

**DEGREE REQUIREMENT CHECKSHEET  
2015 - 2016 BULLETIN**

**BA ECONOMICS w/INTERNATIONAL TRADE MAJOR**

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

*All courses are 3 credit hours unless otherwise noted*

**Economics Foundation (15 hours)**

**Choose one**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 1310 Modern Political Economy  
(UCA Core: Responsible Living Social Science)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 2310 Global Environment of Business  
(UCA Core: Diversity in World Cultures Course)

**(12 hours)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 2320 Principles of Macroeconomics  
[ACTS: ECON 2103]  
(UCA Core: Critical Inquiry Social Science Course)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 2321 Principles of Microeconomics  
[ACTS: ECON 2203]  
(UCA Core: Critical Inquiry Social Science Course)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 3302 Intermediate Macroeconomics  
(UCA Core: C, I)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 4380 Senior Seminar  
(UCA Core: Z)

**Global Foundation (9 hours)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 4335 International Trade\*\*\*  
(UCA Core: D)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 4375 Economics of Developing Nations\*\*\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 4320 Comparative Economic Systems\*\*\*

\*\*\* This course has prerequisites; check the Undergraduate Bulletin for details. See also Anticipated EFIRM Course Rotation Schedule.

**Global Electives (15 hours)**

**Choose five** courses that are upper division economics classes or upper division level global courses in Geography, History, Political Science or Sociology. Global courses must have an international component and be current. A student may take other classes approved by his/her advisor to meet this requirement.

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**Courses for this requirement should be selected from:**

**Economics courses:** Any 3000 or 4000 level Economics course not listed above

Note: UCA Core: R designated courses in economics are ECON 3310 Public Finance and ECON 3330 Environmental Economics.

**Geography courses:** 3300, 3305, 3315, 3320, 3335, 3345, 3346, 3381, 3385

**History courses:** 3304, 3312, 3321, 4305, 4328, 4347, 4377, 4381, 4383, 4387, 4394, 4397

**Political Science courses:** 3305, 3315, 3340, 3382, 4305, 4310, 4320, 4325, 4328, 4345, 4348, 4388, 4395

**Sociology courses:** 3398, 4341

**Foreign Language (9 Hours)**

Students must complete three hours in a foreign language on the 2000-level or above.

**Minor (18 Hours)**

Students must choose a minor. 12 hours must be from upper division courses (3000-4000 level).

**Electives (to equal 120 hours)**

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**Upper Division UCA Core – Responsible Living**

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**SUMMARY OF GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

1. A minimum of 120 hours earned from the following areas
  - ❖ UCA Lower Division Core - 38 hours
    - **UCA Lower Division Core requirements can be found at:**
      - <http://uca.edu/core>
    - UCA Lower division core requirements for Critical Inquiry Social Science and either Responsible Living or Diversity in World Cultures will be completed as students complete the Economics Foundation courses
    - Students may complete their UCA Lower Division Core requirements by taking classes either inside or outside of the College of Business
  - ❖ UCA Upper Division Core
    - At least one upper division course in each of the following categories is required: Diversity (D), Effective Communication (C), Responsible Living (R), Critical Inquiry (I), and Capstone Experience (Z)
    - A course may satisfy up to 2 of these requirements
    - Students will meet each of these requirements except for Responsible Living by completing the major required courses. The Responsible Living requirement can be met by choosing a designated course in the Global Electives, Minor or general electives.
  - ❖ Major – 27-39 hours\*
  - ❖ Foreign Language – 0-9 hours\*
  - ❖ Minor – 18 -24 hours\*
  - ❖ Electives to equal 120 hours

**A course may not be double counted in the major and in the minor.**

**A student needs 40 hours of upper division level credit (3000 – 4000 level courses).**

\* The major will vary from 27-39 hours depending on the overlap between the UCA Lower Division Core courses and major courses.

Foreign language: A student with no previous experience in a foreign language normally will enroll in the 1310 course for the language. Students with prior experience in a language are strongly encouraged to take the departmental placement test before enrolling in their first course.

2. No more than 30 hours may be taken in Business. Business courses are considered to be courses with the following prefixes: ACCT, FINA, INSU, MGMT, MIS, MKTG, QMTH.
3. At least a 2.000 Grade Point Average is required overall, in the major, and in the minor.