

ECONOMICS

University of Northern Iowa College of Business Administration
<https://business.uni.edu/undergraduate/economics>

ABOUT THE MAJOR

An economics degree gives students an understanding of the national economy and teaches them how to think critically about the way materials, money and resources are bought, traded and sold. Economics often involves topics like wealth, finance, recessions and banking, leading to the misconception that economics is all about money and the stock market. Actually, it's a much broader discipline that helps us understand historical trends, interpret today's headlines and make predictions for the coming years.

SAMPLE COURSEWORK

Principles of Macroeconomics	Fixed Income Analysis
Mathematical Economics	Intermediate Financial Management
Risk Management and Insurance	Directed Research in Economics
Intro to Econometrics	Operations Management

POSSIBLE CAREERS *some titles may require further education

Market Research Analyst	Credit Analyst	Management Consultant	Auditor
Economic Consultant	Financial Advisor	Business Reporter	Contract Specialist
Compensation and Benefits Manager	Policy Analyst	Statistician	Real Estate
Actuary	Lawyer	Accountant	Economist

UNI GRADUATES: WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

- John Deere
- Wells Fargo
- Principal Financial Group
- Principal Global Investors
- Wells Fargo Home Mortgage
- Hy-Vee, Inc.
- Situs RERC
- Aegon Asset Management
- IBM
- CBRE
- Cushman & Wakefield Iowa Commercial Advisors
- Midland Loan Services
- Rally Appraisal LLC
- Cohen Financial – SunTrust Bank



SKILLS NEEDED

- Analytical skills
- Written skills
- Oral communication skills
- Detail-oriented
- Math skills
- Independent thinking skills
- Motivation
- Ability to work under pressure

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