



# The Drexel LeBow MS in Economics

Designed for students interested in advanced economic study

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Offered by the School of Economics, the program is designed for students interested in becoming practitioners in industry, the financial sector, government, regulatory agencies or international organizations. This program is also ideal for students interested in pursuing a PhD in Economics, who seek to improve their study of math and economics to prepare them for doctoral studies.

## Programmed for Success

Beginning in the fall quarter, the 45-credit degree is designed to be completed in about 18 months. Required classes provide a solid foundation in micro- and macroeconomic theory, statistics and econometrics.

## Faculty

The Drexel LeBow economics faculty is ranked among the Top 100 of 1,400 economics faculties worldwide in the field of international trade. The faculty include leading scholars in trade, industrial organization, banking, fiscal and monetary policy and other areas.

## The Skills to Innovate

The Drexel MS in Economics:

- Focuses on industry and policy economics for those looking for careers in both industry and the public sector
- Emphasizes empirical skills desired by employers and applicants
- Allows for graduate-level internship with credit available to domestic and international students the summer after their first year
- Offers optional PhD preparation tracks emphasizing the theoretical and mathematical skills necessary to enter such programs

## Flexibility

In addition to training in core economics, rigorous quantitative methods and policy analysis, the MS in Economics provides flexibility with electives to shape students' course of study to best match their career aspirations. Students can also enroll in graduate-level courses in finance, business analytics, marketing and business law, among others.

## School of Economics

Drexel LeBow's Economics Department was recently elevated to a School of Economics. This change reflects the expanding role of economics in many areas of research and the opportunity for deeper collaboration between students and faculty from economics and other academic disciplines.

For more detailed admission information:  
visit [lebow.drexel.edu/resources/admissions](http://lebow.drexel.edu/resources/admissions)  
email [msecon@lebow.drexel.edu](mailto:msecon@lebow.drexel.edu) or call 215.895.6804

# MS in Economics

**Program Start:** Begins fall quarter

**Completion:** 45-credit full-time program that can be completed in about 18 months

**Campus:** Philadelphia

**Other Requirements:** GRE preferred, but GMAT is also accepted. An undergraduate degree in economics is not required.

**Financing:** Tuition and fees are charged at a credit-per-hour rate for this program. Financial aid is available to those who qualify.

## Plan of Study

Below is a sample plan of study. You may choose to modify the plan of study upon approval from the faculty coordinator to tailor your studies based on the career goals and previous economic training.

### First Year

Fall

Econ 610 - Microeconomics

Econ 548 - Mathematical Economics

Stat 601 - Business Statistics

Winter

ECON 614 - Macroeconomics

ECON 550 - Econometrics

ECON 650 - Business & Economic Strategy: Game Theory  
& Applications

Spring

ECON 560 - Time Series Econometrics

ECON 601 - Managerial Economics

1 Elective

### Second Year \*

Fall

ECON 616 - Public Finance

ECON 639 - Applied Industrial Analysis

1 Elective

Winter

ECON 630 - International Economics

ECON 700 - Masters Seminar

1 Elective

*Complete MS in Economics degree requirements can be found in Drexel's Catalog*

\* Students can take either BUSN 615 or Co-op 600, graduate-level internships, for credit the summer after their first year.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Visit [LeBow.Drexel.edu](http://LeBow.Drexel.edu) and schedule a visit, or start your application online. Prospective students are encouraged to apply early in order to take advantage of financing and merit scholarship opportunities.