minor in ECONOMICS University of California, Irvine

CURRICULUM

Requirements for the minor in economics are met by taking nine courses (36 units) as specified below:

- Econ 15A (Probability and Statistics in Economics I)¹
- Econ 15B (Probability and Statistics in Economics II)¹
- Econ 20A (Basic Economics I)²
- Econ 20B (Basic Economics II)²

Select one of the following sequences:

• Econ 100A-100B-100C (Intermediate Economics I, II, and III)

OR

- Econ 105A-105B-105C (Intermediate Quantitative Economics I, II, and III)
- Two upper-division Econ electives (excluding Econ 199)³

NOTE: Prerequisites for the economics core courses include MATH 2A-MATH 2B and MATH 4.

- 1 MGMT 7 may not be used to substitute for ECON 15A-ECON 15B. Furthermore, students will not received credit for MGMT 7 if taken after ECON 15A-ECON 15B. 2 Note that ECON 20A-ECON 20B is a requirement of both the undergraduate major in Business Administration and the Economics minor.
- 3 As noted in the Economics courses list (click on the "Courses" tab at the top of this page), some courses overlap with upper-division courses offered by The Paul Merage School of Business. Where there is overlap, students may use the course to count toward satisfying the upper-division requirements of the business administration major or the economics minor, but not both.

THE PROGRAM

Economics is concerned with the way individuals or societies allocate scarce resources and distribute goods and services. Any situation requiring choice among competing alternatives can be viewed as an economic problem. Economics courses enable students to study the way individuals make these choices (microeconomics), the way governments make these choices (public choice), and the aggregate consequences of these choices (macroeconomics).

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