

Economics Minor - 22

IMPORTANT NOTE to SOM Students and Mathematics Majors: This is a Harpur College minor that is subject to Harpur rules. Harpur requires that no more than THREE courses be “double counted” towards both a student’s major and any Harpur minor. This means that students in SOM or Mathematics will need to substitute additional economics electives (see # 2 and 3 below) to fulfill the economics minor. For SOM and Actuarial majors the calculus requirement is waived and an additional economics elective numbered 300 or above is required.

1. To declare the minor, students must have:
 - **Completed** 60 credits. The University does not count courses in progress toward the 60 credit total.
 - Grades of C or better in both ECON 160 and 162
 - Cumulative GPA of 3.0
2. The minor requires a total of seven courses. To meet Harpur requirements, at least **four** of the courses in the minor must be **in addition** to those counted toward the student’s major.
3. Students who have more than three of the required minor courses already counting toward their major will need to substitute additional economics electives and obtain DARS/DW exceptions. **NOTE:** Some economics electives may be restricted and not open to minors. It may be difficult to find seats in electives except during summer and winter session.
4. Students seeking to count courses for both their major and the economics minor (up to three courses) will find that the DARS will **NOT** automatically count any courses for the minor if the courses are already being used for the major. To correct this, students must complete the form found at:
<https://spreadsheets.google.com/viewform?formkey=dDVQMnBsMk5NU3U2MVZBV1pTQ25BdkE6MA>
5. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or better. Courses taken P/F do not count. No course for the minor may be taken more than twice, including any combination of statistics and/or calculus courses.
6. At least four of the courses must be taken at Binghamton.
7. Minors from schools other than Harpur *may* be blocked by the BU Brain from registering on-line for ECON 360 and 362. Such students will need to come to the Economics Department to be registered.

ECONOMICS MINOR REQUIREMENTS

Students may count no more than three courses toward BOTH their major and the minor

_____ ECON 160, Principles of Microeconomics

_____ ECON 162, Principles of Macroeconomics

_____ MATH 220/MATH 221/MATH 224 **and** 225 – Calculus
(SOM and Actuarial majors will substitute an ECON elective 300-489 here)

_____ ECON 360/Microeconomic Theory

NOTE: *Calculus is a prerequisite for ECON 360*

_____ ECON 366/MATH 147/MATH 148/MATH 326/MATH 447/
PSYC 243/CQS 112 – Statistics

_____ ECON _____ Elective numbered 100-489

_____ ECON 4_____ Elective numbered 400-489