

# Master of Economics

## Recommended Study Plan - MC-ECO (16 subject program - 200 points)

The Master of Economics is designed to be completed in two years of full-time study and requires completion of 200 points. The first year has 2 core economics subjects, 1 econometrics subject and 5 elective subjects. The second year consists of 2 core economics subjects, 1 econometrics subject, 3 elective subjects and the (double subject) Research Report.



This program has only one intake per year

### YEAR ONE

FIRST SEMESTER OF STUDY		
<b>Discipline Core</b>	<u>ECON40001</u>	Advanced Microeconomics (Only offered in Semester 1 each year)
<b>Discipline Core</b>	<u>ECON40002</u>	Advanced Macroeconomics (Only offered in Semester 1 each year)
<b>Econometrics subject</b>	One of: <u>ECON30002</u>	Econometrics (Offered in Semester 1 & 2 each year)
	<u>ECON40006</u>	Econometric Techniques (Only offered in Semester 1 each year)
<b>Elective</b>	To be chosen from the Master of Economics list of electives	

SECOND SEMESTER OF STUDY		
<b>Elective</b>	To be chosen from the Master of Economics list of electives	
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## YEAR TWO

THIRD SEMESTER OF STUDY		
<b>Discipline Core*</b>		To be chosen from the Group A list of subjects ( <i>see list of Group A subjects below</i> )
<b>Discipline Core**</b>		To be chosen from the Group B list of subjects ( <i>see list of Group B subjects below</i> )
<b>Econometrics subject***</b>		To be chosen from the Year 2 Econometrics subjects listed below
<b>Capstone****</b>	<u>ECON90071</u>	Economics Research Report Part 1

FOURTH SEMESTER OF STUDY		
<b>Capstone****</b>	<u>ECON90072</u>	Economics Research Report Part 2
<b>Elective</b>		To be chosen from the Master of Economics list of electives
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### \*Group A Subjects:

<u>ECON90002</u>	Microeconomics
<u>ECON90068</u>	Case Studies in Microeconomic Policy
<u>ECON90013</u>	Labour Economics
<u>ECON90022</u>	Game Theory
<u>ECON90023</u>	Development Economics
<u>ECON90028</u>	Economic Design

### \*\*Group B Subjects:

<u>ECON90003</u>	Macroeconomics
<u>ECON90012</u>	Modelling the Australian Macroeconomy
<u>ECON90011</u>	Monetary Economics
<u>ECON90021</u>	Macroeconomic Techniques

### \*\*\*Year Two Econometrics subject

Students who have completed ECOM90013 Econometric Techniques in the first year of their Masters are permitted to enrol in ECOM90005 Advanced Econometric Techniques, ECOM90007 Macroeconometrics, ECOM90008 Microeconometrics, ECOM90010 Bayesian Econometrics or ECOM90011 Financial Econometrics. Students who have not completed ECOM90013 Econometric Techniques in the first year of their Masters must do so in year two.

### Electives

Please see the list of approved Master of Economics electives at:  
[handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/current/!MC-ECO-SPC+1000](https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/current/!MC-ECO-SPC+1000)

You will need to check the *Handbook* to ensure you have met the subject pre-requisites.

### Capstone Subject

\*\*\*\* Students must enrol in both Parts 1 and 2 of the Economics Research Report in consecutive semesters.

Students who have already completed a research project/component that accounts for at least 25% of their year's work during a four year Honours degree in economics, may be eligible for an exemption from ECON90071 Economics Research Report Part 1 and ECON90072 Economics Research Report Part 2. An exemption will normally only be considered if a grade of at least an equivalent University of Melbourne H2A (75%) was achieved and if the four year Honours degree in economics was completed no more than two years prior to entry into the second year of the Masters program. Students who are eligible for an exemption from ECON90071 Economics Research Report Part

1 and ECON90072 Economics Research Report Part 2, will be able to choose 2 alternative 12.5 point subjects in consultation with the Master of Economics Academic Program Director.



Please see the program structure outlined in the online  
*Handbook*: <https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2018/MC-ECO>

## What do I need to do next?

Once you have reviewed your recommended study plan, you will be required to complete your online enrolment. Students commencing in Semester 1 are required to enrol in subjects for the full year (both Semester 1 and Semester 2).

## Start your online enrolment

[students.unimelb.edu.au/get-started](https://students.unimelb.edu.au/get-started)

## Where do I go for help?

If you need assistance with the online enrolment system or require further study planning advice, please contact [Stop 1](#):



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or check our FAQs  
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