

## Admission Requirements

For information on applying to Eastern Michigan University, please visit [www.emich.edu/admissions](http://www.emich.edu/admissions)

### Scholarships and Financial Aid

A variety of scholarships and student loans are available through EMU.

[www.emich.edu/finaid](http://www.emich.edu/finaid)

[www.emich.edu/economics/opp-scholarships](http://www.emich.edu/economics/opp-scholarships)

### Student Organizations

#### ■ Economics Club:

An informal forum for students to exchange information and engage in discussions on economic, political and social issues of interest.



Economics Club

#### ■ Omicron Delta Epsilon:

The Economics Department houses the ETA chapter of the Omicron Delta Epsilon International Honor Society for Economics, which recognizes scholastic achievements in the field of economics.

#### For more information:

[www.emich.edu/economics/opp-recreational](http://www.emich.edu/economics/opp-recreational)

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## Great Depression VS. Great Recession

Kara L. Binning



Faculty sponsored student participation in EMU's Annual Undergraduate Symposium

## Career Options



## Eastern Michigan University Economics Department

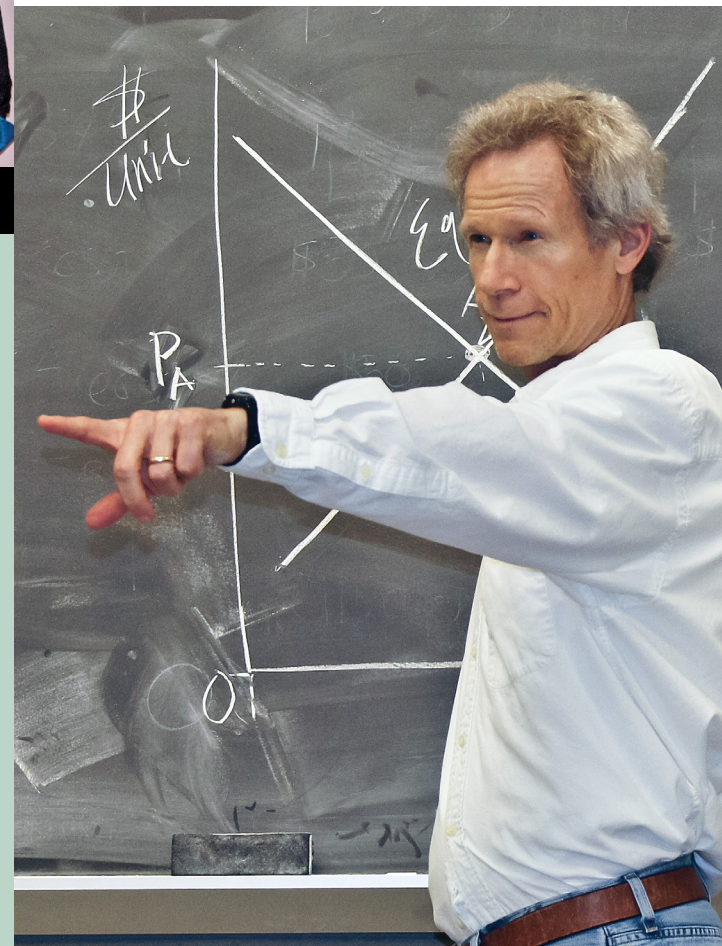
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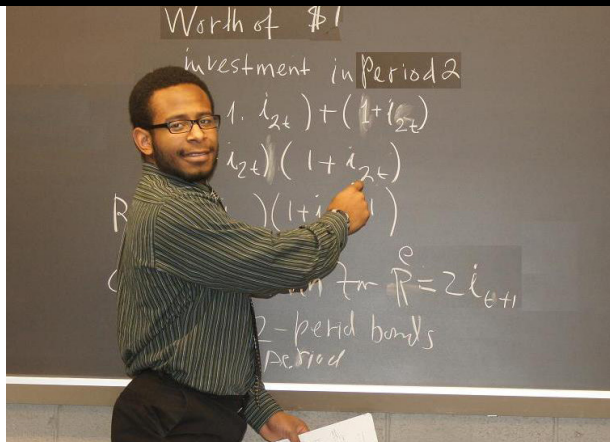
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## College of Arts & Sciences Economics Undergraduate Programs



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Student's class participation

## Why economics?

Economics provides an unmatched skill set for careers in many different areas. Economics is everywhere in almost all aspects of our lives and a degree in economics prepares you with the tools to manage those aspects efficiently.

In recent years, the field has expanded into many non-traditional areas such as environmental policy, financial markets and health economics. Other interesting fields include economics of forensic studies, crime, sports, poverty, gender, discrimination and public choice economics, involving political issues.

### Diverse opportunities for graduate studies



With an undergraduate degree in economics, aside from graduate studies in economics, one can pursue graduate studies in almost all areas of liberal arts or business. The same is true when it comes to job applications and opportunities.

## Undergraduate Programs

### Bachelor of Arts or Science in Economics

Students earn a major in economics while pursuing a bachelor's degree in the College of Arts and Sciences.

### Bachelor of Business Administration in Economics

Provides a basic understanding of the theoretical foundations and tools of economic analysis so that students gain competence in economic theory and its uses. Students earn a major in economics while pursuing a bachelor's degree in the College of Business.

### Bachelor of Arts or Science in Actuarial Science

This joint program of the Economics and Mathematics departments is a very job-specific major. It prepares students to successfully complete examinations offered by the leading actuarial societies, which are required for work in the insurance industry. For more information go to: [www.math.emich.edu/ProgramActuarial.html](http://www.math.emich.edu/ProgramActuarial.html).



Professor-student interaction

### Economics Minors

The next best alternative to an economics major both for increasing job prospects and in pursuing graduate studies—especially for those majoring in other liberal arts subjects and business—is having a minor in economics.

The requirement for a minor in economics is ECON 201 (Principles of Macroeconomics) and ECON 202 (Principles of Microeconomics), plus 14 hours of electives which can be non-quantitative courses.



Honors College

## Honors Programs

The Economics Department regularly offers honors sections of Economics 201 and 202. All faculty members are available to work with honors students on honors contracts for individual classes and on honors theses. For more information, please visit [www.emich.edu/honors](http://www.emich.edu/honors).

### Areas of Concentration

