B.A. in Economics

Learning Outcomes

Students will be able to:

- Define economic concepts needed to analyze issues in the popular press.
- Identify the function of key economic institutions, such as the Federal Reserve System.
- Apply the supply and demand framework to analyze the impact of exogenous changes on price and output of goods and services.
- Differentiate the pricing and output decisions of firms operating under varying conditions of competition.
- Design and construct a basic macroeconomic model and apply it to illustrate the concept of macroeconomic equilibrium.
- Assess the potential impact of government interventions on individuals, markets and/or the macroeconomy.
- Gain exposure to the application of economic concepts/models in a variety of fields within economics (e.g., Labor Economics, Health Economics, Urban Economics, International Economics, Development Economics, History of Economic Thought, Financial Economics, etc).

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