Agribusiness and Applied Economics

Department Information

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- **Application Deadline:**
  March 1
- **Credential Offered:**
  M.S.
- **Test Requirement:**
  GRE or GMAT
- **English Proficiency Requirements:**
  TOEFL iBT 79; IELTS 6.5

All students pursuing a M.S. in Agribusiness and Applied Economics must complete all core courses. Students select elective courses (with approval of the adviser and supervisory committee) to fulfill the remaining Graduate College credit requirements. It is required that students have competence in calculus, multiple regression analysis, and intermediate microeconomics.

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**Plan B: Comprehensive Study Option**

- **ECON 610** Econometrics 3
- **Courses numbered:** 601-689, 691; 700-789, 791; 800-889 and 891 8
- **AGEC 797** Master’s Paper (2-4 credits) 3

Minimum Total Credits: 30