

**GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY**  
**COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**B.S. DEGREE IN ECONOMICS with a CONCENTRATION in PHILOSOPHY,**  
**POLITICS, AND ECONOMICS**  
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**2017-2018 CATALOG**

	<u>Department(s) &amp; Course #(s)</u>	<u>Completed/ Grade(s)</u>	<u>Needed</u>
<b><u>MASON CORE REQUIREMENTS (*37)</u></b>			
a. Written Communication: ENGH 101 (100), ENGH 302 (C or better) (3,3)		___ ___	___ ___
b. Oral Communication: COMM 100 or 101 (please circle choice) (3)		___ ___	___ ___
c. Quantitative Reasoning ( <b>satisfied by completion of major requirements</b> )			
d. Literature (3)	_____	_____	_____
e. Arts (3)	_____	_____	_____
f. Western Civilization (3)	_____	_____	_____
g. Social & Behavioral Science (3) (e.g., ECON 103)	_____	_____	_____
h. Natural Science (4,3)	_____, _____	_____	_____
i. Global Understanding (3) (satisfied by ECON 360, 361, 362, 380, 390)	_____	_____	_____
j. IT 104 or CS 112 and a computer ethics course (circle choice) (3-5)	_____	_____	_____
k. Synthesis (3) ( <b>may be satisfied by ECON 309</b> )	_____	_____	_____

Go to: <http://masoncore.gmu.edu> to link to information on Mason Core requirements.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS (10)**

a. MATH 113 and MATH 114 (4 & 4)	a. ___ ___	___ ___
b. STAT 250, 350 (3,3) or STAT 344, 354 (3,3)	b. ___ ___	___ ___

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (36 hours of Economics; 27 hours of concentration)**

a. *ECON 103, 104 (3, 3)	a. ___ ___	___ ___
b. ECON 306, 311 (3, 3)	b. ___ ___	___ ___
c. ECON 345 (writing intensive course), 412 (3, 3)	c. ___ ___	___ ___
d. Eighteen hours of economics course work at the 300- and 400-level (excludes ECON 385)(list course #'s) (18)		
1. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
2. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
3. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
4. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
5. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
6. ECON _____	___ ___	___ ___
e. Four courses in philosophy (12)		
1. PHIL 324/GOVT 324 or PHIL 327/GOVT 327; PHIL 357 or PHIL 371 (3,3)	___ ___	___ ___
2. PHIL 358,411 (3,3)	___ ___	___ ___
f. Four courses in international affairs (12)		
1. GOVT 103; GOVT 323/PHIL 323 (3,3)	___ ___	___ ___
2. GOVT 422, 467 (3,3)	___ ___	___ ___
g. One capstone experience course: GOVT 469 or PHIL 460/ECON 460 (3)	___ ___	___ ___

**If ECON 340 is chosen as an ECON elective in the major, students need not take MATH 114. However, MATH 114 is strongly recommended for students considering graduate school in economics and is required for most programs.**

**\* A grade of "C" or better is required in ECON 103, 104 before students may enroll in any economics course beyond the 100-level. Students need to maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 in the major.**

**GENERAL ELECTIVES** (List courses) may include additional courses in support specialties) may include additional courses in support specialties) Only MLSC courses at the 400-level can be used for credit for a degree in the college; credit for other MLSC courses may not be used toward a CHSS degree. At most 3 credits of 100-level RECR coursework may be taken to satisfy the degree requirements of any CHSS major, and these courses will be applied toward student's general electives.

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**MINIMUM HOURS TO GRADUATE: 120**

<b>UPPER DIVISION HOURS (minimum 45):</b>
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# COURSE LISTS (ECONOMICS, BS WITH CONCENTRATION IN PHILOSOPHY, POLITICS, AND ECONOMICS)

## Mason Core Requirements

Written Communication: ENGH 101 (or 100) and ENGH 302

Oral Communication: COMM 100 or COMM 101

Quantitative Reasoning: MATH 113. The Math Placement Test is required to take MATH 113. See this web site for more information: [http://math.gmu.edu/placement\\_test.php](http://math.gmu.edu/placement_test.php)

Literature: ARAB 325; CHIN 310, 311, 325, 328; CLAS 250, 260, 340, 350, 360, 380; ENGH 201, 202, 203, 204; FREN 325, 329; FRLN 330; GERM 325; ITAL 320, 325; JAPA 340; KORE 311; PHIL 253; RELI 235, 333; RUSS 325, 326, 327; SPAN 325

Arts: ARTH 101, 102, 103, 200, 201, 203, 204, 206, 321, 322, 324, 333, 334, 335, 340, 341, 342, 344, 345, 360, 362, 370, 372, 373, 376; AVT 103, 104, 215, 222, 232, 243, 252, 253, 262, 272, 385; DANC 101, 119, 125, 131, 145, 161, 225, 231, 245, 301, 325, 331, 345, 425, 445, 390, 391; ENGH 370, 372, 396; FAVS 225; GAME 101; MUSI 100, 101, 102, 107, 280, 301, 302, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 387, 389, 485; PHIL 156; THR 101, 150, 151, 210, 230, 395, 411, 412.

Western Civilization: HIST 100 or 125; transfer students may substitute: the following courses for HIST 100: HIST 101, 102, 301, 302, 304, 305, 306, 308, 309, 312, 314, 322, 388, 436, 480; and the following courses for HIST 125: HIST 202, 387.

Social and Behavioral Sciences: ECON 100, **103, 104**, 105, 367

Natural Sciences: ASTR 111/112, 113/114, 115; BIOL 103, 104; BIOL 213; CDS 101/102; CHEM 103,104,155,156; CHEM 211/213, 212/214, 251; CLIM 102, 111/112; EVPP 110,111; GEOL 101,102; GGS 121; PHYS 103,104; PHYS 111/112; PHYS 243/244, 245/246; PHYS 160/161, 260/261; 262/263

Non-lab: ANTH 135; ASTR 103, 302; BIOL 140; CHEM 101, 102, 201, 202; CLIM 101; EVPP 201; GEOL 134; GGS 102; NUTR 295; PHYS 106; PROV 301

Global Understanding: ANTH 302, 306, 307, 308, 309, 312, 313, 316, 331, 332, 382; ARTH 319, 320, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386; BUS 200; CEIE 100; COMM 305, 456; CRIM 405; DANC 118, 318, 418; **ECON 360, 361, 362, 380, 390**; ENGH 362, 366; FAVS 300; FRLN 331; GCH 205; GGS 101; GLOA 101; GOVT 132, 133; HIST 251, 252, 261, 262, 271, 272, 281, 282, 328, 329, 356, 357, 358, 360, 364, 365, 387, 460, 462; JAPA 310; MBUS 305; MUSI 103, 431; PHIL 243; PSYC 379; RELI 100, 211, 212, 313, 315, 320, 322, 341, 374; RUSS 354; SOCI 120, 320, 332; SPAN 322, 466; SYST 202; THR 359, TOUR 210; WMST 100

Information Technology: IT 104 or CS 112 and CDS 151, CEIE 409, CS 105, ENGR 107, IT 304, PHIL 112

Synthesis/Capstone: ANTH 400; ARAB 351, 440; ARTH 394; ASTR 402; ATEP 441; AVT 385, 497, 498; BENG 492, 493; BINF 354; BIOL 301; BIS 490; BUS 498; CEIE 490; COMM 326, 362, 454; CONF 490; CONS 490, 491; CRIM 495; CS 306; DANC 490; ECE 492, 493; **ECON 309**; EDCI 490; EVPP 480; FAVS 352; FRLN 385; GAME 490; GCH 465; GEOL 420; GGS 303, 304; GOVT 490, 491; HAP 465; HDFS 400; HIST 300, 499; INTS 308; IT 492; LAS 499; MATH 400; MUSI 490; NURS 465; PHIL 309, 343, 377, 378, 379; PHYS 346; PROV 342; PSYC 405, 406, 427; RELI 490; RUSS 353; SOCI 377, 483; SOCW 375; SPAN 388; SYST 495; THR 440, 496