

University of
Lethbridge



Faculty of Arts & Science

Program Planning Guide

Department: Economics

Calendar Year: 2013/2014

Name: _____

ID: _____

Agricultural Studies

Post-Diploma Bachelor of Arts

Major in Agricultural Studies:

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This is a planning guide and not a graduation check or guarantee of course offerings. You should have a program check done in your final year of studies. Students are responsible for the accuracy of their own programs. The guide should be used in conjunction with the University of Lethbridge Calendar, which is the final authority on all questions regarding program requirements and academic regulations. Contact an Academic Advisor in the Faculty of Arts and Science for advising information.

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Post-Diploma B.A. Agricultural Studies

Completion of at least 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) with a grade point average of at least 2.00.

Required core (12 courses):

- _____ Agricultural Studies 1000 - The Evolution of Agriculture
- _____ Agricultural Studies 3300 - Modelling of Agricultural Systems
- _____ Agricultural Studies 4000 - Seminar in Agricultural Issues
- _____ Economics 1010 - Introduction to Microeconomics
- _____ Economics 2750 - Quantitative Methods in Economics
- _____ Economics 3300 - Agricultural Policy I
- _____ Statistics 1770 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics

One of:

- _____ Economics 2150 - Economics of Agricultural Issues
- _____ Economics 2350 - Economics of Agricultural Markets I

¹**One of:**

- _____ Philosophy 2001 - Introduction to Ethics
- _____ Philosophy 2236 - Environmental Philosophy
- _____ Philosophy 3402 - Biomedical Ethics

One of:

- _____ Economics 2900 - Economics and Business Statistics
- _____ Statistics 2780 - Statistical Inference

One of:

- _____ English 1900 - Introduction to Language and Literature
- _____ History 1000 - Western Civilization
- _____ Philosophy 1000 - Introduction to Philosophy
- _____ Religious Studies 1000 - Introduction to World Religions

One additional course from List I (Fine Arts and Humanities Courses)

General requirements:

- _____ Completion of the General Liberal Education Requirement (see **Part 4 - Academic Regulations, Section 10, p. 88**).
- _____ At least 13 non-Science courses (see 2013/2014 Calendar, Part 4, Section 10, List I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses and List II: Social Science Courses, p. 89).
- _____ Not more than 10 courses may be taken at the 0100/1000 level for credit toward the degree. Activity courses are exempted from this limit. Language courses are offered in the 0100-1990 range. Only the first course in the range counts toward this limit in the language subjects of French, German, Greek, Japanese, Latin and Spanish. Only one of Economics 1010 and Economics 1012 will be counted toward this limit. Only one of Biology 1010 and Biology 1020 will be counted toward this limit. Only one of Geography 1000 and Geography 1200 will be counted toward this limit (see **Part 4, Section 3.c, Exceeding Course Limits, p. 73**).
- _____ At least six courses at the 3000/4000 level, excluding Activity courses.
- _____ Not more than two Independent Study courses may be taken for credit toward the degree (see **Part 4, Section 3.c, Exceeding Course Limits, p. 73**).

Choose one of the following streams, each consisting of eight courses:

General Stream (EIGHT courses)

Any four additional courses from List I (Fine Arts and Humanities Courses) and List II (Social Science Courses), including at least two courses at the 3000/4000 level:

- 1. _____ 3. _____
- 2. _____ 4. _____

Any four additional Arts and Science courses:

- 1. _____ 3. _____
- 2. _____ 4. _____

Agricultural Economics Stream (EIGHT courses)

- _____ Economics 1012 - Introduction to Macroeconomics
- _____ Economics 3010 - Intermediate Microeconomic Theory
- _____ Economics 3012 - Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory
- _____ Economics 4300 - Agricultural Policy II

Any two additional courses at the 3000/4000 level from List I (Fine Arts and Humanities Courses) and List II (Social Science Courses):

- 1. _____ 2. _____

²Any two additional Arts and Science courses:

- 1. _____ 2. _____

Concentration: Agricultural Business (Optional)

See the 2013/2014 Calendar, p. 148, for more information.

- 1. _____ 4. _____
- 2. _____ 5. _____
- 3. _____

Notes

¹ Students in the General Stream who complete either Philosophy 2001 or Philosophy 2236 must select an additional 3000/4000-level Arts and Science course.

² Students with an interest in graduate study in Agriculture or recognition in professional societies (e.g., Alberta Institute of Agrologists) should select their additional courses from Economics (3000/4000 level).

Sample Sequencing Plan

Shown below is a sample sequence of courses for your degree. If you follow this plan, you should be able to graduate in two years, provided you complete five courses per semester. This is just one example of how you could complete your major and degree requirements; you may find that a different sequence works as well as this one.

General Stream

<p>Year 1, Fall Agricultural Studies 1000 Economics 1010 One of: English 1900, History 1000, Philosophy 1000, Religious Studies 1000 Required Stream course GLER course (List I)</p>	<p>Year 1, Spring Economics 2750 Statistics 1770 Required Stream course Required Stream course Required Stream course</p>
<p>Year 2, Fall Agricultural Studies 3300 Economics 2150 or Economics 2350 Economics 2900 or Statistics 2780 Economics 3300 Required Stream course 3000/ 4000 level</p>	<p>Year 2, Spring Agricultural Studies 4000 One of¹: Philosophy 2001², Philosophy 2236², or Philosophy 3402 Required Stream course 3000/ 4000 level Required Stream course Required Stream course</p>

¹ Semester of offering may vary.

² Students in the General Stream who complete either Philosophy 2001 or Philosophy 2236 must select an additional 3000/4000-level Arts and Science course.

Note: Students choosing to complete requirements for the Concentration in Agricultural Business should contact the Program Coordinator and/or the Student Program Services Office early in their program for assistance in planning sequencing for the required courses.

Students should consult the Department of Economics regarding sequencing of the Economics courses.

Agricultural Economics Stream

<p>Year 1, Fall Agricultural Studies 1000 Economics 1010 Statistics 1770 One of: English 1900, History 1000, Philosophy 1000, Religious Studies 1000 GLER course (List I)</p>	<p>Year 1, Spring Economics 1012 Economics 2750 Economics 2900 or Statistics 2780 Required Stream course Required Stream course</p>
<p>Year 2, Fall Agricultural Studies 3300 Economics 2150 or Economics 2350 Economics 3010 Economics 3300 Required Stream course 3000/ 4000 level</p>	<p>Year 2, Spring Agricultural Studies 4000 Economics 3012 Economics 4300 One of¹: Philosophy 2001, Philosophy 2236, or Philosophy 3402 Required Stream course 3000/ 4000 level</p>

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Terms Used

GLER course: A course that could count toward the General Liberal Education Requirement. You may use courses in your major towards this 12-course requirement. See the 2013/2014 University of Lethbridge Calendar, Part 4 - Academic Regulations (p. 88) for complete information.

Elective: A course that you may choose freely from all those available and applicable to your program. Use courses inside or outside your major, bearing in mind any restrictions that may apply (e.g., a maximum of 24 courses from any one discipline).



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