

# Summary Table Implementation Plan:

## The programs from the *Department of Economics*

(Based on the standard committee reports, completed as of 2017).

### From the 2025 Undergraduate Calendar:

*The Department aims to educate students in economics, both at the graduate and undergraduate level, and to contribute to the advancement of the discipline through research and teaching. Economists study the production, distribution, and consumption of goods and services — essential knowledge for today's business people and policy makers. Blending both theory and practical applications, the Department serves students preparing for related specialized professions (honours, specialization, co-operative) as well as those interested in a generalized understanding of the discipline (major, minor programs).*

It is difficult at this time to limit the field of view to the 2014 period, and we provide here a snapshot of the programs when this appraisal was initiated, and now. In 2014, the Department had 10 programs and 27 full-time faculty members. In 2024, the unit had 10 programs and 24 full-time faculty members. With the addition of full-time teaching faculty members, the table shows relative stability in teaching resources.

Data	2014	2024 (last Calendar with Masthead)
Programs	<b>Undergrad</b> <i>Analytical Economics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minor in Analytical Economics</li> </ul> <i>Economics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BA Honours in Economics</li> <li>BA Specialization in Economics</li> <li>BA Major in Economics</li> <li>Minor in Economics</li> </ul> <i>Other Related Programs</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BComm Degree Program in Economics</li> <li>Certificate and Minor in Business Studies</li> </ul> Economics Co-operative Program  <b>Grad</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economics PhD</li> <li>Economics MA</li> <li>Economics Graduate Diploma</li> </ul>	<b>Undergrad</b> <i>Analytical Economics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minor in Analytical Economics</li> </ul> <i>Economics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BA Honours in Economics</li> <li>BA Specialization in Economics</li> <li>BA Major in Economics</li> <li>Minor in Economics</li> </ul> <i>Other Related Programs</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BComm Degree Program in Economics</li> <li>Certificate and Minor in Business Studies</li> </ul> Economics Co-operative Program  <b>Grad</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economics PhD</li> <li>Economics MA</li> <li>Economics Graduate Diploma</li> </ul>
# programs	10	10
Faculty members	<i>Chair</i> GREG LEBLANC, Associate Professor       <i>Distinguished Professor Emeritus</i> GORDON FISHER	<i>Chair</i> JORGEN HANSEN, Professor  <i>Associate Chair</i> DAMBA LKHAGVASUREN, Associate Professor  <i>Distinguished Professor Emeritus</i> GORDON FISHER

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Full-time #	27 (11 retirements before 2024)	24 (8 hires since 2014)

**FAS Assessment and recommendations.** The Faculty of Arts and Science has reviewed the Department Appraisal Committee, External Examiners, and University Appraisal Committee reports, and warmly thanks the committees, as well as the external examiners and department chairs, for their reports and oversight.

Following the reading of all the committee reports and update, here are FAS recommendations. Future updates can be made in discussions, and to coordinate the next cycle of program reviews.

Outline	Decanal Recommendation	Referenced recommendations	Area	Actor
<i>Shorter-term (in the next year)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement a yearly retreat, and ongoing department discussions, on strategic and program elements for the Department of Economics.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review programs, graduate and undergraduate (continue the recent work).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	UAC-1, 5, 10. DAC-1, 7, 10, 18-22.	Programs & Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dept</li> <li>FAS</li> <li>Univ</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Graduate: overall, including analysis of courses, milestones, and time to completion.</li> <li>▪ Undergraduate: overall, including coherence with desired postgraduate skills; explore further collaborations with units in FAS &amp; JMSB.</li> <li>○ Elaborate a hiring plan for future faculty members &amp; CRCs.</li> </ul>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Align the departmental space policy with the one in the FAS.</li> </ul>	UAC-6. DAC-8.	Space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Encourage faculty-student collaborative research production.</li> </ul>	UAC-9. DAC-16.	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Invite and find ways to further connect with alumni and industry.</li> </ul>	UAC-11.	Programs and Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• Univ</li> </ul>
<i>Medium-term (within the next 3 years)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do a departmental staffing review.</li> </ul>	UAC-2. DAC-2.	Personnel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> <li>• Univ</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update research performance criteria for faculty members.</li> </ul>	UAC-8.	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore resources in grant writing with the Assoc Dean Research and OOR.</li> </ul>	UAC-7. DAC-13.	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> <li>• Univ</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore formative midterm evaluations for faculty members.</li> </ul>	UAC-12.	Personnel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dept</li> <li>• FAS</li> <li>• Univ</li> </ul>
<i>Longer-term (within the next 5 years)</i>	Kept for the next appraisal / program review process.			

The FAS is looking forward to updates on these activities and ensuing discussions, as well as contributing to the next cycle of *Program Reviews*.