

## Program Modification

Program modifications must be submitted by October 15, 2013, and finalized by the end of that fall semester for catalog production.  
Enter data in **YELLOWED** areas.

**Date** (Change date if modified and update the file name with the new date): 2014 2015 Catalog Copy 10.1.13; rev 10.8.13

Program Area: **Economics: International Economics Option, B.A.**

**Semester /Year First affected:** FALL 2014

**Instructions:** Please use this Program Modification form for changes to existing program requirements, units, outcomes, emphases or options, or for other programmatic concerns. For minor changes (faculty or address changes, additions of approved electives, minor editing for clarity, and other minor updates) use the Program Update form, available at the Curriculum website.

Paste the latest approved version of your entire program in the left AND right boxes below. Make your deletions in the LEFT column by using the strikethrough feature in Word or underlining, **and highlight**. Insert new language or other changes to the program on the RIGHT and highlight in **YELLOW** for easy identification. If possible, please align the two columns so that changes appear side-by-side with the original text.

### SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Rather than taking International Trade and Development Economics, then one of several (economics and cross-listed) courses, students may now take two of four international-focused economics courses, then one of three courses (two economics and one political science course) to fulfill this option.

### JUSTIFICATION

There are two reasons we have made this change. Previously, to take the international option, students had to take international trade and development economics, then one of four courses (including two additional economics courses that address similar areas to trade and development, albeit using different tools). These two courses are not always on offer, but two of the four economics courses with a strong international option are always on offer. Additionally, all four of these courses do have a strong international economics focus. As such, allowing students to choose any two from among the four international courses allows for flexibility without diluting the focus of the option.

### CURRENTLY APPROVED PROGRAM

**Economics: International  
Economics Option, B.A.**

### PROPOSED PROGRAM

**Economics: International Economics  
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**Summary of Units**

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Upper Division Major Requirements	19
International Economics Option	17
Additional <a href="#">GE</a> & other <a href="#">Graduation Requirements</a>	74-75
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>

**Lower Division Major Requirements - 9-10 units**

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- [ECON 110 - Principles of Microeconomics](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 111 - Principles of Macroeconomics](#) Units: 3

**Select either:**

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- [MATH 140 - Calculus for Business Applications](#) Units: 3
- or
- [MATH 150 - Calculus I](#) Units: 4

**Upper Division Major Requirements - 19 units**

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- [ECON 310 - Intermediate Microeconomics](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 311 - Intermediate Macroeconomics](#) Units: 3
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- [ECON 496 - Seminar in Economic Analysis](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 499 - Capstone](#) Units: 3

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- [MATH 352 - Probability and Statistics](#) Units: 3

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*[for example, SPAN 101 and 102] ASL courses will not be accepted.*

**Note:** This requirement represents one additional course beyond the CI foreign language requirement.

Foreign Language I Units: 4  
Foreign Language II Units: 4

Select a minimum of three upper division courses in economics (or approved courses outside of economics) as follows:

- [ECON 471 - International Trade](#) Units: 3
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- [ECON 473 - Development Economics](#) Units: 3

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- or
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Foreign Language II Units: 4

Select a minimum of **two upper** division courses in economics (or approved courses outside of economics) from the following:

- [ECON 470 - The World Economy](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 471 - International Trade](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 472 - International Macroeconomics](#) Units: 3
- [ECON 473 - Development Economics](#) Units: 3

<div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>ECON 370 – The World Economy Units: 3</b></li><li>• <u>ECON 444 - Values and Valuables (Cross-listed as ANTH 444) Units: 3</u></li><li>• <b>ECON 472 – International Macroeconomics Units: 3</b></li><li>• <u>POLS 328 - United States Foreign Policy Units: 3</u></li></ul></div> <div><p><b>Note:</b></p><hr/><p><u>ECON 497</u> may not be taken to meet the requirements of the economics major.</p></div>	<div><p><b>Then, select one of the following:</b></p><hr/><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• </li><li>• <b>ECON 444 - Values and Valuables (Cross-listed as ANTH 444) Units: 3</b></li><li>• </li><li>• <u>POLS 328 - United States Foreign Policy Units: 3</u></li><li>• <b>ECON 420 – Experimental Economics Units: 3</b></li></ul></div> <div><p><b>Note:</b></p><hr/><p><u>ECON 497</u> may not be taken to meet the requirements of the economics major.</p></div>	

Jared Barton, 10.3.13

Proposer of Program Modification

Date

## APPROVAL SHEET

**Program:** [REDACTED]

If your course has a General Education Component or involves Center affiliation, the Center will also sign off during the approval process.

Multiple Chair fields are available for cross-listed courses.

The CI program review process includes a report from the respective department/program on its progress toward accessibility requirement compliance. By signing below, I acknowledge the importance of incorporating accessibility in course design.

Program Chair		
	Signature	Date

Curriculum Chair		
	Signature	Date

AVP		
	Signature	Date