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BUSINESS SCHOOL

# Economics

## BSc Hons



Greenwich Campus

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## Why study this programme?

In understanding and explaining the framework of economic life, economics students develop a wide range of practical skills in investigation, information management and presentation. Employers value such transferable skills for their use in analysis, decision making and communication. This makes economics graduates highly employable across a broad range of fields.

Economics at Greenwich may be taken as BSc Hons Economics or BSc Hons Economics with Banking. BA Hons Business Economics with Law is also available.

Students wishing to pursue careers as professional economists will receive a solid grounding in quantitative subjects and be offered the opportunity to study more advanced quantitative courses as options. The programme also provides the opportunity to study in depth a number of problems and issues which have a crucial impact on society: unemployment and inflation; poverty and inequality; international trade and globalisation; the causes and consequences of economic growth; and the role and function of business at the local, national and international level.

## Why study with us?

This programme is geared to meet the opportunity in the market for employment by international organisations of graduates with sophisticated understanding and application of economic theory to international contexts, business, markets and institutions.

The programme is therefore distinctive for being internationally attuned and for preparing students to become competent, confident and readily employable at an international level.

Our programmes are constantly revised to reflect current business priorities and demands of employers through business forums with local business leaders. This ensures students are trained in relevant business application.

Our staff's wealth of international business knowledge and teaching experience is combined with a commitment to support the learning of each student. Staff are involved with businesses and the local community, so they provide practical experience as part of their teaching.



The School delivers innovative ways to learn as traditional teaching is supported by online resources, within the virtual learning environment and this is supplemented by business simulation exercises and practical games. Students also have access to industry experts through guest presentations and lecturers, and the opportunity to visit companies.

All our undergraduate students have the opportunity to undertake a placement year. This enables students to establish good career prospects and earning potential. We have a dedicated team to find suitable and beneficial placement opportunities to provide work experience and valuable industry insight.

The University of Greenwich has provided career-orientated programmes for over 100 years. BSc Hons Economics students study at the Old Royal Naval College buildings on the university's Greenwich Campus. This magnificent site, founded in the 17th century, is next to the centre of Greenwich, a bustling district just 20 minutes by train from central London. Halls of residence are close to the campus.

## What courses will you study?

### Year 1

- Macroeconomics 1 (30 credits)
- Microeconomics 1 (30 credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Economists (30 credits)
- Personal and Professional Development (15 credits)
- One option from: Introduction to Economic Institutions and Frameworks; Banking and Finance in a Global Context (15 credits)

### Year 2

- Professional Practice in International Business and Economics (15 credits)
- Macroeconomics 2 (30 credits)
- Microeconomics 2 (30 credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Economists (30 credits)
- One option from: International Trade and Markets; Environmental Economics and Environmental Regulations; Banking and Finance in a Global Context; Multinational Business in the Growth Economies (15 credits)

### Optional sandwich year

#### Final year

- Applied Econometrics (30 credits)
- Two options from: Global Macroeconomics (30); Economics of International Developments and Finance (30); Managerial Economics (30); Industrial Economics and Business Policy (30); Monetary Economics (30); Economics of Finance and Investments (30); Labour Economics, Policies and Regulation (30); The Economics of Regulation and Public Services (30) (60 credits)
- Project (30 credits)

## Career opportunities

A graduate in economics can aspire to achieve many entry-level jobs in banking, finance, insurance, the stock market, sales and marketing as well as working in corporations like consulting firms or government departments.

Our graduates have been employed as economists, management consultants, investment advisers, financial analysts, finance and investment analysts, financial administrators, investment bankers, merchant bankers, tax consultants, bank managers, and employment agency consultants.



## Key facts

**UCAS code:** L100 G BSc/Ec

**Attendance:** 3 years full-time, 4 years sandwich, 6 years part-time

### Entry requirements:

For a full list of entry requirements, including UCAS points, please visit [www.gre.ac.uk/programmes](http://www.gre.ac.uk/programmes).

- We welcome applications from mature students.

### How to apply:

- Full-time students apply through UCAS. For further information and UCAS deadlines, please visit [www.ucas.ac.uk](http://www.ucas.ac.uk).
- Part-time students apply online at [www.gre.ac.uk/apply](http://www.gre.ac.uk/apply).
- Applicants applying from outside the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland should apply online at [www.gre.ac.uk/apply](http://www.gre.ac.uk/apply). For further information, e-mail [international@gre.ac.uk](mailto:international@gre.ac.uk).

## Teaching and assessment

All degree programmes are taught using a combination of lectures, tutorials, seminars, case studies and presentations. Courses have strong commercial orientation, as well as academic rigour. Students are assessed through assignments, examinations and presentations. Courses are taught by lecturers with strong industrial and commercial experience, as well as excellent academic credentials.

## Financial information

For up-to-date information on tuition fees, bursaries and scholarships, visit [www.gre.ac.uk/finance](http://www.gre.ac.uk/finance).



## Your next step

University Open Days are held several times a year. They include a programme of talks and offer you the opportunity to speak to staff and students. You may also be given a tour of the campus. A list of dates can be found at [www.gre.ac.uk/opendays](http://www.gre.ac.uk/opendays), or contact the Enquiry Unit or International Office for further information.



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## For further information

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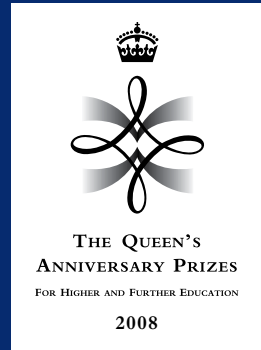
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