

Business and Economics PhD Program Timeline



1st YR	FALL		WINTER	
	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
Econ	ECON 600: Math for Economists	2.0	ECON 672: Econometric Analysis II	3.0
	ECON 671: Econometric Analysis I	3.0	ECON 603-604: Micro III and IV	3.0
	ECON 601-602: Micro I and II	3.0	ECON 607: Macro II	3.0
	ECON 605: Macro I	3.0		
BUS	None		BE889: Topics Course (Winter B)	1.5
	Additional Requirements: • None		Additional Requirements: • Work with faculty as RA	
	TOTAL CREDITS	11.0	TOTAL CREDITS	10.5
	SPRING/SUMMER			
	Additional Requirements: • Micro and Macro prelim exams			

2 nd YR	FALL		WINTER	
	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
Econ	Advanced Methods Requirement (one of ECON 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 609/610, 613, 617, 619/620, 751, 752, 753)	3.0	PhD Elective Class (Econ Dept or RSB)	3.0
	Field in Economics (IO, Intl., Devel., etc.)	3.0	Field in Economics	3.0
BUS	BE886: IB-BE Seminar	1.5	BE889: Topics Course (Winter B)	1.5
	BE887: Topics Course (Fall A)	1.5	Optional: BA875 or 899	3.0
	BE888: Topics Course (Fall B)	1.5		
	Additional Requirements: • Work with faculty as RA • MBA course if needed		Additional Requirements: • Work with faculty as RA • BA830: Teaching Practicum	
	TOTAL CREDITS	10.5	TOTAL CREDITS	10.5
	SPRING/SUMMER			
	Additional Requirements: • Field Exam in Econ Dept • Start research on third year paper			

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3 rd YR		FALL	WINTER	
	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
BUS	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	8.0	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	8.0
	BE886: IB-BE Seminar	1.5		
	BE887: Topics Course (Fall A)	1.5		
	BE888: Topics Course (Fall B)	1.5		
		Additional Requirements:	Additional Requirements:	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with two readers on third year paper Work with faculty as RA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching Work with two readers on third year paper Work with faculty as RA 	
		TOTAL CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	8.0
		SPRING/SUMMER		
		Additional Requirements:		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Identify dissertation chair and initiate dissertation research 		

4 th YR		FALL	WINTER	
	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
BUS	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	8.0	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	8.0
		Additional Requirements:	Additional Requirements:	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Present paper in a brownbag Identify dissertation committee members by November 30th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Defend dissertation proposal winter term alternative: summer term 	
		TOTAL CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	8.0
		SPRING/SUMMER		
		Additional Requirements:		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Present paper in at least one conference Continue dissertation research 		

5 th YR		FALL	WINTER	
	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
BUS	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	6.0	BE995: Dissertation Candidate*	6.0
		Additional Requirements:	Additional Requirements:	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Send out letter/packages to market 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with faculty as RA Defend dissertation end of winter term alternative: summer term 	
		TOTAL CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS	6.0

*assuming prelims/field are passed and there are no incompletes or missing grades.