Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences, Economics

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Graduation Requirements (see the 2022-2023 catalog for any additional graduation requirements):

□ 45 Upper Division Credits Minimum □ 3 Upper Division Writing Intensive Courses □ 2.0 UHWO GPA □ 120 Total Credits Minimum □ Focus Requirements (OC, HAP, ETH) □ 2.0 CONCENTRATION GPA

☐ 30 UHWO Credits

General Education Requirements: 31 credits

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	Foundations Written Communications (FW) ENG 100 Composition I
3	Foundations Symbolic Reasoning (FS) OR Foundations of Quantitative Reasoning (FQ) MATH 103 College Algebra, MATH 115 Statistics or higher *Will Satisfy Lower Division Math Requirement
6	Foundations Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): 6 credits from two <u>different</u> groups (A, B, C): *Group A: Primarily before 1500 CE (e.g., HIST 151 or ANTH 151) *Group B: Primarily after 1500 CE (e.g., HIST 152 or ANTH 152) *Group C: Pre-history to present
6	Diversification Arts, Humanities & Literature (DA, DH, DL): 6 credits from two different areas
3	Diversification Social Sciences (DS): 6 credits from two different areas (ECON 130)
3	Diversification Social Sciences (DS): Different area from above.
3	Diversification Natural Sciences (DB, DP, DY): 3 credits from the biological sciences (DB):
3	3 credits from the physical sciences (DP):
1	1 credit of laboratory (DY):

Writing Skills Requirement: 3 credits

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	ENG 200 Composition II (or equivalent) C- or higher

Lower Division Math Requirement: 0-3 credits

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
0 or 3	MATH 103 College Algebra, MATH 115 Statistics or higher (C- or higher) *Will satisfy FS/FQ requirement

Basic and Skills Requirements: 12-15 credits (6 UD)

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
0 or 3	ECON 130 Principles of Microeconomics (may also satisfy one General Ed DS above)
3	ECON 131 Principles of Macroeconomics* Recommend completing ECON 130 prior to 131
3	SSCI 210 Statistical Analysis I
3	SSCI 300 Philosophy of the Social Sciences
3	SSCI 301 Methods & Techniques in Social Science Research OR SSCI 410 Statistical Analysis II (recommended)

Concentration Requirements: 18 credits (18 UD)

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	ECON 300 Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory
3	ECON 301 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory

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Select ONE course from the following list:

ECON 325 Philosophy of Economics

ECON 342 History of Economic Thought

ECON 495 Urban Economics

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	

Select THREE courses from the following list:

ECON 430 Money and Capital Markets
ECON 432 Forecasting & Risk Management
ECON 433 Anthropology of Social Enterprise
ECON 440 Money and Banking
ECON 461 International Trade and Finance
ECON 491 Entrepreneurial Service Learning
ECON 495 Urban Economics
ECON 498 Selected Topics in Economics
ECON 499 Directed Reading & Research
Any Upper Division (300-400 level) ECON course not
used for another requirement
*Student may only recieve credit for one of the following

ECON 396 Contemporary Economic Issues

*Student may only recieve credit for one of the followin courses BUSA 311 or ECON 360

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
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Complementary Requirements: 9 credits (9 UD)

Nine upper-division credits from ONE additional social sciences area: ANTH, ECED, POLS, PSY, SCFS or SOC

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
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Capstone Requirement: 3 (UD) credits

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	WI SSCI 486E Senior Project OR WI SSCI 490E Social Sciences Practicum

Elective Requirements: 38-44 credits*

9-18* Upper Division 29-35* Upper or Lower Division *See you College Success Advisor to confirm how many electives are needed.

Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
3	Upper Division (300-400 level)
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Credits	Course Alpha / Number / Title
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