THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON KANIA SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT ECONOMICS

About the Program

Economics is the study of how societies use scarce resources to produce valuable commodities and distribute them among different people. Our program gives students a solid foundation in economics, international business and finance for an integrated curriculum valued by employers.



Outcomes & Opportunities

- Internships help students make connections and gain valuable experience. Examples of internship sites include AXA Equitable, Federal Reserve Board and Morgan Stanley.
- Students get a head start on career development through the student chapter of Omicron Delta Epsilon, the international honors society in economics. Members receive valuable information on career options and connect with business leaders at events.
- Economics majors enjoy a broad range of career options including employment in the financial and banking sector, government, industry, information technology and law.
- Employers of our alumni include AXA Financial, FactSet, Goldman Sachs and Prudential Asset Managemento.
- Scranton graduates are admitted to leading universities throughout the country. Some examples include Northwestern University, the University of Pennsylvania Law School and George Washington University.

Our Kania School of Management has ranked among The Princeton Review's "Best Business Schools" for 17 years.



SUCCESS AHEAD

ECONOMICS CURRICULUM

	Department & Number - Descriptive Title of Course	Fall Cr.	Spr. Cr.
MAJOR (GE S/BH)	ECO 153 - (S) Principles of Microeconomics –	0	0
	ECO 154 - (S.) Principles of Macroeconomics	3	3
GE SPCH - WRTG	BUS 140 - (FYDT,FYOC) Business Information & Oral Proficiency –	0	
	WRTG 107 - (FYW) Composition	3	3
GE PHIL-T/RS	PHIL 120 - Introduction to Philosophy –	0	2
05 01141	T/RS 121 - (P) Theology I: Introduction to the Bible	3	3
GE QUAN	MATH ELECT - Math Option (two courses) ¹	3-4	3-4
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humanities Electives ²	3	3
GE FSEM	First Year Seminar ⁵		1
BUS CORE	BUS 150 - Career & Professional Development	- 15-16	1
SECOND YEAR			16-17
MAJOR	ECO 361 - Intermediate Microeconomics –		
	ECO 362 - Intermediate Macroeconomics	3	3
COGNATE	STAT 253 - Statistics for Economics ³	3	
COGNATE	ACC 253 - Financial Accounting ³	3	
COGNATE	COGNATE ELECT - Cognate Elective ³		3
GE PHIL - T/RS	PHIL 210 - Ethics –		
	T/RS 122 - (P) Theology II: Introduction to Christian Theology	3	3
GE NSCI	NSCI ELECT - Natural Science Elective		3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humn. Elective (HIST 110–HIST 111 recommended)	3	
GE ELECT	FREE ELECT - Free Elective⁴		3
BUS CORE	OIM 251 - Excel for Business Applications	1	
		- 16	15
THIRD YEAR		0	
MAJOR	ECO/IB 375 - International Economics	3	0
MAJOR	ECO 363 - (W,EPW) Applied Econometrics	0	3
MAJOR	ECO ELECT - Economics Elective	3	
COGNATE	ECO/IB 351 - (D) Environment of International Business	3	
COGNATE	FIN 251 - Introduction to Finance – COGNATE ELECT - Cognate Electives ³	3	6
COGNATE	COGNATE ELECT - Cognate Elective	3	
GE PHIL or T/RS	PHIL ELECT - Philosophy Elective or T/RS ELECT - T/RS Elective		3
GE ELECT	FREE ELECT - Free Elective	0	3
GE NSCI	NSCI ELECT - Natural Science Elective	3	
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MAJOR	ECO 460 - Monetary & Financial Economics	3		
MAJOR	ECO 490 - Economics Seminar – ECO 471 - Advanced Macroeconomics	3	3	
COGNATE	COGNATE ELECT - Cognate Elective ³	3	3	
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT - Humanities Elective		3	
GE ELECT	FREE ELECT - Free Electives	6	6	
		15	15	
		Total: 125-127 Credits		

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¹Two math options are available to Business majors:

Option I* (6 credits) MATH 107 - (Q) Quantitative Methods II and MATH 108 - Quantitative Methods III

Option II* (8 credits) MATH 114 - (Q) Calculus I and MATH 221 - (Q) Calculus II

Both options cover the topics of calculus. Option I takes an applied approach; Option II a theoretical approach.

* Students are tested for math placement during summer orientation. On the basis of these tests and their high school background it will be recommended that some students take Option II, especially if they expect to pursue graduate studies. The majority of students will be placed in Option I, and may also be required to take MATH 106: Quantitative Methods I as a prerequisite to taking MATH 107.

² If EDUC 113 is required in the first semester, it is taken in place of a humanities elective and is counted as a GE free elective. One GE free elective in the fourth year must then be taken as a humanities elective.

³ Economics majors may apply up to 6 cognate credits toward a Math minor. Students taking the sequence open to Math majors are strongly urged to complete the calculus sequence by taking MATH 222, particularly if they plan on pursuing graduate studies. Economics majors registered in the Kania School of Management will apply 9 of their elective cognate credits to one of the following areas (exceptions require the permission of the KSOM Dean): Accounting, Finance, International Business, Management, Marketing, Operations Management. The remaining cognate credits may be applied to the social sciences or from the other business areas (but note that no more than 30 credits altogether can be taken in business subjects, exclusive of Economics courses). Care must be taken to observe prerequisites.

⁴ If a third math course is required, it replaces this GE elective.

⁵ The selection of a First Year Seminar is likely to fulfill requirements both for the First Year Seminar and a General Education Requirement. Thus, the First Year Seminar will not add to the total credits for the semester. Talk with your advisor if you have any questions.

Curriculum grid effective for the 2022-23 academic year in accordance with the undergraduate course catalog.