Nebraska Wesleyan University

Economics (B.A., B.S.)

Catalog

2026-2027

Program Description

Academically equivalent, both bachelorâ??s of art and bachelorâ??s of science will full prepare you for a career in economics. Economics is traditionally viewed as a liberal arts major and therefore students often choose the B.A. degree.

A minor or additional major is required.

Departments

1. Business, Accounting and Economics (Undergraduate)

Economics Major (B.A. or B.S., 45-47 hours). A minor or second major is also required.

Courses	39 hours
ACCT 1310 Principles of Accounting I	3 hours
ACCT 1320 Principles of Accounting II	3 hours
ECON 1530 Macroeconomic Principles	3 hours
ECON 1540 Microeconomic Principles	3 hours
Statistics course (Choose from:) • BUSAD 2100 Business and Economic Statistics • MATH 1300 Statistics • MATH 3300 Mathematical Statistics I • PSYCH 2100 Psychological Statistics	3 hours
BUSAD 2300 Business Communication	3 hours
BUSAD 3300 Quantitative Methods	3 hours
ECON 2020 Money and Banking or BUSAD 3700 Financial Management	3 hours
ECON 2550 Microeconomic Theory	3 hours
ECON 2560 Macroeconomic Theory	3 hours
ECON 4570 International Trade	3 hours
Select two additional courses from 3000-level or 4000-level economics courses or one 3000-level or 4000-level economics course and BUSAD 3700 Financial Management (if not used above).	6 hours
Capstone	**3 hours**
ECON 4970 Economics Internship, ECON 4610 Economic Viewpoints, or ECON 4950 Independent Study	3 hours

Minor or Second Major

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Also required: A department-approved math course: (MATH 1100 College Algebra or MATH 1600 Calculus I) (3-5 hours)

MATH 1600 Calculus I is strongly recommended for students considering graduate school.