



ECONOMICS

Economics is a science that studies how a society uses its scarce resources to produce the goods and services that its members desire. The study of economics will provide you with an understanding of how individuals, firms and public agencies influence what is produced, how it is produced, and who gets to consume what is produced.

At UWindsor, you will learn how the actions of individuals, firms and public agencies ultimately determine the direction of the overall economy. You will acquire the tools necessary to answer such important economic questions as: how do we reduce Canada's unemployment rate; what are the effects of government deficits and spending cuts; and what are the effects of globalization on the Canadian economy?

You will also learn the skills to analyze economic problems and view them from the perspective of different groups in society based on their particular interests.



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OUR PROGRAMS

The Department of Economics offers both three- and four-year programs that differ in the degree of specialization. It is also possible to obtain a joint, four-year degree in Business and Economics or to combine Economics with such other fields as political science, geography, and mathematics and statistics. The department offers both Bachelor of Arts (BA) and Bachelor of Science (BSc) programs.

To see a sample first-year schedule, visit the online Guide to Registration website (www.uwindsor.ca/courseselection), click on the "Science Programs" link on the left, and select the specific program(s) in which you are interested.

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Upper-level students in Economics are often offered positions as teaching and/or research assistants.

CAREER PATHS

- Government and public policy analysis
- Banking
- Finance
- Corporate or competitive strategy
- Economic research/consulting
- Stockbroking
- Forecasting

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

BSc Honours Economics:

ENG4U, MHF4U are required. MCV4U and MDM4U are strongly recommended. A minimum 70% average of all attempted science and math courses is also required.

BA Honours Economics:

ENG4U is required. MHF4U is required for Honours Economics. MCV4U and MDM4U are strongly recommended.

BA Economics (three-year):

ENG4U is required.

STUDENT SUPPORT

The Economics Department has an undergraduate resource centre staffed by graduate and teaching assistants. Tutorial assistance is available for most undergraduate courses.

FINANCIAL AID

For entrance and in-course award opportunities, please visit our Award Search at my.uwindsor.ca. Click on the Financial Matters heading and then Search for Awards in the sidebar.

In addition to entrance awards, the **Outstanding Scholars Program** attracts top high school students entering any first-year honours undergraduate program at the University of Windsor.

Approximately 100 high-achieving, first-year students will be offered status as an Outstanding Scholars Candidate in Year 1 of their studies. The goal of this program is to challenge and stimulate students by providing them with the unique opportunity of holding an undergraduate academic appointment in their second year of studies and beyond where students will work closely with faculty on academic research projects.

For more information, please visit: uwindsor.ca/outstandingscholars

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