

ECONOMICS/JD DEGREE, BS

Bachelor of Arts in Economics/Juris Doctor Degree

Students admitted under the program fulfill their senior year of undergraduate credits through the successful completion of their first-year law school courses, allowing them to graduate with both a bachelor's and law degree in just six years, saving a year of tuition and related costs, and they begin their legal careers a year ahead of time.

Students admitted to University of Akron School of Law will receive a BS in Economics after completing at least 29 credits during the first year of Law School.

College of Business Undergraduate Programs

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The following information has official approval of **The Department of Economics, The School of Law and The College of Business**, but is intended only as a supplemental guide. Official degree requirements are established at the time of transfer and admission to the degree-granting college. Students should refer to the Degree Progress Report (Stellic) which is definitive for graduation requirements. *Completion of this degree within the identified time frame below is contingent upon many factors, including but not limited to: class availability, total number of required credits, work schedule, finances, family, course drops/withdrawals, successfully passing courses, prerequisites, among others.* The transfer process is completed through an appointment with your academic advisor.

Requirements Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/general-education/)	36
	Business Requirements	8-9
	Economics Requirements	31-33
	Math and Statistics Requirements	6-8
	Law Requirements	29
	Additional Credits for Graduation *	10-5
Total Hours		120

* Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 120 credit hours for graduation. Students admitted to University of Akron School of Law will receive BA in Economics after completing the first year of law school.

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
	Students pursuing a bachelor's degree must complete the following General Education coursework	
	Breadth of Perspectives courses may also fulfill major or Breadth of Knowledge requirements. Integrated and Applied Learning courses may also fulfill requirements in the major.	

Academic Foundations	12
Mathematics, Statistics and Logic: 3 credit hours	
Speaking: 3 credit hours	
Writing: 6 credit hours	
Breadth of Knowledge	19
Arts: 3 credit hours	
Humanities: 3 credit hours	
Natural Sciences: 7 credit hours	
Social Sciences: 6 credit hours	
Breadth of Perspectives	
U.S. Perspectives	
Global Perspectives	
Civic Literacy	
Integrated and Applied Learning	1-3
Select one class from one of the following subcategories:	
Complex Issues Facing Society	
Capstone	
General Education Elective ¹	4-2
Review the General Education Requirements page for detailed course listings.	
Total Hours	36

¹ Credits may be selected from any approved General Education course not already accounted for.

Business Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Required Business Courses		
MATH 210	Calculus with Business Applications	3-4
or MATH 221	Analytic Geometry-Calculus I	
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
BUSN 110	College of Business Success Seminar	1
BUSN 111	Professional Development Seminar	1
Total Hours		8-9

Economics Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
ECON 200	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 325	Applied Econometrics I	3
ECON 326	Applied Econometrics II	3
ECON 400	Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
ECON 410	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ECON 434	Labor Market Analysis and Evaluation	1-3
or ECON 496	Capstone Project in Economics	
or ECON 497	Honors Project in Economics	
ECON:xxx	Economics Electives ¹	12
Total Hours		31-33

¹ Selecting courses from General Education is recommended.

General electives can be any course not already required by your major and upper-level (300/400) elective can be any course in or outside your major, excluding general education courses and workshops

Math and Statistics Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
MATH 210 or MATH 221	Calculus with Business Applications Analytic Geometry-Calculus I	3-4
STAT 261 & STAT 262 or STAT 461 or MGMT 304	Introductory Statistics I and Introductory Statistics II Applied Statistics Business Statistics	3-4
Total Hours		6-8

Law Requirements ¹

Code	Title	Hours
LAWX 601	Civil Procedure - Federal Jurisdiction	3
LAWX 602	Civil Procedure - Federal Litigation	3
LAWX 607	Criminal Law	3
LAWX 609	Fundamentals of Lawyering ²	0
LAWX 611	Contracts	4
LAWX 619	Legal Analysis, Research, & Writing I (LARW I)	3
LAWX 620	Legal Analysis, Research & Writing II (LARW II)	3
LAWX 625	Torts	4
LAWX 645	Property	4
LAWX 676	Legislation and Regulation	2
Total Hours		29

¹ Students must be admitted to the School of Law.

² Required for some students.

Graduation Requirements – Review Stellic for Status

- 120 Credit Hours
- College of Business residency = Last 15 credits in Business earned in the College of Business
- Overall GPA = 2.3
- Major GPA = 2.0
- Business & Economics GPA = 2.0

Recommended Sequence

1st Year		
Fall Semester		Hours
ENGL 111	English Composition I	3
BUSN 110	College of Business Success Seminar	1
COMM 105	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
MATH 210	Calculus with Business Applications	3
	Minor Elective	3
	Arts Requirement	3
Hours		16
Spring Semester		
ECON 200	Principles of Microeconomics	3

ENGL 112	English Composition II	3
SOCIO 100	Introduction to Sociology (Social Science Requirement and US Perspectives Requirement)	3
BUSN 111	Professional Development Seminar	1
	Minor Elective	3
	Global Perspectives Requirement	3
Hours		16

2nd Year

Fall Semester

ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
STAT 261	Introductory Statistics I	2
STAT 262	Introductory Statistics II	2
	Arts Requirement	3
	Natural Science Requirement	3
	Minor Elective	3
Hours		16

Spring Semester

ECON 400	Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
ECON 325	Applied Econometrics I	3
	Economics Elective	3
	Natural Science with Lab Requirement	3
	Minor Elective	3
Hours		15

3rd Year

Fall Semester

ECON 410	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ECON 326	Applied Econometrics II	3
	Economics Elective	3
	Arts or Humanities Requirement	3
	Minor Elective	3
Hours		15

Spring Semester

	Economics Elective	3
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ECON 434	Labor Market Analysis and Evaluation	3
	Complex Systems Requirement	3
	Minor Elective	3
Hours		15

4th Year

Fall Semester

LAWX 601	Civil Procedure - Federal Jurisdiction	3
LAWX 611	Contracts	4
LAWX 619	Legal Analysis, Research, & Writing I (LARW I)	3
LAWX 625	Torts	4
Hours		14

Spring Semester

LAWX 602	Civil Procedure - Federal Litigation	3
LAWX 607	Criminal Law	3
LAWX 609	Fundamentals of Lawyering ^{Required for some students}	0

LAWX 620	Legal Analysis, Research & Writing II (LARW II)	3
LAWX 645	Property	4
LAWX 676	Legislation and Regulation	2
Hours		15
Total Hours		122