

University of New Mexico

Economics Requirements & Checklist

A major in Economics consists of a minimum of 39 *total* credit hours, 33 required hours from Economics, plus 3 additional hours from Introduction to Statistics (STAT 145), and 3 hours from either Economics Tools (ECON 307) or Calculus I (MATH 162 or 180). All coursework must receive a grade of “C” or better. Eighteen credits **MUST** be taken at UNM to satisfy the residency requirement. See the checklist below for specific course requirements.

The Major and Minor requirements are but a small percentage of the overall degree requirements you must satisfy. It is your responsibility to satisfy all the University requirements. It is highly recommended that you meet with your advisor 2-3 times a year (once per semester) to ensure you are on track to complete all requirements (department, college, and university) and for the purpose of applying for graduation.

Checklist for Majors

Required Core Courses (15 credits)	Elective Courses (18 credits)												
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 105 Introductory Macroeconomics <div style="padding-left: 40px;">Grade _____</div>	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 ECON Electives (18 credits): At least 1 must be at the 400 level and <i>only one</i> elective at the 200-level will be accepted. <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 70%; text-align: left;">Course Number/Title</th> <th style="width: 30%; text-align: left;">Grade</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr> <tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr> <tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr> <tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr> <tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Course Number/Title	Grade	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 303 Intermediate Macroeconomics <div style="padding-left: 40px;">Grade _____</div>													
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 309 Statistics and Econometrics <div style="padding-left: 40px;">Grade _____</div>													
<p style="text-align: center;">Co/Pre-requisite for ECON 300 and 303</p> <input type="checkbox"/> ECON 307 Economics Tools <div style="padding-left: 40px;">OR Grade _____</div>													
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 162 or 180 Calculus <div style="padding-left: 40px;">Grade _____</div>													
<p style="text-align: center;">Pre-requisite for ECON 309</p> <input type="checkbox"/> STAT 145 Introduction to Statistics <div style="padding-left: 40px;">Grade _____</div>													

Checklist for Minors

To satisfy the requirements for a minor in Economics, students must complete a minimum of 18 credit hours in Economics with a grade of “C” or better. See the checklist below for specific course requirements.

Required Core Courses (9 Credits)	Electives Courses(9 Credits)								
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 105 Introductory Macroeconomics <div style="text-align: center;">Grade _____</div>	Economics Electives (9 credits). Only one course at the 200-level will count toward the minor. <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; width: 80%;">Course Number/Title</th> <th style="text-align: right; width: 20%;">Grade</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Course Number/Title	Grade	_____		_____		_____	
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<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 106 Introductory Microeconomics <div style="text-align: center;">Grade _____</div>									
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 300 Intermediate Microeconomics OR ECON 303 Intermediate Macroeconomics <div style="text-align: center;">Grade _____</div>									
Co/Pre-requisite for ECON 300 and 303									
<input type="checkbox"/> ECON 307 Economics Tools <div style="text-align: center;">OR Grade _____</div>									
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 162 or 180 Calculus <div style="text-align: center;">Grade _____</div>									

Honors in Economics

The departmental honors program is open to outstanding economics majors, typically in their junior year. Interested students should begin by consulting with a faculty member willing to supervise the research and oversee the writing of the honors thesis. Students will enroll in the honors sequence of courses, ECON 497, Reading for Honors and ECON 499, Senior Honors Thesis. For more information, please consult the department’s Academic Advisor.