Moorpark College
Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer (AA-T)

Program Goals and Objectives

The Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer Degree (AA-T in Economics) will provide a clear pathway and to assist students in effortlessly transferring to a California State University (CSU). Completion of the AA-T in Economics ensures transfer students will complete the lower-division general education requirements as well as the lower division major requirements for a bachelor's degree in Economics prior to transferring.

Program Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this program a student will be able to:
- demonstrate critical thinking skills, analyze abstract economic theories and concepts, and transition from the concrete to the abstract in economic thinking.

Catalog Description

The Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer (AA-T in Economics) is intended for students who plan to transfer and complete a bachelor's degree in Economics, or a "similar" major at a CSU campus. Each CSU campus determines which of the degrees it offers are "similar" and can be completed with the preparation included in the AA-T in Economics within 60 units once a student transfers, so which majors are "similar" varies from CSU to CSU. For a current list of what majors (and what options or areas of emphasis within that major) have been designed as "similar" to this degree at each CSU campus, please visit the CSU's Associate Degree for Transfer Major and Campus Search webpage and seek guidance from a Moorpark College counselor. Students completing this AA-T degree are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not necessarily to a particular CSU campus or major of choice.

To earn an AA-T in Economics degree, students must:
1. Complete a minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
   a. The California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) requirements.
   b. The coursework required for the AA-T in Economics as listed in the Moorpark College catalog.

2. Complete all courses in the major and the Cal-GETC with a grade of "C" or better or "Pass/Credit" if the course is taken on a "pass-no-pass" basis. Even though a "Pass/Credit" grade is allowed, it is highly recommended that students complete their major courses with a letter grade (A, B, or C). **Note:** the UC system allows a maximum of 14 semester (21

quarter) units of courses graded "Pass/Credit" toward the 60 transferable semester units required for transfer admission.

3. Obtain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework. While a minimum GPA of 2.0 is required for admission, some transfer institutions and majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.

4. Complete a minimum of 12 semester units within the Ventura County Community College District.

Students transferring to a CSU campus that accepts the AA-T in Economics will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree (unless the major is a designated "high-unit" major at a particular campus). This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to a university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor to obtain more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

Course ID	Title	Units/Hours
REQUIRED CORE COURSES: Select and complete the following		
ECON M201	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON M202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
or ECON M202H	Honors: Principles of Macroeconomics	
MATH M16A	Applied Calculus I	3-5
or MATH M25A	Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	
or MATH M25AH	Honors: Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	
STAT C1000	Introduction to Statistics	4
or STAT C1000H	Introduction to Statistics - Honors	
Units from LIST A		3-5
Units from LIST B		3-5
Total Units for the Major		**19-25**

Course ID	Title	Units/Hours
LIST A: Select and complete one course		
ACCT M110	Financial Accounting	3
ACCT M120	Managerial Accounting	3
BUS M39	Business Communication	3

Course ID	Title	Units/Hours
BUS M140	Business Information Systems	3
COMM M07	Argumentation and Debate	3
CS M125	Programming Concepts and Methodology I	3
MATH M25B	Calculus with Analytic Geometry II	5
or MATH M25BH	Honors: Calculus with Analytic Geometry II	
MATH M35	Applied Differential Equations	3
POLS C1000	American Government and Politics	3
or POLS C1000H	American Government and Politics - Honors	
SOC M110	Introduction to Sociology	3
or SOC M110H	Honors: Introduction to Sociology	
LIST B: Select and complete one course		
Any course not used in LIST A		
ECON M170	Economic History of the US	3
MATH M25C	Calculus with Analytic Geometry III	5
MATH M31	Introduction to Linear Algebra	3
Total Units for the Major		**19-25**
General Education (Cal-GETC)		34
Double-Counted Units		6-9
Elective Units		7-16
Total Units for the AA-T Degree		**60**