

Economics (ECN)

The Economics program is part of the Division of Business and Economics. Courses in this area are an intrinsic part of the program in business. A background in economics also is required for those students seeking to teach social studies in the secondary school environment.

Economics Course Descriptions

ECN 201 Principles of Economics I.....(3)

Overview of economics, concepts, and institutions; emphasis on the accounting, analytical, and policy aspects of national income and product, as well as public finance, money and banking, and international trade.

ECN 202 Principles of Economics II.....(3)

Theories of production, determination of prices, and distribution of income in regulated and unregulated industries. Attention is given to problems of industrial relations, monopolies, and to comparative economic systems. *Prerequisite: ECN 201.*

ECN 301 Intermediate Macroeconomics(3)

A comprehensive study of the tools and principles of aggregate economic analysis, national income accounting, income determination, and market equilibrium conditions. *Prerequisite: ECN 201.*

ECN 302 Intermediate Microeconomics.....(3)

A comprehensive study of theories of demand, prices, and distribution under various market structures. *Prerequisite: ECN 202.*

ECN 322 Labor Relations(3)

A survey of the history and present status of relations between wage earners and employers, including collective bargaining, general welfare, and labor legislation. *Prerequisite: ECN 201.*

ECN 331 Money and Banking(3)

Money systems and standards; factors determining money supply, with emphasis on the role of commercial and central banks; relationships between money, prices, production, and employment. *Prerequisite: ECN 201.*

ECN 499 Directed Individual Study in Economics..... (1-3)

A student of Junior or Senior status may pursue special studies in the field of economics. *Prerequisites: Permission of Instructor, Division Chair, and Dean of the College.*