

ECON 5300: Economic Concepts and Processes

Elements of production costs, demand and market structures as well as income determination and monetary and fiscal policy. Will satisfy prerequisites calling for six hours of Principles of Economics. An introduction to economics for those without credit for Principles of Economics or who need a stronger background in Principles.

ECON 5310: International Economics

Review of trade statements, systems for regulating balance of payments and currency exchange rate mechanisms. The nature and implication of foreign investment, trade barriers, and productivity are also considered. Prerequisite: Six hours of principles of economics.

ECON 5320: Advanced Economic Analysis

Application of economic decision models to problems encountered by business firms. Prerequisite: Six hours of principles of economics.

ECON 5330: Central Banking and Monetary Policy

Considers the nature of and the role played by central banks around the world. History and development of the Federal Reserve and its effectiveness are reviewed. Case studies in crisis management by central banks are examined. Prerequisite: Six hours of principles of economics.

ECON 5340: Economics of Public Policy

An analysis of current economic policy and its influence on output, employment, prices, and economic growth. Prerequisite: Six hours of principles of economics.

ECON 5660: Fundamentals of the Free Enterprise System

A study of the American free enterprise system. Includes an analysis of the role of free markets in the determination of prices and the allocation of resources, the profit motive, competition, and the interdependence of business, labor and government in the American economy. May not be taken for credit by candidates for the MBA degree or the master's degree in interdisciplinary studies. (Summer only)

ECON 5199 -5699: Independent Study

Independent study in specific areas of economics not covered by organized graduate courses. A maximum of six credit hours of independent study courses may be applied to a graduate degree. Prerequisite: Consent of the economics advisor.