

Study program of the Master in Economics (MScE) with BEE specialization 2019-2020

Courses	Professor	Semester	ECTS	Hours	Evaluation*
Module 1					
Econometrics	M. Pellizzari	4.1	7.5	4h+1	E 2h
Macroeconomics	K. Benhima	4.1	7.5	3h+2	E 3h
Microeconomics	B. Klaus	4.1	7.5	4h+1	E 3h
Mathematics for Economic Policy	M. Raghavan	4.1	1.5	1h	E 2h
Genes, Populations, and Evolution	L. Lehmann	4.1	6	4h	E oral
Module 2					
Advanced Topics in Industrial Organization	J. Montez/C. Bach	4.2	6	4h	A, B
Behavior, Economics and Evolution Lecture Series	L. Lehmann/L. Santos-Pinto	4.2	6	4h	A, C
Business Cycles	F. Bilbiie	4.2	6	4h	E 4h
Economic Growth	J. Bugge/T. Rotesi	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Environmental Economics	S. Di Falco	4.2	3	2h	E 2h
Financial Institutions & Regulation	A. Bruhin	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Game Theory	B. Klaus	4.2	6	4h	A, B
International Macroeconomics	P. Bacchetta	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Leadership Development (course moved to Autumn 2020)	S. Bendahan	4.2	3	2h	E 2h
Macroeconometrics	J.-P. Renne	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Microeconometrics	J. Maurer	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Political and Institutional Economics	A. Saia	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Public Economics	C. Terrier	4.2	6	4h	E 2h
Programming	S. Scheidegger	4.2	6	4h	TBA
The Evolution of Cooperation: From Genes to Learning and Culture	L. Lehmann	4.2	3	2h	E oral
Optional courses from the faculty of Biology and Medicine (FBM)					
- Biological Invasions	C. Bertelsmeier	4.2	1.5		
- Co-evolution, Mutualism, Parasitism	I. Sanders	4.2	1.5		
- Current Problems in Conservation Biology	C. Wedekind	4.2	3		
- Introduction to Primate Behavior, Cognition and Culture	E. van de Waal	4.2	1.5		
- Plant Range Dynamics and Global Change	C. Randin	4.2	1.5		
- Spatial Modelling of Species and Biodiversity	A. Guisan	4.2	3		
Behavioral Economics	L. Santos-Pinto	5.1	6	4h	A, B
Development Economics	E. Esposito/J. Bugge	5.1	6	4h	A, B
Dynamic Macroeconomic Models	C. Cahn	5.1	6	4h	A, B
Experimental Methods	R. Hakimov	5.1	6	4h	A, B, C
Health Economics	J. Maurer/M. Dusheiko	5.1	6	4h	E 1h30, A, B
International Trade	M. Brühlhart/E. Milet	5.1	6	4h	E 2h
Labor Economics and Policy	R. Lalive	5.1	3	2h	A, C
Macro Finance	P. St-Amour	5.1	3	2h	E 2h
Macroeconomics of Financial Crises	A. Tischbirek	5.1	6	4h	E 2h
Macroeconomic Policy	K. Benhima	5.1	6	2h	A, B
Organizational Theory and Decision Making	C. Zehnder	5.1	6	4h	E 2h
Regulatory Economics	C. Thoeni	5.1	3	2h	E 2h
Human Behavior and Evolutionary Inference	C. Efferson	5.1	6	4h	
Optional course from the faculty of Biology and Medicine (FBM)					
- Animal Communication and Parasitism	P. Christe/A. Roulin	5.1	1.5		
- Major Transitions in Evolution	Y. Ulrich	5.1	1.5		
Module 3					
Master Thesis		5.2	30		
ECTS foundation courses					30
ECTS compulsory courses					12
ECTS elective courses					12
ECTS elective courses					36
ECTS Master thesis					30

How to read this study plan?

The BEE specialization consists of three modules and lasts four semesters.

The first module, semester 4.1, is a common track including the refresher course Ecology and Evolution (6 ECTS).

The second module, semesters 4.2 and 5.1, offers a range of courses.

- you must attend the compulsory courses (12 ECTS) recognized for the BEE (in green).

- you must also choose (12 ECTS) from the list of elective courses (in yellow) recognized for the BEE including (3 ECTS) among the list of the FBM courses.

- you must also choose (36 ECTS) from the list of elective courses (in white).

The third module, semester 5.2, consists of your Master thesis.

In addition, 6 ECTS may be taken in courses of other Masters' programs not covered by this study plan. However, doing that requires the approval of the MScE director.

Evaluation*

A = presentation

B = exercises

C = written report

E = exam