



ECONOMIC EDUCATION GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

The first and only certificate of its kind in the state, UNO's Economic Education Graduate Certificate is designed to help high school economics instructors obtain the graduate credit hours required to teach economics as a dual enrollment course.

As economics grows in popularity, more secondary schools are requiring economics as a graduation requirement. This certificate qualifies high school teachers to deliver advanced courses in economics (AP, honors, and dual enrollment) so that high school students can fill graduation requirements and also earn college credits.

RETURN ON INVESTMENT

- You will earn the 18 graduate credit hours required by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) to teach classes that can be considered dual enrollment.
- Expanded knowledge of economics theory and practice will help you deliver high quality college-level classes to your students.
- Certificate credit hours can be applied towards a master's degree in economics (must meet the standard admission and enrollment requirements).
-) Qualified teachers who teach advanced subject levels are highly sought after by schools and increase opportunites for their students.
- Elective course selection allows you to customize the educational experience and skill development to your interests.

High school teachers: qualify to teach advanced placement or dual enrollment economics courses.



ECONOMICS REQUIRED

Area schools including Omaha Public Schools (OPS), Bellevue Public Schools (BPS), Lincoln Public Schools (LPS), and Council Bluffs Public Schools (CBPS) in Iowa require economics as a graduation requirement.





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CURRICULUM

The Economic Education Graduate Certificate consists of one required course (3 credit hours) and five elective courses (15 credit hours) for a total of 18 credit hours.

REQUIRED COURSE (3 CREDITS)

ECON 8050 Economic Education (3)

ELECTIVES (15 CREDITS)

ECON 8020	Environmental Economics and Management (3)
ECON 8210	Managerial Economics (3)
ECON 8216	Industrial Organization (3)
ECON 8230	Business Conditions Analysis (3)
ECON 8306	Quantitative Applications in Economics and Business (3)
ECON 8326	Natural Resource Economics (3)
ECON 8346	Economics of Technology (3)
ECON 8600	Health Economics (3)
ECON 8616	International Trade (3)
ECON 8666	International Economic Development (3)
ECON 8736	Economics of Entrepreneurship (3)
ECON 8856	Economics of Urban And Regional Development (3)
ECON 8910	Special Studies in Economics (3)
ECON 8916	Special Topics in Economics (3)
ECON 8920	Independent Study (1-3)

COMPLETING MS DEGREE IN ECONOMICS

If you wish to complete both an Economic Education Graduate Certificate and an MS in Economics, you must complete a total of 36 graduate hours, and satisfy missing foundation courses for admission to the MS in Economics program.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's or master's degree earned at a regionally accredited college or university in the U.S., or the equivalent of such degrees in another country.
- All applicants must have earned a minimum Junior/Senior GPA of 2.85.
- Students must have completed Principles of Microeconomics and Principles of Macroeconomics.

TO LEARN MORE CONTACT

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APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- Complete UNO Graduate Studies
 Application online at unomaha.edu/
 graduate-studies/prospective-students/
 application-process.php
- Send nonrefundable application fee to UNO Graduate Studies.
- Submit official transcripts from each college or university attended.

SEND APPLICATION MATERIALS TO

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APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall: July 15 Spring: December 1 Summer: April 15