Study ECONOMICS at OU!

With a Ph.D. in Economics at the University of Oklahoma, you will be proficient in contemporary economic theory and econometrics.

You will join our distinguished alumni who are employed around the world at universities, research, consulting, and government organizations.

Meet Recent OU Graduates:

Dakshina DeSilva (OU Ph.D. 2002) is from Sri Lanka. He is a tenured professor, University of Lancaster, UK.

Luisa Blanco Raynal (OU Ph.D. 2007) is from Mexico. She is a tenured Associate Professor at Pepperdine University.

Yifei Ding (OU Ph.D. 2011) is from Nanjing, China. He's works for BOCH Asset Management Limited in Hong Kong as a Fixed Income Analyst.

Meet OU's Economics Faculty:

Gary Hoover, Chair, (Washington University)
Gregory Burge (Florida State University)
Firat Demir (University of Notre Dame)
Pallab Ghosh (Syracuse University)
James Hartigan (Duke University)
Daniel Hicks (Univ. of California-Berkeley)
Joan Hicks (Univ of California-Berkeley)
Alexander Holmes (SUNY-Binghamton)
Benjamin Keen (University of Virginia)
Jaeho Kim (University of Washington)
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Georgia Kosmopoulou (University of Illinois)
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Daniel Nedelescu (Purdue University)
Tyler Ransom (Duke University)
Cynthia Rogers (University of Pittsburgh)
Hewei Shen (Indiana University)
Saleh Tabrizy (Univ. of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
Chunbei Wang (University of Texas at Dallas)
Le Wang (Southern Methodist University)
Ariel Weinberger (Univ. of California Davis)

Welcome!
Can You Afford OU?

In addition to enjoying the low cost of living in Oklahoma relative to more urbanized areas, you will be able to finance your studies through:

- **Graduate assistantships** covering most tuition and living expenses are extended for 4-5 academic years to students making academic progress and fulfilling work duties.
- **Competitive scholarships** and multiple summer research awards
- **Teaching opportunities**, most commonly during the summer and intersession terms.

Will You Enjoy OU’s Campus?

- Experience a safe, beautiful campus filled with trees, fountains, sculptures and more than 30,000 students (2015, OU Facts)
- OU is highly ranked by *The Princeton Review* and other independent education review organizations as a “Best Buy”.
- Live close to a large metropolitan area with a major airport and a variety of entertainment options

Are You Qualified?

While helpful, an undergraduate or Master’s Degree in economics is not required to enter our Ph.D. program. You do need adequate training in mathematics and statistics, as well as a firm grasp of intermediate economic theory. Most importantly, you need to be dedicated to the pursuit of knowledge and interested in academic research.

**RECOMMENDED PREPARATION:**

- Intermediate microeconomic and macroeconomic theory
- Two or more semesters of theoretical calculus and demonstrated ability in mathematics, including proficiency in solving proofs
- Introductory statistics and/or econometrics
- Linear algebra

Why Study Economics at OU?

In OU’s Graduate Economics Program you can

- Specialize in fields like economic growth and development, public economics, industrial organization, or international economics
- Advance your understanding of the theoretical and empirical tools used to conduct cutting edge research
- Enjoy small classes and a supportive faculty
- Interact with a diverse group of scholars from China, Greece, India, Korea, Turkey, Romania, Iran, Israel, and the United States
- Hone your teaching and presentation skills
- Engage in currently relevant research with accomplished faculty members

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