Use the following form to declare your Economics Major Specialization. You may only choose one specialization, and it will be listed on your transcript, not on your diploma. You must submit this form before you file to graduate if you intend to have a specialization noted.

First Name: ___________________________   Last Name: ___________________________

Student ID number: _____ - _____ - _____   Email address: _________________@ ucdavis.edu

What quarter are you filed to graduate: ______________________

Which Specialization would you like to declare? You may only select ONE of the following:

☐ General Track (no specialization)
☐ Behavior and Strategy
☐ Data Analytics and Economic Analysis
☐ Economic History
☐ International Macro-Finance
☐ Policy
☐ Poverty and Inequality

Signature: ___________________________   Date: ___________________________

This form will be recorded in your OASIS academic file. If you need to make any changes, please let a major advisor know so we can plan accordingly.

Please return form to:
Economics, History and East Asian Studies Advising Center
2216 Social Sciences and Humanities Building
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530-752-9241
# Economic Major Specializations

After completing the four ECN core and one of the ECN History, you may choose to follow one of the specialization tracks, which can be helpful when selecting ECN ADV or ECN ELC courses. If you choose to follow any one of these specializations or follow the general track, you will still need to complete a total of 3 ECN Advanced and 3 ECN Elective courses.

## Behavior and Strategy
Students will examine decision-making especially as it relates to businesses and the impact of market structures. Possible career paths would include market research analyst for a company as well as associate at a consulting firm.

*Required: either ECN 121A or ECN 122
Plus: Choose 2 others from the following options:
- ECN 103: Economics of Uncertainty and Information
- ECN 106: Decision Making
- ECN 121A: Industrial Organization
- ECN 121B: Industrial Organization
- ECN 122: Theory of Games and Strategic Behavior

## Data Analytics and Economic Analysis
Students will examine theories and models used to analyze data, identify empirical patterns, forecast economic variables, and make decisions. Possible career paths would include data scientist for a company or a data analyst position in the healthcare or related industry.

*Required: ECN 140: Econometrics
Plus: Choose 2 from the following options:
- ECN 103: Economics of Uncertainty and Information
- ECN 106: Decision Making
- ECN 121A: Industrial Organization
- ECN 121B: Industrial Organization
- ECN 122: Theory of Games and Strategic Behavior

## Economic History
Students will investigate the economies of the past and how historical trends and events have shaped our current and possible future economic landscape. Possible career paths would include law school or secondary education social studies teacher.

*Choose 3 from the following options:
- ECN 110A: World Econ History Before the Industrial Revolution
- ECN 110B: World Econ History Since the Industrial Revolution
- ECN 111A: Economic History (U.S.)
- ECN 111B: Economic History (U.S.)
- ECN 117 with Perez
- Any one Upper division course from the History Major (must let an advisor know in advance)

## International Macro-Finance
Students will learn about the interdependent world using the tools of macroeconomics and finance. Possible career paths would include analyst at a financial company or international economist for a governmental agency or non-profit.

*Choose 3 from the following options:
- ECN 110B: World Econ Hist. Since the Industrial Revolution
- ECN 134: Financial Economics
- ECN 135: Money, Banks, and Financial Institutions
- ECN 136: Topics in Macroeconomic Theory
- ECN 160B: International Macroeconomics
- ECN 171: Economy of East Asia

## Policy
Students will learn about the design, implementation, and impact of governmental economic policies. Possible career paths would include policy analyst for a government agency or research analyst for a private think tank.

*Choose 3 from the following options:
- ECN 125: Energy Economics
- ECN 130: Public Microeconomics
- ECN 131: Public Finance
- ECN 132: Health Economics
- ECN 145: Transportation Economics
- ECN 151A: Economics of the Labor Market
- ECN 151B: Economics of Human Resources
- ECN 160A: International Microeconomics

## Poverty and Inequality
Students will examine the issues of economic growth, development, and inequality from an individual as well as national level. Possible career paths would include analyst for a non-profit advocacy group or development economist for an international agency.

*Choose 3 from the following options:
- ECN 115A or ARE 115A: Economic Development
- ECN 115B (or 115BY or ARE 115B): Economic Development
- ECN 130: Public Microeconomics
- ECN 133Y: Poverty, Inequality and Public Policy
- ECN 151B: Economics of Human Resources
- ECN 190 with Rezaee or Singhal

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