

ECONOMICS MAJOR / MINOR DECLARATION FORM

Please complete the ENTIRE form for a major declaration

Submit this form electronically to ecoug@buffalo.edu

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

UB Person #: _____ **UB Email:** _____@buffalo.edu

Class Year: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior **Phone #:** _____

Interested in becoming: Economics major, select one: **ECO BA** **ECO BS** (STEM designated)

Economics minor
 To enter the **minor**, you must have received a passing grade in Calc I (MTH 121, MTH 131, or MTH 141) & have a GPA of ≥ 2.5 over any two ECO courses.

Joint Major MTH-ECO BA Other: *Contact UG Studies Director*

Double Major, select one: ECO BA + _____ BA ECO BS + _____ BS

Double Degree, select one: ECO BA + _____ BS ECO BS + _____ BA
Please also fill out the [Double Degree form!](#)

Other: _____

List other Major / Joint Major / Minor / other degree(s) here:

Indicate here if you want to keep or drop your current major/minor:

Economics Honors Program:

The Department of Economics would like to acknowledge excellent graduating seniors who have met the honors program requirements. These requirements are set to distinguish exceptional seniors among their peers and demonstrate a deeper understanding of Economics.

BA: We nominate students who completed (1) MTH 141, (2) MTH 142, (3) ECO 406, and (4) whose cumulative GPA in economics courses is at least 3.25.

BS: We nominate students who completed (1) MTH 141, (2) MTH 142, (3) ECO 498 or 499 with a recommendation letter, and (4) whose cumulative GPA in economics courses of at least 3.25.

For both BA and BS, if students' cumulative GPA in economics courses are at least 3.25, then they are nominated for Honors; if it is at least 3.50 they are nominated for High Honors; and if it is at least 3.75, they are nominated for Highest Honors.

Would you like to be enrolled in Economics Honors Program?

YES NO If no, why not? _____ Combined Degrees:

The Department of Economics offers two special combined degree tracks for undergraduate students with a qualifying GPA. Combined degrees allow students to complete both a bachelor's and master's degree in less time and money. This is possible because of a slight reduction in undergraduate courses created by overlapping electives. When completed, students' records will indicate two degrees individually awarded as part of a combined degree program.

Interested in combined degrees: ECO **BA/MA** ECO BA/MS (STEM designated)

For CONTINUING students:

Have you met with the Economics Undergraduate Advisor to discuss the course of study so that you will be on the right track to complete the degree on time?

YES NO If **yes**, what was the date? _____

For information on course planning, please contact our Undergraduate Advisor:

ecoug@buffalo.edu

(716) 645-8682

435 Fronczak Hall

Thank you for your interest in Economics!

Notes:

Each semester, after final grades are posted, we strongly encourage students to review their GPAs. Students new to the Economics program in or after fall 2019 must earn a 2.5 (or higher) GPA over all their Economics courses to graduate. Regularly checking your Academic Advisement Report on your HUB Student Center will help you easily verify your progress with regards to fulfilling your graduation requirements.

Departmental Honors are for Economics majors only.