A Master’s Program for Future Economic Leaders

Master of Science in Economics
Program Summary

MSc in Economics

The Master of Science in Economics at NYU Abu Dhabi provides students with the theoretical and quantitative foundations for a successful professional career in national and international policymaking institutions, or for continuing PhD studies at the world’s best doctoral programs in economics. The master’s program aims to satisfy the demanding requirements of modern economic theory and practice.

Students will learn to:

• Collect, analyze, and present economic data using the latest statistical and econometric methods.
• Assess current social and economic challenges (e.g., the sustainability of a social security system or the impact of a change in the tax code) through the lens of state-of-the art empirical, theoretical, and computational models.

The master’s program builds naturally on NYU Abu Dhabi’s strong undergraduate major in economics, leveraging the significant existing teaching and research strength of the faculty. A strong quantitative perspective will prepare graduates for the depth of understanding necessary for leadership as well as the tools required to expand the frontiers of knowledge.

Housed within Social Science and drawing on an international faculty and student body, the program will benefit from the intercultural insights, the broadest international challenges and the nuanced role of economics within the full array of social science methodologies.

40 Credits Required for Graduation
1 Year of Study in Abu Dhabi
5th Ranked in Asia for Economic Research
Capitalize on a Strategic Location

Abu Dhabi is perfectly situated in one of the world’s most strategic locations for significant and scalable impact both during and after a student’s experience at the university. For those in search of an opportunity that diversifies their educational background, or lends a new perspective on universal economic concepts, NYU Abu Dhabi could not be more ideally positioned. Connections with local and global companies abound, and access to an individualized career counselor is available to all MSc students to ensure optimal professional placement following graduation.

Get Your Degree in One Year

NYU Abu Dhabi has designed its program so that you can graduate in one year, while still growing in a robust academic program. While a degree can be earned relatively quickly, students will benefit from a structure that constantly emphasizes proficiency in soft skills like critical thinking and project management, as well as economic fundamentals like theoretic analysis and computer programming.

Prepare for Economic Leadership

Students in the Master of Science in Economics program have the opportunity to work alongside top faculty who are leading significant research in multidisciplinary centers and labs. Student and faculty work together to not only lead economic research and analysis in Abu Dhabi, but the region as a whole. In fact, NYU Abu Dhabi’s economics program recently ranked fifth in Asia in research output.
# Courses

The one-year Master of Science in Economics program requires the completion of 40 credit hours as outlined below.

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