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# Stillman School of Business

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Economics

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## Why Should I Major in Economics at Seton Hall?

The Department of Economics at Seton Hall will intellectually challenge you and convey to you a “universe of economic discourse” that is unbiased and rigorous. You will enhance your quantitative and analytical skills while studying a wide range of economic schools of thought, including Keynesian, post-Keynesian and Neo-Classical. In addition to classroom instruction, the department also offers off-campus learning opportunities at select economic institutions in New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C.

## The Curriculum:

The curriculum is designed to help you better understand the economic relationship between businesses, households and government. The economics major consists of 33-36 required credits in economics, mathematics and statistics, including 15 credits in designated economics electives. Through these electives, you can explore interests in areas such as monetary, international, labor and quantitative economics.

## What Does It Take to Graduate?

In addition to the core business requirements, students must complete the required economics courses. Students must also complete the liberal arts and sciences core requirements along with liberal arts and general electives. Students are required to have at least a 2.5 GPA in their combined economics courses. Top students are invited to apply for membership in Seton Hall's Epsilon chapter of Omicron Delta Epsilon, the world's largest international honors society in economics.

## Career Opportunities:

Career advisement is an integral function of the Department of Economics. Economics majors secure employment with financial, industrial and governmental institutions. Recent graduates have obtained positions at securities firms, banks, insurance companies, the Federal Reserve System and major industrial companies. Several graduates also have launched successful consulting careers and others have gone on to teach at the college level.

A bachelor's degree in economics is an excellent foundation for continued graduate studies in economics, a Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) or Doctor of Laws (J.D.).

## How Do I Apply for Admission?

Send your completed application to Seton Hall University and include the \$55 non-refundable application fee (\$45 if applying online). Freshman applicants must submit official high school transcripts and any college or university transcripts where credit was attempted, plus the results of the SAT I or ACT assessments. Transfer students must submit transcripts from each college or university where credit was attempted. Those with fewer than 24 earned credits must complete the freshman requirements. Applications are available at [admissions.shu.edu](http://admissions.shu.edu).

## Can I Get Financial Aid?

Almost 90 percent of the students who entered Seton Hall last year received some form of financial aid, and 75 percent of these students received money directly from the University. The four types of financial aid include scholarships, grants and discounts, loans, and part-time jobs on campus. For further information, visit [admissions.shu.edu/FinancialAid.htm](http://admissions.shu.edu/FinancialAid.htm) or call (973) 761-9332.

## Economics Requirements\*:

### Arts and Sciences Requirements — 42 credits

- A. Oral Communication (3 credits)
- B. Communication Electives (3 credits)
- C. English (9 credits)
- D. Science (3 credits)
- E. Mathematics (3 credits)
- F. Philosophy (3 credits)
- G. Psychology (3 credits)
- H. Religious Studies (6 credits)
- I. World Culture Electives (9 credits)

### Business Requirements — 45 credits

- A. Accounting (6 credits)
- B. Economics (9 credits)
- C. Management (6 credits)
- D. Marketing (3 credits)
- E. Finance (3 credits)
- F. Quantitative Analysis (6 credits)
- G. Law (3 credits)
- H. Management Information Systems (3 credits)
- I. Integrative Courses (6 credits)

Liberal Arts Elective Requirements — 13 credits

General Elective Requirements — 4 to 13 credits

\* Please see Undergraduate Catalogue

### Economics Major — 33-36 credits

*The following courses are required:*

- ECON 1402 Principles of Economics I (3 credits)
- ECON 1403 Principles of Economics II (3 credits)
- ECON 2408 Money and Banking (3 credits)
- ECON 2420 Intermediate Micro Analysis (3 credits)
- ECON 2421 Intermediate Macro Analysis (3 credits)
- ECON 3470 History of Economic Thought (3 credits)

and

- ECON Designated Electives (12-15 credits)

### Economics Minor — 18 credits

*Designed to complement the studies of students in the Stillman School and the College of Arts and Sciences.*

- ECON 1402 Principles of Economics I (3 credits)
- ECON 1403 Principles of Economics II (3 credits)
- ECON 2408 Money and Banking (3 credits)

and

- ECON 2420 Intermediate Micro Analysis (3 credits)

or

- ECON 2421 Intermediate Macro Analysis (3 credits)

and

- ECON Designated Electives (6 credits)

### Degree Requirements: 128-130 total credit hours

Economics majors can choose to use general elective credits toward a double major, minor or certificate.

For more information, call an admissions counselor at 1-800-THE-HALL, send an e-mail to [thehall@shu.edu](mailto:thehall@shu.edu) or visit [admissions.shu.edu](http://admissions.shu.edu).

To talk to a faculty adviser, contact John Dall, Ph.D., chair of the Department of Economics, at [dalljohn@shu.edu](mailto:dalljohn@shu.edu) or (973) 761-9356.