

University of
Lethbridge



Program Planning Guide

Name: _____

ID: _____

Calendar Year: 2023/2024

Major in Agricultural Studies:

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Academic Calendar:

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Post-Diploma Bachelor of Arts
Agricultural Studies

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 (www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-advising) for advising information.

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Program Requirements

Completion of at least 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, or School of Liberal Education (i.e. no courses labelled ABHL, ACCT, ADCS, AGEM, CDEV, CRED, EDUC, FINC, HLSC, HRLR, IGBM, IMGT, MGT, MKTG, NURS, PUBH, or TREC) with a grade point average of at least 2.00.

Required core (11 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

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 - The Western World
- _____ History 1200 - World History
- _____ Philosophy 1000 - Introduction to Philosophy
- _____ Religious Studies 1000 - Introduction to World Religions

One of the following streams (a. or b.; eight courses):

a. General Stream

- _____ Three courses (9.0 credit hours) at the 3000/4000 level from List I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses and List II: Social Science Courses
 1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
- _____ One additional course (3.0 credit hours) from List II: Social Science Courses
 1. _____
- _____ Four additional courses (12.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, and School of Liberal Education
 1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____

b. Agricultural Economics Stream

- _____ Economics 1012 - Introduction to Macroeconomics
- _____ Economics 3010 - Intermediate Microeconomic Theory
- _____ Economics 3012 - Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory
- _____ Economics 4300 - Agricultural Policy II
- _____ One additional course (3.0 credit hours) from List I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses
 1. _____
- _____ One additional course (3.0 credit hours) from List II: Social Science Courses, excluding courses in Economics
 1. _____
- _____ Two additional courses (6.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, and School of Liberal Education
 1. _____
 2. _____

Electives (one course):

- _____ One additional course from List I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses
 1. _____

Notes

Courses labeled as “electives” may be used towards a minor if a minor is chosen. Additional courses (apart from the core, stream, and elective courses) must be completed if a concentration is declared.

To determine if a given course has a Fine Arts and Humanities designation or Social Science designation, see List I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses and List II: Social Science Courses (refer to the 2023/2024 University of Lethbridge Calendar, p. 83).

No more than two Independent Study courses (3990 or 4990; 6.0 credit hours) may be counted towards the program.

Students with an interest in graduate study in Agriculture or recognition in professional societies should select their additional courses from Economics (3000/4000 level).

A student who successfully completes this degree program and major may apply to the Alberta Institute of Agrologists (AIA) to be registered as a Professional Agrologist within Alberta. Students should contact the Coordinator of Agricultural Studies early in the program for further information.

_____ **Concentration: Agricultural Business (Optional)**
See the 2023/2024 Calendar, p. 138, for more information.

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

Sample Sequencing Plan

Shown below is a sample sequence of courses for your degree. Consult timetables for course offerings, prerequisites, and corequisites before registering each term. 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, History 1200, Philosophy 1000, Religious Studies 1000 Required Stream course Lib Ed Requirement 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 2001, Philosophy 2236, or Philosophy 3402 Required Stream course 3000/4000 level Required Stream course 3000/4000 level Required Stream course</p>

¹ Term of offering may vary.

Note: Courses in **bold** in Years 1 and 2 of the sample sequence are prerequisite(s) for required courses and should be completed early in your program. Students are advised to review the prerequisites for elective courses within the major and plan accordingly.

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.

Agricultural Economics Stream

<p>Year 1, Fall Agricultural Studies 1000 Economics 1010 Statistics 1770 One of: English 1900, History 1000, History 1200, Philosophy 1000, Religious Studies 1000 Lib Ed Requirement 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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