

# ACADEMIC ROADMAP

BA Economics and Finance

Fall 2023

## Freshman Year (30 credits)

### FIRST SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
College Writing I	CWP 101	
Principles of Macroeconomics	ECO 201	
Functions of Modeling	MAT 114	
Intro. to Philosophy	PHI 101 or any <b>HUMANITIES</b>	
Art History I	AAD 251 or any <b>The Arts</b>	

### SECOND SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Argumentation and Research	CWP 102	CWP 101
Principles of Microeconomics	ECO 202	
Beginning French I	FRE 101 or any <b>WORLD LANGUAGES</b>	
Foundations of Western Civ.	HIS 115 or any <b>WORLD HISTORY AND GLOBAL AWARENESS</b>	
Economic History for the US	ECO 103 or any <b>U.S. HISTORY AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT</b>	

### Notes and recommendations:

Attend at least one faculty office hour; visit Academic Commons (Math & Writing Centers, tutoring); view your degree audit sheet in Degree Works

## Sophomore Year (60 credits)

### THIRD SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Statistics for Economics	ECO 305	
Intermediate Macroeconomics	ECO 308	ECO 201, MAT114
Money and Banking	ECO 304	ECO 201
Intro.to Astronomy	GES 131 or any <b>NATURAL SCIENCES AND SCIENTIFIC REASONING</b>	
Beginning French II	FRE 102 or any <b>WORLD LANGUAGES</b>	FRE 101

FOURTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Intermediate Microeconomics	ECO 307	ECO 202, MAT 114
Intro. to African Studies	AAS 100 or any <b>DIVERSITY: EQUITY, INCLUSION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE</b>	
World Civilization I	HIS 230 or any <b>WORLD HISTORY AND GLOBAL AWARENESS</b>	
Labor Economics	ECO 300	ECO 202
The Solar System	GES 132 or any <b>NATURAL SCIENCES AND SCIENTIFIC REASONING</b>	

**Notes and recommendations:**

Form a study group; consider enrolling in a minor or certificate program.

**Junior Year (90 credits)**

FIFTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
History of Economic Thought	ECO 405	ECO 210, 202 or Instr. Perm
Economics of Labor Relations	ECO 301	
Foundations of Art Education	AED 300 or any <b>CORE COMPETENCY - CRITICAL THINKING AND REASONING</b>	
Corporation Finance	FIN 314	ECO 201 or 202; BUS 312
Intro.to Urban & Reginal Plng.	PLN 215 or any <b>DIVERSITY: EQUITY, INCLUSION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE</b>	

SIXTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
International Finance	FIN 400	ECO 201, 202, FIN 314
International Trade	ECO 401	ECO 201, 202, 307(REC)
Comparative Economics System	ECO 403	ECO 201, 202
Economics Development	ECO 404	
Introduction of Coding	CIS 121 or any <b>MATHEMATICS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING</b>	

**Notes and recommendations:**

Visit the Career and Professional Education Center; talk to your faculty advisor about graduate school options.

**Senior Year (120 credits)**

## SEVENTH SEMESTER

<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Catalog Number</b>	<b>Prerequisite(s)</b>
Senior Seminar	ECO 490	ECO 305, 307, 308, 424(REC)
Personal Finance	FIN 110	
Estate Planning	FIN 345	
Urban Economics	ECO 312	ECO 202
Intro.Gov. and Politics	PSC 101 or any <b>SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>	

## EIGHTH SEMESTER

<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Catalog Number</b>	<b>Prerequisite(s)</b>
Tech. Anlys. of FIN. Markets	FIN 370	ECO 201 or 202 or 101
Eco. Anlys. of the Law	ECO 360	ECO 307
Public Finance	ECO 350	ECO 202
Urban Economics	ECO 312	ECO 202
History of Cinema I	ENG 205 or any <b>HUMANITIES</b>	

**Notes and recommendations:**

Apply for graduation; apply to graduate school, if applicable; visit the Career and Professional Education Center to have your resume reviewed