



## TRANSFER CHECKLIST

# Economics at UNC



**Are you a junior transfer student interested in majoring in Economics while at UNC-Chapel Hill? Here are a few helpful tips:**

**Major Requirements** // *If you plan to transfer with junior status and graduate two years after transferring to UNC, these are courses that we recommend be completed prior to transfer.*

- ECON 101 (Two courses are needed to fulfill this requirement: one Microeconomics & one Macroeconomics)
- MATH 110 (Algebra-Placement credit)
- MATH 152 (Calculus for Business & Social Sciences) or MATH 231 (Calculus of Functions of One Variable I) or STOR 113 (Decision Models for Economics)



**Major Courses** // *These are courses that need to be completed at UNC-Chapel Hill*

- ECON 400 (Elementary Statistics)
- ECON 410 (Intermediate Theory: Price and Distribution)
- ECON 420 (Intermediate Theory: Money, Income, and Employment)
- Three (3) ECON courses on the 400-level
- One (1) ECON course on the 500-level

**Note:** Course titles can be viewed in the online Undergraduate Bulletin.



### Can I double major?

Economics majors often have time to double major or minor. Common double majors include: Business, Political Science, Management and Society, Global Studies, and Public Policy. Math (B.A.) and Mathematical Decision Sciences are also useful double majors depending on interests. Common minors include: Entrepreneurship, Public Policy, History, and Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE).



### What are the Entrepreneurship and Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE) minors?

The Duke-UNC PPE Program offers a minor at UNC & a certificate at Duke. Students pursuing either the minor or the certificate can take courses at the other school to meet the relevant requirements. The Gateway and Capstone courses are co-convened, meeting at both UNC and Duke's campuses.

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The Entrepreneurship minor is designed for students wishing to remain in another discipline but having an interest in the process of entrepreneurship. There are five workshops in the minor: commercial, social, scientific, artistic, and sports. Entrepreneurship is the mechanism by which new products, services, and organizational processes are identified, refined, and ultimately realized as a sustainable part of the society. There is a common process for the realization of both new commercial and social ventures. The minor will provide the student with the background to undertake entrepreneurial activity in either the business or social realm. An internship opportunity is a key component of the minor.



### More information about the Economics Program

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Economics is commonly defined as the study of how society allocates scarce resources to satisfy unlimited wants. In other words, economics focuses upon the fact that we wish to maximize our satisfaction through the consumption of goods and services (including leisure time); however, the resources available for production are limited. Hence, decisions must be made regarding what to produce, how to produce it most efficiently, and how to distribute the output among the various members of the society. Economics analyzes the market framework for making such choices. [Undergraduate Bulletin, 2012-2013, pp. 162]



### Important Links

Undergraduate Bulletin: <http://www.unc.edu/ugradbulletin/depts/econ.html>

Resources for Student Success: [studentsuccess.unc.edu](http://studentsuccess.unc.edu)

Transfer Resources: [transfers.unc.edu](http://transfers.unc.edu)

Summer School at UNC: [summer.unc.edu](http://summer.unc.edu)

What Can I Do with This Major? [careers.unc.edu/students/explore-majors-and-careers](http://careers.unc.edu/students/explore-majors-and-careers)

**Economics Department: [unc.edu/depts/econ](http://unc.edu/depts/econ)**

