

SAMPLE 4-YEAR PLAN: Economics, B.S.

Haile/US Bank College of Business, Northern Kentucky University

This is one way you can complete this program in four years if you are not required to complete any developmental courses and you are placed by your math placement score in MAT 102 Introductory College Algebra.

MAJOR: **Economics**

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Join the Norse Economics Community Organization (NECO) for ECO majors. Consult with advisor about choosing a minor and/or double major.	BIS 101 Fundamentals of Business Computing	3	STA 205 Introduction to Statistical Methods	3
	BUS 101 Introduction to Business (recommended)	3	FOK: Written Communication II	3
	FOK: Written Communication I	3	FOK: Culture & Creativity II	3
	FOK: Culture & Creativity I	3	FOK: Cultural Pluralism	3
	MAT 102 Introductory College Algebra	2	FOK: Natural Science with Lab	4
	Total	14	Total	16
SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
You should be a decision about your minor and/or double major this year as some will require 200 level coursework as prerequisite for 300 and 400 level courses.	ECO 200 Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECO 301 Intermediate Microeconomics	3
	ECO 201 Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECO Elective ¹	3
	FOK: Oral Communication	3	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3
	FOK: Individual & Society	3	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3
	FOK: Global Viewpoints	3	FOK: Natural Science without Lab	3
	Total	15	Total	15
THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Consider an internship in your third year or perhaps a study abroad experience. Select electives carefully to support your career or graduate school plans. ECO Faculty can help with this decision.	ECO 300 Intermediate Macroeconomics	3	ECO 311 Econometrics II	3
	ECO 310 Introduction to Econometrics	3	ECO Elective ¹	3
	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3
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	Total	15	Total	15
FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Attend every professional networking event. Be a leader - that's who companies want to hire. Make a difference in your actions.	ECO Elective ¹	3	ECO 494 Seminar in Economics	3
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	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3
	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3	Elective/Minor/2nd Major	3
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	Total	15	Total	15
Grand Total of Credits				120

Notes:

Following this plan will allow you to complete your B.S. degree in Economics in four years (eight semesters), assuming you meet minimum performance expectations in all courses. Give careful attention to course prerequisites, as they are strictly enforced. If you choose to earn your degree over a period longer than four years, the basic sequence of courses shown above will still apply in most cases. If you decide to deviate from the recommended sequence, you should consult with the College of Business Center for Student Excellence for assistance in developing an alternative plan.

Students of economics must earn at least a C- in all of their major courses, and a minimum of 2.25 GPA in the major. Economics majors can choose a minor and additional elective courses in a field that fits their career goals - for example, those with an interest in environmental policy can elect a minor in environmental studies.

¹Economics majors are required to take four ECO Electives at 300/400 level (12 credits).