception of 300/400 level economics courses. Students enrolling in 300/400 level economics courses only need to satisfy Econ 250 and Econ 251 prerequisite requirement.

To be admitted to SBE, students must first:

1. **Earn an overall grade point average of 2.3 or higher.** This requirement applies to all students, **including transfer students**. Coursework at previously attended colleges or universities will be included in GPA computations.
2. Complete the following courses with a **GPA of at least 2.0 with no grade lower than C-** : BUS 270; ECON 250, 251.

 Students from outside the school who have completed ECON 235 can enroll in all 300/400 level economics courses without being admitted to the SBE. However, if a student who has taken ECON 235 subsequently declares Economics as his/her major, he/she will have to complete the ECON 250 and ECON 251 sequence, along with BUS 270, in order to meet all requirements for admission to the SBE. In this case, ECON 235 can be counted as general elective credits. This is to ensure that all economics majors will have completed the same course requirements for their upper level training. Students lacking experience with spreadsheet, database, and internet software applications are strongly encouraged to take ITS 108 – Business Computer Applications.
3. Complete the following: WRIT 102, 209; COMM 110; and MATH 151 or Math 240 for all SBE majors.
4. All but 12 credits of the remaining University Studies requirements.

Students with majors offered by the SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS may not enroll in any of the courses listed in 2 & 3 on a Pass/Fail basis. The University Studies Mathematics requirement is satisfied by MATH 151 or 240.

All of the requirements stated above also apply to transfer students.

SUGGESTED SEMESTER BY SEMESTER COURSE PLAN

***Please note: This is just a guide. Use your advising report to make sure you are fulfilling all of your requirements.**

YEAR ONE

SEMESTER ONE

WRIT 102 (<i>pending placement</i>)	3
HHP 102	3
HHP 102 Lab	0
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	6
TOTAL	12

YEAR ONE

SEMESTER TWO

COMM 110	3
Minor Elective	3
MATH 151/240	3
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	6
TOTAL	15

YEAR TWO

SEMESTER ONE

Minor Elective	3
ECON 250 (C- or higher) (Satisfies Social Science Univ. Studies)	3
WRIT 209 (C- or higher in WRIT 102 and at least 30 college credits)	3
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	5
TOTAL	14

YEAR TWO

SEMESTER TWO

ECON 251 (C- or higher)	3
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	3
Minor Elective	6
BUS 270 (C- or higher)	3
TOTAL	15

****Apply for admission into the SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS****

Acceptance into the SBE then allows registration in upper-division courses.

✓ Complete graduation plan with advisor.

**YEAR THREE
SEMESTER ONE**

ECON 350	3	
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	3	
Any ECON 300/400 Elective	3	
Minor Elective	6	
TOTAL	15	

**YEAR THREE
SEMESTER TWO**

ECON 351	3
ECON 435	3
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	3
Any ECON 300/400 Elective	3
Any Electives	6
TOTAL	18

**YEAR FOUR
SEMESTER ONE**

Any Elective (300 – 400)	9	
Minor Elective (300 – 400)	6	
TOTAL	15	

**YEAR FOUR
SEMESTER TWO**

ECON 470 (Capstone)	3
Any ECON 300/400 Elective	3
Any Elective (300-400)	6
UNIVERSITY STUDIES	3
TOTAL	15

33 Total Credits				
SBE Required Core Courses (12 credits)				
Dept.	No.	Course Name	Prerequisites	Sem. Offered
MATH	151	Calculus for Business, Life and Social Sciences (or MATH 240)	Qualified on Placement Test or Math 102 (C- or higher)	F,S
BUS	270	Business Statistics	ITS 108 with a grade of C- or higher	F,S
ECON	250	Principles of Microeconomics		F, S
ECON	251	Principles of Macroeconomics		F, S
Required Concentration Courses (9 credits)				
ECON	350	Intermediate Microeconomics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	F
ECON	351	Intermediate Macroeconomics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S
ECON	470	Applied Economic Analysis	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S
Global Awareness Requirement - one of the following (3 credits)				
ECON	430*	International Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	F
ECON	435*	Development Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S
Plus three electives (9 credits)				
ECON	301	Study Abroad	Consent of Instructor	occasionally
ECON	330	Money and Banking	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	F
ECON	333	Transportation Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	F
ECON	335	Ecological Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S, every other year
ECON	362	Public Finance	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S
ECON	430*	International Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	F
ECON	435*	Development Economics	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S
ECON	438	Comparative Economics Systems	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	S, every other year
ECON	481	Seminar in Economic Issues	Econ 250 and 251 or ECON 235	Occasionally by demand

Notes:

- ECON 430 and ECON 435 can be used to satisfy only one requirement in the major.
- 120 total credits and 36 credits numbered 300 or higher are required for graduation. After meeting all University Studies requirements, all minor requirements and all major requirements, the economics major still contains 24-27 elective credits (8-9 courses) that the student can fill with any catalog course of his or her choosing.
- Students with more than one major in SBE must have a minimum 5 course difference between majors. The 5 or more courses that differ between majors must be a combination of required major/concentration courses and elective courses.