



**Bachelor of Arts (BA)**  
**Economics**  
*Minor Required*

**2024-2026**

Register for Business Foundation Courses in their sequence found <b>BOLDED</b> below with an *.							
H	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes	
FIRST YEAR	FALL	3	Choose 1	Communication	C	010	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	<b>Choose 1</b>	Mathematics	C	020	College Ready TSI status in Mathematics. <b>Recommend: MATH 1324. This course is the prerequisite for ACCT 2301, QUMT 2341 and QUMT 2398.</b>
		3	<b>ECON 2301*</b>	Principles of Macroeconomics	C	080	<b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. This is the required Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core) Option in this degree. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.</b>
		4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	Choose 1	Government/Political Science		070	See General Education Core for course options.
				UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001 Living and Working by Design		
<b>16 Semester Total Hours</b>							
SPRING	SPRING	3	Choose 1	Communication	C	010	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	Choose 1	Government/Political Science		070	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	<b>COMM 1311 or COMM 1315*</b>	Economics Foundation Option (Communication)	C		<b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.</b>
		3	<b>ACCT 2301 or SOCI 1323 or PSYC 2301 or ANTH 2351, or any advanced POLS 3000-4999</b>	Economics Foundation	C		ACCT 2301: a grade of "C" or better in MATH 1314, MATH 1414, MATH 1324, or MATH 1325. <b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take one of these options as soon as you can.</b>
		3	<b>ECON 2302*</b>	Principles of Microeconomics	C		ECON 2301 with a grade of 'C' or better. <b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.</b>
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>							
SECOND YEAR	FALL	3	Choose 1	American History		060	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	<b>POLS 2350*</b>	Intro to Political Economy	C		POLS 2305 or POLS 2385 or POLS 2301 or POLS 2313 <b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.</b>
		3	Choose 1	Creative Arts Option		050	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	<b>ACCT 2301 or SOCI 1323 or PSYC 2301 or ANTH 2351, or any advanced POLS 3000-4999</b>	Economics Foundation	C		ACCT 2301: a grade of "C" or better in MATH 1314, MATH 1414, MATH 1324, or MATH 1325. <b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take one of these options as soon as you can.</b>
		3	<b>QUMT 2341*</b> or MATH 1342	Economics Foundation Option (Statistics)	C		QUMT 2341: MATH 1314 or MATH 1414 or MATH 1324 or MATH 1325. MATH 1342: College Ready TSI status in Mathematics. <b>Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend QUMT 2341 as it is the prerequisite for ECON 3341. BUSI 2305 with a 'C' or better will transfer as QUMT 2341.</b>
		<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>					
SPRING	SPRING	3	Choose 1	American History		60	See General Education Core for course options.
		4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030	See General Education Core for course options.
		1	Choose 1	Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090	See General Education Core for course options.
		3	<b>QUMT 2398</b>	Decision Analytics		090	Minimum grade of "C" in MATH 1314 or MATH 1414 or MATH 1342 or MATH 1324. This is the required Integrative/Experimental Learning option in this degree. For issues with registration, email <a href="mailto:business.advising@utrgv.edu">business.advising@utrgv.edu</a>
		3	Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture		040	See General Education Core for course options.
<b>14 Semester Total Hours</b>							

Students must be admitted into RCVCoBE before registering into Advanced Business courses.

Apply here: <https://www.utrgv.edu/cobe/undergraduate/apply-for-admission/index.htm>

The 2024-2026 list of core courses can be found in the 2024-2026 Undergraduate Catalog: [www.utrgv.edu/catalog](http://www.utrgv.edu/catalog) > See 'Bachelors Degree Program Regulations'

**Symbols Key**

**Minimum Grade:** A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.  
**Bolded Course #:** Program Admission Requirement

**General Education Core (GEC) Sections:** 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences; 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; 090 - Humanities; 090 - Leadership; 090 - Science Labs; 090 - Interdisciplinary ; 090 - Technologies; 090 - Language Diversity & Writing.

For questions contact the RCVCoBE Coordinators at: [business.advising@utrgv.edu](mailto:business.advising@utrgv.edu)

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THIRD YEAR	FALL	3	ECON 3341	Econometrics	C	ECON 2301, ECON 2302, and (QUMT 2341 or MATH 1342).		
		3	ECON 3351	Macroeconomic Theory	C	ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.		
		3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective			Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.
		3	13XX-43XX	Minor Course			Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.
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<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>								
THIRD YEAR	SPRING	3	ECON 3352	Microeconomic Theory	C	ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.		
		3	ECON 3358	Labor Economics	C	ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.	Course only offered in SPRING semester.	
		3	ECON 3343 or ECON 3381	Advanced Economics Core Option	C	ECON 3343: ECON 2301 and ECON 2302. ECON 3381: ECON 2301, ECON 2302, and (QUMT 2341 or MATH 1342).		
		3	ECON 3342 or ECON 4340	Advanced Economics Core Option	C	ECON 3342: ECON 3341. ECON 4340: ECON 2301, ECON 2302, and (QUMT 2341 or MATH 1342).		
		3	13XX-43XX	Minor Course			Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>								
FOURTH YEAR	FALL	3	ECON 3353 or FINA 4300	Advanced Economics Core Option	C	ECON 3353: ECON 2301 and ECON 2302. FINA 4300: Consent of instructor.		
		3	ECON 3000-4999	Advanced Economics Elective	C	Prerequisites may apply.	Any non-duplicated Adv. ECON elective.	
		3	33XX-43XX	(Advanced) Minor Course	C	Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.	
		3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective			Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.
		3	13XX-43XX	Minor Course			Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.
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FOURTH YEAR	SPRING	3	ECON 3000-4999	Advanced Economics Elective	C	Prerequisites may apply.	Any non-duplicated Adv. ECON elective.	
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		3	33XX-43XX	Free Elective (Advanced)	C	Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.	
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		3	33XX-43XX	Free Elective (Advanced)	C	Prerequisites may apply.	Student may use a course taken to fulfil core curriculum requirement to also meet either a major, or minor requirement. A course taken for the Major cannot be used to fulfill a Minor requirement.	
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>								
<b>120 TOTAL HOURS</b>								

(42) Advanced minimum credit hours

Revised: Thursday, August 29th, 2024