A Course of Study for
ECONOMICS - Transfer

Economists study how society can best use scarce resources such as land, raw materials, capital, and labor. They analyze the relationships between the supply of goods and services and the demand for them, as well as how these goods and services are produced, distributed, and consumed. Some economists work on public issues such as the control of inflation, business cycles, unemployment, wage, tax, and tariff policies. Economics is widely recognized as a solid background for a career in business, government, law, teaching and research.

For additional career possibilities, visit the Career Services Center on the main campus to utilize computerized career information systems and other valuable career resources.

TRANSFER

Students planning to transfer to a four-year college should complete the lower-division major requirements and the general education pattern for the appropriate transfer institution. Santa Monica College has articulation agreements for this major with the following UC, CSU, and private institutions. Exact major requirements for these and other UC and CSU campuses can be found online www.assist.org. Articulation agreements with private and out-of-state institutions can be found online at www.smc.edu/articulation.

ASSIST

ASSIST.org is a student-transfer information system that shows how course credits earned at Santa Monica College can be applied when transferred to a University of California (UC) or California State University (CSU). ASSIST.org is the official repository of articulation for California’s public colleges and universities and provides the most accurate and up-to-date information about major requirements and general education.

Along with meeting minimum admission requirements, one of the most important aspects of a successful transfer is the completion of significant coursework in the major prior to transfer, for two very specific reasons.

- One, completion of major coursework makes you more attractive for admission, especially for the more competitive universities.
- Two, completion of major coursework at SMC prior to transfer will allow you to transfer and graduate from the university in a timelier manner.

Assist.org has listed the exact courses that you should complete at SMC to satisfy lower-division major requirements prior to transfer to public California universities, but not all majors at all universities are included at this site.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON REVERSE. SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

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*Please access the above website for transfer requirements to the UC and/or CSU campuses.
### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA
- Economics B.A.
- Economics and Accounting B.A.
- Economics/Mathematics B.A.

### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ
- Business Management Economics B.A.
- Economics B.A.
- Economics, Global B.A.
- Economics/Mathematics Combined B.A.
- Environmental Studies/Economics Combined B.A.

General education requirements for the University of California campuses are listed on a separate sheet in the Transfer/Counseling Center, as well as online (go to www.smc.edu/articulation).

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY
- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, BAKERSFIELD
  - Economics B.A.
  - Economics B.S.

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHANNEL ISLANDS
  - Economics B.A.
    - Economics B.A. - Managerial Economics Option
    - Economics B.A. - International Economics Option

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO
  - Economics B.A.

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST BAY
  - Economics B.A.
    - Economics B.A. - Accounting Option
    - Economics B.A. - Social Science Economics Option
    - Economics B.A. - Statistical Economics Option

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FULLERTON
  - Business Administration and Economics B.A.
  - Economics B.A.

- HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY
  - Economics

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH
  - Business Economics B.A.
  - Economics B.A.
    - Economics B.A. - Mathematical Economics and Economic Theory Option

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES
  - Economics B.A.
    - Option 1: Applied Economics
    - Option 2: Social and Behavioral Sciences

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE
  - Economics B.A.

- CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA
  - Economics B.S.

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SACRAMENTO
  - Economics

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO
  - Economics B.A.
    - Economics B.A. - Applied Economics
    - Economics B.A. - Mathematical Economics
    - Economics B.A. - Political Economy

- SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY
  - Economics
    - Economics - International Economics Emphasis
    - Economics - Public Policy Emphasis
    - Economics - Quantitative Analysis Specialization

- SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY
  - Economics B.A.
**SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY**
Economics B.A.
Economics B.S.

**CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, SAN LUIS OBISPO**
Economics B.S.
  Economics B.S. - Quantitative Economics Concentration
  Economics B.S. - Real Estate Economics Concentration

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN MARCOS**
Economics

**SONOMA STATE UNIVERSITY**
Economics

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General education requirements for the California State University campuses are listed on a separate sheet in the Transfer/Counseling Center, as well as online (go to [www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation)).

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**AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF PARIS, FRANCE**
International Economics: Economics 1, 2, 5 (same as Global Studies 5 and Political Science 5); Math 54 and 7 or 28
AUP accepts IGETC. See [www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation) for general education requirements and admission criteria.

**JOHN CABOT UNIVERSITY, ROME, ITALY**
Economics and Finance (validated by the University of Wales in Business Administration): Accounting 1, 2; CIS 1; Economics 1, 2; Math 2, 54
This university is U.S. regionally accredited. See [www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation) for general education admission requirements.

**LOYOLA MARYMOUNT UNIVERSITY**
B.A. Economics
  B.A. Economics - International Emphasis
B.S. Economics

Core requirements for this major can be found online on the LMU website: [http://www.lmu.edu/resources/articulation/list/santa_monica/Santa_Monica_College_2009-10_Lower_Division_Major_Requirements/Econ.htm](http://www.lmu.edu/resources/articulation/list/santa_monica/Santa_Monica_College_2009-10_Lower_Division_Major_Requirements/Econ.htm)

**MILLS COLLEGE**
B.A. Political, Legal and Economic Analysis

Minimum: Complete one semester of economics from the following: Economics 1 or 2; optimal, also complete two of the following: CS 3; English 31; Math 2; Political Science 1; Philosophy 7, 9; Psychology 1; Sociology 1

“Minimum” is the minimum coursework needed in order to complete a B.A. in the associated major in two years, requiring multiple “heavy” semesters with three or four science courses in one semester. Students on a four-year B.A. path typically take two science or math courses each semester. “Minimum” coursework will not enable a student to complete a B.S. two years. Students who do not meet the “minimum” pre-requisites may be able to complete the program, given extra time or some summer coursework, and should contact the departmental representatives below.

“Optimal” is the additional coursework to put a transfer student on the same schedule as a student who entered Mills College as a freshwoman, for the B.A. program. Students who enter at this level will also be able to complete the B.S. by taking one or more semesters with 4 science courses and/or some summer coursework.

“Recommended” courses are specifically for students interested in the B.S. degree. In the B.S. program, students typically take 3 science and/or math courses after the freshman year. With the recommended coursework completed, transfer students should not need to take more than 3 science/math courses in one semester to complete the B.S. degree.

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THE SCHOOLS LISTED ABOVE ARE WHERE MOST SMC STUDENTS TRANSFER TO, BUT THERE ARE MANY OTHER TRANSFER DESTINATION OPPORTUNITIES!

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