

## **Kenneth C. Griffin Department of Economics PhD Student MTE Teaching Rules**

- All students in the Economics PhD program are required to fulfill the MTE Teaching Requirement by completing five (5) Teaching Assistantships (TA) in years two (subject to DGS approval), three, four, and five in the courses offered by the Economics department.
- Students will receive one (1) point for every section they TA and must reach a total of five (5) points in order to graduate. Students can also accumulate MTE points through lectureship, preceptorship and grading in the Economics department:
  - o A **lectureship** is the equivalent of two (2) TA assignments.
  - o A **preceptorship** equals a TA assignment quarter-by-quarter: a yearlong preceptorship is the equivalent of three (3) TA assignments.
  - o An assignment as **grader** is equivalent to one-half (1/2) teaching assistantship. No more than two (2) MTE points can be accumulated through grading.
- A student can teach additional non-MTE courses outside of the Crown Family School, the University of Chicago Divinity School, the Humanities Division, and the Division of the Social Sciences and the College if:
  - o Student is in good standing and making good academic progress (e.g. met the previous deadlines of third year paper, thesis proposal, etc., on time);
  - o Student's advisor approves it and the student informs the DGS about this approval;
  - o Total number of TA-ships or TA-equivalent per academic year does not exceed three (3).
- The maximum number of TA-ships or TA-equivalent that a student can do per year is three (3), no matter if it is MTE or non-MTE.
- A student can do, at most, one (1) non-MTE teaching before fulfilling five (5) MTE requirements.
- Booth-sponsored courses, even if they are cross-listed with Economics, are counted as non-MTE teaching.

- Joint program (JP) students are subject to the JP-specific MTE track:
  - o Each student must fulfill five (5) units of MTE requirement and do a minimum of one (1) MTE in each unit (at least one (1) MTE at Booth and at least one (1) MTE at the Department).
  - o Beyond the minimums, the student (in coordination with their advisor) decides which MTEs (in which department/school) best fit their own field of research and job market preparation.
  - o Econ-home JP students can teach, at most, three (3) units per academic year, no matter if it is MTE or non-MTE, similar to other Econ PhD students.
  - o The standard MTE track for Joint Program students will not require special approval from the Econ department and SSD if it adheres to JP-specific MTE track requirements.

**Please refer to the below list for 22-23 MTE eligible courses. Additional courses may be added as course offerings change.**

**MTE Eligible Undergraduate Courses**

- 10000 Principles of Microeconomics (F/W/Sp)
- 10200 Principles of Macroeconomics (F/W/Sp)
- 10700 Introductory Game Theory (F/W/Sp)
- 11010 Introduction to Statistical Methods in Economics (F/W)
- 11020 Introduction to Econometrics (F/W/Sp)
- 11310 Big Data and Better Decisions (Sp)
- 11700 Introduction to Behavioral and Experimental Economics (F)
- 13000 Introduction to Money and Banking (F)
- 13200 Introduction to Macroeconomic Crises (W)
- 14520 Economics of Gender in International Contexts (W)
- 15500 Introduction to Development Economics (F/Sp)
- 17100 Introduction to International Trade (Sp)
- 17110 International Monetary Systems (F/W)
- 20000 Elements of Economic Analysis 1 (F/Sp)
- 20010 Elements of Economic Analysis 1: HONORS (F/Sp)
- 20100 Elements of Economic Analysis 2 (F/W)
- 20110 Elements of Economic Analysis 2: HONORS (W)
- 20200 Elements of Economic Analysis 3 (W/Sp)
- 20210 Elements of Economic Analysis 3 - HONORS (Sp)
- 20520 Formal Models of Political Economics (F)
- 20700 Game Theory and Economic Applications (F)
- 21020 Econometrics (F/W/Sp)
- 21030 Econometrics - Honors (W/Sp)
- 21031 Econometrics II- Honors (Sp)
- 21110 Applied Microeconometrics (W)
- 21800 Experimental Economics (W)
- 23000 Money and Banking (F)
- 23200 Topics in Macroeconomics (F)

23410 Economic Growth (W)  
23950 Economic Policy Analysis (F/Sp)  
24450 Inequality and the Social Safety Net (Sp)  
25100 Financial Economics B: Speculative Markets (F)  
25520 An Introduction to Development Economics with a Focus on Data (F)  
25530 Behavioral Development Economics (W)  
26040 Human Capital and the Economy (Sp)  
27000 International Economics (W)  
28000 Industrial Organization (Sp)  
29800 Undergraduate Honors Workshop (F/W/S)

### **MTE Eligible Master's Courses**

ECMA 30750 The Theory of Market Design - Root (F)  
ECMA 30800 Theory of Auctions - Reny (W)  
ECMA 31000 Introduction to Empirical Analysis - Hardwick (F)  
ECMA 31100 Introduction to Empirical Analysis II - Hardwick (W)  
ECMA 31130 Topics in Microeconometrics - Lamadon (W)  
ECMA 31320 Applications of Econometric and Data Science Methods - Hortacsu (Sp)  
ECMA 31340 Big Data Tools in Economics - Lamadon (W)  
ECMA 31350 Machine Learning for Economists - Ponomarev (W)  
ECMA 33220 Introduction to Advanced Macroeconomic Analysis - Uhlig (F)  
ECMA 33221 Intro to Advanced Macroeconomic Analysis II - Silva (W)  
ECMA 33230 Macroeconomic Crises - Balke (W)  
ECMA 33603 Macroeconomic & Financial Frictions - Silva (Sp)  
ECMA 35550 The Practicalities of Running Randomized Control Trials - Glennerster (F)

### **MTE Eligible Graduate Courses (MTE)**

30100 Price Theory I - Murphy (F)  
30200 Price Theory II - Reny (W)  
30300 Price Theory III - Stole (Sp)  
30501 Topics in Theoretical Economics - Reny (W)  
30502 Topics in Theoretical Economics II - Brooks (F)  
31000 Empirical Analysis I - Shaikh (F)  
31100 Empirical Analysis II - Uhlig (W)  
31200 Empirical Analysis III - Heckman/Mogstad (Sp)  
31720 Applied Microeconometrics - Torgovitsky (W)  
31740 Optimization-Conscious Econometrics - Pouliot (Sp)  
31750 Topics on the Analysis of Randomized Experiments - Tabord-Meehan (F)  
31760 Topics in Modern Econometrics - Bonhomme & Shaikh (Sp)  
32000 Topics in American History - Galenson (F)  
33000 Theory of Income I - Stokey (F)  
33100 Theory of Income II - Golosov (W)  
33200 Theory of Income III - Alvarez (Sp)  
33530 Firm Dynamics and Economic Growth - Akcigit (W)  
33550 Spatial Economics - Rossi-Hansberg (W)  
34400 Wage Determinants and Labor Mobility - Neal (F)  
34450 Topics in Wage Determination - Rose (F)  
34430 Topics in Labor Markets: Earnings and Employment - Lamadon (F)  
34901 Social Interactions and Inequality -- Durlauf (Sp)  
34930 Inequality: Theory, Methods and Evidence - Durlauf (Sp)  
35003 Human Capital, Markets, and the Family - Heckman (Sp)  
35310 Topics in International Trade - Tintelnot (Sp)  
35550 Practicalities of Running Randomized Control Trials - Glennerster (F)  
35650 Behavioral Development Economics - Karing (W)

36000 Public Finance - Golosov (W)  
36820 Empirical Topics in Social Insurance - Deshpande (Sp)  
40201 Advanced Industrial Organization II - Hortacsu (W)  
41120 Topics in Behavioral Economics - Bursztyn (W)  
42900 Innovators - Galenson (F)  
42800 Creativity - Galenson (W)