

Master's Programme in Economics

Masterprogram i nationalekonomi

120 credits

F7MNA

Valid from: 2026 Autumn semester

Determined by

Board of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences

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Chairman of the Course and Programme Syllabus Board at the Faculty of Arts and Sciences

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Offered first time

Autumn semester 2024

Offered for the last time

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Content

The heading "Curriculum" contains a list of courses included in the programme. The course syllabuses for these describe in more detail the contents, teaching and working methods, and examination.

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Entry requirements

- Bachelor's degree equivalent to a Swedish Kandidatexamen in Economics or Bachelor's degree equivalent to a Swedish Kandidatexamen in other relevant subject area within Social or Behavioural Science and Economics, basic courses, 30 ECTS credits, Economics, continuation courses, 30 ECTS credits and Economics, in-depth courses, 30 ECTS credits, with at least 60 ECTS credits approved or equivalent
- English and Swedish corresponding to the level of English and Swedish in Swedish upper secondary education (Engelska 6 or Engelska nivå 2 and Svenska 3 or Svenska nivå 3)

Degree in Swedish

Ekonomie masterexamen eller Filosofie masterexamen med huvudområde Nationalekonomi

Degree in English

Degree of Master of Science (120 credits) with a major in Economics

Specific information

Transferred credits

Decisions about transferring credit are taken by the faculty board, or by a person designated by the board, after application from the student.

Other information

If special circumstances prevail, the vice-chancellor may in a special decision specify the preconditions for temporary deviations from this programme syllabus, and delegate the right to take such decisions.

Curriculum

Semester 1 (Autumn 2026)

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730A25	Microeconomic Theory	7.5	A1N	v202634-202643	C
730A28	Game Theory	7.5	A1N	v202634-202643	C
730A30	Econometrics: Analysis of Cross-Section and Panel Data Material	7.5	A1N	v202644-202703	C
730A33	Macroeconomic Theory	7.5	A1N	v202644-202703	C

Semester 2 (Spring 2027)

Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730G84	Practical Training	30	A1N		E
730G86	Practical Training	15	A1N		E
770G03	Behavioural Economics	7.5	G1F		E
770G17	Mathematical Methods in Economics	7.5	G1F		E
770G23	Cost-Benefit Analysis	7.5	G1F		E
770G24	Intermediate Macroeconomics	7.5	G1F		E
770G25	Health Economics and Ethics	7.5	G1F		E
770G27	Labour Economics	7.5	G1F		E
770G29	Corporate Finance	7.5	G1F		E
770G30	International Financial and Fixed Income Management	7.5	G1F		E
770G31	Industrial Organisation	7.5	G1F		E
770G40	Game Theory and Politics	7.5	G1F		E

Semester 3 (Autumn 2027)

Specialisation: Finance – Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730A29	Financial Risk Management - Portfolio Theory and Derivatives	15	A1N		C
730A31	Econometric Time Series	7.5	A1N		C
730A44	Advanced Topics in Applied Macrofinance	7.5	A1N		C

Specialisation: Public Policy – Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730A40	Methods in Social and Behavioral Science	7.5	A1N		C
730A41	Economic Psychology and Public Policy	7.5	A1N		C
730A42	Public Economics	7.5	A1N		C
730A43	Advanced Topics in Applied Microeconomics	7.5	A1N		C

Semester 4 (Spring 2028)

Specialisation: Finance – Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730A10	Master Thesis in Economics	30	A2E		C

Specialisation: Public Policy – Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
730A10	Master Thesis in Economics	30	A2E		C

ECV = Elective / Compulsory / Voluntary

*Kursen läses över flera terminer