

KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

(40100)

B.A. IN Economics

120 S.H.

Minimum GPA Required for Declaration: 2.0

Minimum GPA Required for Major: 2.0

Overall Minimum GPA Required for Graduation: 2.0

EFFECTIVE DATE: Fall 2019

GENERAL EDUCATION 41-42 Semester Hours (S.H.)		ACADEMIC MAJOR***	
Foundation Requirements: ¹	13 S.H.	Major Required Courses:	39 S.H. (Total)
GE 1000 Transition to Kean ² –or– GE 3000 Transfer Transitions ²	1	ECO 1020 Principles of Macroeconomics I	3
ENG 1030 Compositions ³	3	ECO 1021 Principles of Microeconomics II	3
MATH 1000;1010; 1016; 1030; or 1054	3	ECO 2120 Statistics for Business and Economics	3
COMM 1402 Speech Communication	3	ECO 3020 Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
GE 2023 Research & Technology	3	ECO 3021 Intermediate Microeconomics	3
		ECO 3300 Money and Banking	3
Disciplinary & Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirements: ¹	28-29 S.H.	ECO 4200 Introduction to Econometrics	3
Humanities	9 S.H. (from different areas)	ECO 3200 Intro to Quantitative Methods in Economics	
*ENG 2403 World Literature	3	OR MATH 2400 Calculus for Business and Economics	3
Take two "GE Approved" courses from two areas below:		Major Elective Courses: ⁵	15 S.H.
Fine Arts/Art History	3	Select 5 Economic Electives	
Philosophy or Religion	3	ECO	3
Foreign Languages (Must take I and II for credit)	3	ECO	3
Music or Theatre	3	ECO	3
Interdisciplinary	3	ECO	3
		ECO	3
Social Sciences	9 S.H. (from different areas)		
*HIST 1062 Worlds of History	3		
Take two "GE Approved" courses from two areas below:		Major Capstone Course**: WE	3 S.H.
Psychology	3	ECO 4500 Selected Topics in Economics	3
Economics or ES 1010-World Geography	3		
Political Science	3		
Sociology or Anthropology	3		
Interdisciplinary	3	FREE ELECTIVES	36-37 S.H.
		at least 50% must be 3000/4000 level	
Science and Mathematics	10 or 11 S.H.	ECO 1996 Freshman Research(Optional) ⁴	
MATH 1000; 1010;1016;1030;1054; or CPS 1032;1231	3	ECO 3291-3293 Internship(optional) ⁵	1-3
Lab Science (from Biology; Chemistry; Environmental Sciences; Earth Sciences; Forensic Sciences; Interdisciplinary; Physics; or Sustainability Sciences)	4		
Additional "GE Approved" Science Course	3-4	Special Notes:	
		¹ See pre-requisites and equivalencies (on page 2)	
		² University requirement for graduation for all undergraduate students that must be satisfied in one of two ways: Complete GE 1000 (all freshmen and transfers entering with 0-29 credits) OR complete GE 3000 (transfers entering with 30 credits or more)	
		³ ENG 1030 requires grade of C or higher	
		⁴ Freshman may partner with faculty to earn one credit as a free elective, which may be taken up to two times	
		⁵ ECO 3293 is a 3 credit internship course which may be used to fulfill major and/or free electives; ECO 3291 (1 credit), and ECO 3292 (2 credit) will be used to fulfill free electives. A maximum of 6 credits can be taken in ECO 3291-3293.	
WE-Writing Emphasis Course		*GE Distribution course required of all students	
		**Course required by Major	
		***All Major courses require a grade of C or better	

GENERAL EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL EDUCATION INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Testing and Placement

Incoming freshmen and transfer students may be placed in specific GE Foundations, Developmental or ESL courses as a result of testing prior to registration. Students may be exempt from testing due to SAT scores or prior college work.

Prerequisites and Equivalencies for GE Foundations Courses

GE 1000

Required of all freshmen & transfers entering with 0-29 credits

Prereq: None

Equiv: ID 1001

GE 3000

Required of transfers entering with 30 credits or more

Prereq: 30 credits and ENG 1030

ENG 1030

Prereq: Placement testing or exemption from placement testing

Equiv: ENG 1031/1032, ENG 1033/1034, ENG 1430, ENG 1620, ENG 1020, ENG 1400

MATH 1000 or 1010 or 1016 or 1030

Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing

Equiv of MATH 1000: MATH 1001/1002, MATH 1003/1004, MATH 1051

MATH 1044 or 1054

Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing and MATH 1000

COMM 1402

Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1031/1032 or ENG 1033/1034 if required by placement testing
May be taken concurrently with ENG 1030

Equiv: COMM 1400

GE 2021-2026 Research and Technology is offered as college-based course

GE 2021 College of BPM

GE 2022 College of EDU

GE 2023 College of CLA

GE 2024 College of NAHS & NJCSTM

GE 2025 SVPA & Michael Graves College

GE 2026 Undecided Majors and other special populations

Prereqs: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1030 or equivalent
COMM 1402

Equiv: GE 2020

GE Distribution Courses

Approved GE Distribution Courses

All courses taken under the General Education Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution requirements must be selected from the Approved General Education Distribution Course List.

These courses are designated as GEHU, GESS, and GESM.

GEHU Humanities

GESS Social Sciences

GESM Science and Mathematics

Required GE Distribution Courses

ENG 2403 is a required Humanities Distribution course with an emphasis on diversity.

Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing; ENG 1030 or equivalent

Equiv: ENG*2203

HIST 1062 is a required Social Sciences Distribution course.

Prereq: None

Foreign Language Credit

The three credits for a foreign language that may satisfy the GE Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirement are awarded only upon successful completion of the second of two semesters of study at the introductory or intermediate level.

Credit for the first semester may be used as elective credit.

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GE 1000/3000 Requirement

All undergraduate students must satisfy this University Requirement for Graduation by successfully completing one of the following courses at Kean University: GE 1000 Transition to Kean (all freshmen and transfers entering with 0-29 credits) or GE 3000 Transfer Transitions (transfers entering with 30 credits or more).

Writing-Emphasis Requirement

All students are required to complete one "Writing-Emphasis" course. The "W-E" course must be within the major portion of your program. Consult your major program advisor for specific information.