ECON 402A, ECON 402H, EREC 411.

Mutual Exclusion:

Attributes:

implications of government policies affecting the environment, the problems (such as crime, divorce, and discrimination), and the economic problems of households and business firms, economic theories of social to a variety of social issues. Topics include the resource allocation problems of households and business firms, economic theories of social problems (such as crime, divorce, and discrimination), and the economic implications of government policies affecting the environment, the workplace, and industrial organization. Attributes: Social Science (Discovery); Writing Intensive Course Equivalent(s): ECN 412, ECN 412A Mutual Exclusion: No credit for students who have taken ECON 402, ECON 402A, ECON 402H, EREC 411.

ECN 505 - Contemporary Economic Issues
Credits: 4
The course applies microeconomic and macroeconomic principles to analyze current economic problems and issues with attention to developing an evaluating different economic policies for addressing the economic problems that are identified. The course includes a service learning component in which students will work with a community partner (e.g., local business, nonprofit organization or government agency) to identify an economic problem and help design and evaluate policy options to enact a solution to the problem. Topics will vary each semester but will include a cross-section of local, state, national and international economic issues with related readings. Prereq: ECN 411 and ECN 412 or permission of the instructor.

ECN 635 - Money, Banking and Macroeconomic Activity
Credits: 4
A study of the financial sector of the economy including commercial banks, thrifts, and other depository institutions. Examines the meaning and determinants of the money supply, credit and interest rates. Close attention paid to the role of the Federal Reserve and the economic effects of its monetary policy. Prereq: ECN 411, ECN 412.

ECN 640 - Business Law and Economics
Credits: 4
A study of the legal environment of business. Emphasis is on using economic analysis to examine laws of property, contract, and tort affecting business. Includes the ethical foundations of law and ethical issues involving business. Specific topics may include commercial free speech, white collar crime and managerial responsibility, product liability, cyberlaw, copyright, trademark and patent law. Prereq: ADM 400, ECN 412, and sophomore standing or permission of the instructor. Writing intensive. Attributes: Writing Intensive Course Equivalent(s): ECN 540

ECN 650 - Economics for Managers
Credits: 4
Examines how economic principles can be applied to resource allocation problems confronted by managers in a variety of industry settings. Emphasis on both theory and application. Topics include cost analysis, production decisions, and pricing policies of business managers within perfectly competitive, monopolistic, oligopolistic, and monopolistically competitive environments. Prereq: ADM 400, ECN 412 and sophomore standing or permission of instructor.