

# Graduate Certificate in Economic Studies (8 units) Program Code: 5602 Program Structure (from 2024)

It is important that you read and understand the following information.

To be eligible to enrol in the **Graduate Certificate in Economic Studies (#8)** you must satisfy the entry requirements as outlined in the program rules.

The following information is designed to help you plan your enrolment.

Students should be aware of the University of Queensland policies and rules which govern the conduct of UQ programs. These may be found on the [UQ policies and rules](#) page on the [my.UQ website](#). Further information can be found on the Courses and Programs website:

[https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/program.html?acad\\_prog=5602](https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/program.html?acad_prog=5602)

## **PROGRAM GUIDELINES**

**Complete 8 units comprising:**

- 8 units for GCEconSt Core Courses

If Exemptions apply for **Core courses**, students are to undertake replacement ECON7\*\*\* Elective courses (excluding ECON7002). Please contact the School by email: [econ.pgrad@uq.edu.au](mailto:econ.pgrad@uq.edu.au) for further advice regarding approval of specific replacement courses.

You are not required to submit a program plan for approval. However, if you have any questions or concerns about meeting degree requirements, please contact the School of Economics at: [econ.pgrad@uq.edu.au](mailto:econ.pgrad@uq.edu.au).

Students with an **Articulation Offer** to one of the School's Master (32 units) programs:

- [Master of Economics \(32 unit\)\\*](#)
- [Master of International Economics & Finance \(32 units\)](#)

should also subsequently refer to the study plan for the specific Master (32 units) program available on the School's website: <https://economics.uq.edu.au/program-plans>

\* From 2024 the **Master of Economics** program includes four Plan Options (10 units of courses) including

No field of study/flexible core  
And Applied Econometrics (field of study)  
Economics and Public Policy (field of study)  
Health Economics (field of study)

A study plan ensures pre-requisite courses are completed first. Students should not attempt courses where they have not completed the UQ pre-requisite(s) or an alternative comparable course completed at undergraduate or postgraduate level.

**GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN ECONOMIC STUDIES (8 UNITS)  
PROGRAM PLAN**

*You can use this outline to plan your program if you are commencing in Semester 1 (Feb-June).*

Courses	Units	Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>		<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
<b>Semester 1</b>			
<a href="#">ECON7000</a> Foundations in Microeconomics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7001</a> Foundations in Macroeconomics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7150</a> Mathematical Techniques for Economics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7300</a> Statistics for Business and Economics	2		
<b>Total Units</b>			<b>8</b>

**GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN ECONOMIC STUDIES (8 UNITS)  
PROGRAM PLAN**

*You can use this outline to plan your program if you are commencing in Semester 2 (July-Nov).*

Courses	Units	Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>		<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
<b>Semester 2</b>			
<a href="#">ECON7000</a> Foundations in Microeconomics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7001</a> Foundations in Macroeconomics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7150</a> Mathematical Techniques for Economics	2		
<a href="#">ECON7300</a> Statistics for Business and Economics	2		
<b>YEAR TWO</b>		<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
<b>Total Units</b>			<b>8</b>