

## Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences



### ECON2M1 Master en sciences économiques, orientation générale (Master of Economic Sciences : general orientation )



#### Programme management

ECON Département des sciences économiques

#### Study objectives

This master's degree course has the objective of giving basic training in economic analysis to university graduates (or bachelors). Besides providing instruction in microeconomics and macroeconomics, the programme offers a wide choice in specific economic domains.

#### Admission conditions

A basic background in Economics, Mathematics and Statistics is necessary to follow the Master's programme in Economic Sciences, 60 credits. Students not possessing these bases have the possibility to follow the preparatory study programme organised by the Faculty.

<u>ESPO2100</u>	Political economy[30h+15h] (in French)	Henri Sneessens
<u>ESPO2101</u>	Mathematics in economics and management[30h+15h] (in French)	Françoise Lefèvre
<u>ESPO2102</u>	Statistics[30h+15h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Dominique Deprins

#### Admission procedures

The regular conditions and admission application procedures are detailed on the WEB page : "Access to Studies": <http://www.ucl.ac.be/etudes/libres/acces.html>

#### Programme content

##### Foundation courses (24 credits)

<u>ECON2115</u>	Micro-economics[60h+30h] (12 credits) (in French)	Jacques-François Thisse
<u>ECON2125</u>	Macro-economics[60h+30h] (12 credits) (in French)	David De la Croix, Frédéric Docquier

The content of these courses is spread over the two quadrimesters. A compulsory test is organised in January, the result of which will count explicitly in the final evaluation.

##### Specific courses (20 credits)

<u>ECGE1316</u>	Econometrics[20h+15h] (3 credits) (in French)	Luc Bauwens, Christian Hafner (supplée Luc Bauwens)
<u>ECGE1326</u>	Applied Econometrics[22.5h] (3 credits) (in French)	Fatemeh Shadman Valavi
<i>The courses ECGE1316 and ECGE1326 are inseparable and considered as making only a single course</i>		
<u>ECON2207</u>	Labour economics[30h+15h] (6 credits) (in French)	Bart Cockx, Bruno Van der Linden
<u>ECON2208</u>	International Trade[30h+15h] (6 credits) (in French)	Philippe Monfort

These courses include the supervised study of a particular project (or part of a project) or articles which are not covered in the strict sense of the word, but only referred to, during the lectures. These reading tasks are complementary to the lectures. The 15 hours of practical exercises planned for these sessions will facilitate assimilation and discussion of the actual content and will therefore not constitute "revision" periods but rather group work sessions. The student will have to submit a succinct personal report and part of the final exam score will be specifically reserved for these complementary reading tasks. Furthermore, the subject matter covered by these complementary readings will likewise form part of the exam content.

##### Two course to be selected from among :

<u>ECON2252</u>	History of Economic and Social Development[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Isabelle Cassiers
<u>ECON2253</u>	Philosophy and epistemology of economic science[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Christian Arnsperger
<u>ECON2254</u>	Economic and Social Ethics[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Philippe Van Parijs

<u>ECON2231</u>	International monetary relations[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Bernard Delbecque
<u>ECON2232</u>	Economics and industrial policies[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Elisabeth Van Hecke
<u>ECON2233</u>	Economics of education[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Vincent Vandenberghe
<u>ECON2234</u>	Growth and economic structures in Belgium[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Luc Denayer (supplée null)
<u>ECON2235</u>	Non-commercial economics[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Marthe Nyssens
<u>ECON2236</u>	Economics of health[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Marie-Christine Closon
<u>ECON2237</u>	Applied macro-economics[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Daniel Weiserbs
<u>ECON2238</u>	Financial economics[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Pierre Giot
<u>ECON2240</u>	Economy of the public sector[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Bart Cockx, Jean Hindriks
<u>ECON2243</u>	Game and Information Theory[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Hylke Vandenbussche
<u>ECON2244</u>	General Equilibrium Theory[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	François Maniquet
<u>ECON2245</u>	Econometrics[30h+15h] (4 credits) (in French)	Luc Bauwens
<u>ECON2249</u>	Regional Economics[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Jacques-François Thisse
<u>ECON2251</u>	History of Economic Theories[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Michel De Vroey
<b>One workshop to be selected from among :</b>		
<u>ECON2198D</u>	Atelier I Les facteurs d'incidence de l'implantation de sociétés étrangères[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	N.
<u>ECON2199C</u>	Atelier II Bases théoriques de la politique économique[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	N.

**Final course thesis (12 credits)**