



Part-time MSc UCD School of Economics (two years)

UCD School of Economics is delighted to invite applications to our four MSc programs on a part-time basis (over 2 years).

MSc
Applied
Economics

MSc
Behavioural
Economics

MSc
Economics
and Data
Analytics

MSc
Quantitative
Economics

This year, we have implemented several innovations to our part-time schedule that will allow you to successfully complete your MSc while working, giving you:



Flexibility

Flexibility to balance your academic pursuits with professional responsibilities. We offer late afternoon classes, classes in only some days of the week and several online modules



Practical applications

We encourage MSc students to write their thesis in an area related to their current job



Career enhancement

An MSc can open doors to new career opportunities and promotions within your current organization or elsewhere



Financial Support

Many employers offer tuition reimbursement or financial assistance for employees pursuing further education related to their field. Tuition fees are also paid over two years

Below are some examples of how you could structure your MSc by choosing from a wide range of elective modules to fulfil your academic ambitions with a flexible and manageable schedule.



Timetable example for a part-time MSc in Applied Economics*

Year 1 Autumn semester: 15 ECT (including 5 ECT intensive Maths and Stats bootcamp in first 2 weeks of September)

Wednesday	Macroeconomics (3-5pm)
Friday	Research & Career Skills I (2-4pm)

Year 1 Spring semester: 15 ECT (example electives included are: Behavioural Economics: Policy Applications; Energy, Economics and Policy; Evaluation methods for Health Economics)

Wednesday	Energy Economics and Policy (3-5pm)
Thursday	Evaluation Methods for Health Economics (10am-12pm) Behavioural Economics: Policy Applications (2- 4pm)

Year 2 Autumn semester: 15 ECT (includes a 5 ECT option in Data programming in R or Development Economics which are offered online)

Tuesday	Econometrics (10am-12pm) Microeconomics (3- 5pm)
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Year 2 Spring semester: 15 ECT (example electives included are: Banking and Financial stability, Advanced Econometrics)

Tuesday	Banking and Financial Stability (10am-12pm)
Friday	Advanced Econometrics: Time series (10am-12pm) Research & Careers Skills II (2- 4pm)

Year 2 Summer semester: 30ECT thesis or internship

Timetable example for a part-time MSc in Economics and Data Analytics*

Year 1 Autumn semester: 15 ECT (including 5 ECT intensive Maths and Stats bootcamp in first 2 weeks of September and a 5 ECT course on Data programming in R which is offered online)

Wednesday	Macroeconomics (3- 5pm)
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Year 1 Spring semester: 15 ECT (including an online elective in Statistical Machine Learning)

Friday	Advanced Econometrics: Time series (10am-12pm) Research & Careers Skills (2- 4pm)
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Year 2 Autumn semester: 15 ECT (includes an 5 ECT modules on Introduction to Data Analytics which is offered online)

Tuesday	Econometrics (10am-12pm) Microeconomics (3- 5pm)
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Year 2 Spring semester: 15 ECT (includes Bayesian Analysis- 5 ECT offered online)

Wednesdays	Causal inference & Policy Evaluation (9-11am)
Thursday	Behavioural Economics: Policy Applications (2- 4pm)

Year 2 Summer semester: 30ECT thesis or internship

* Our programs include over 15 Elective modules to choose from. The timetable example attached is designed to offer the most flexibility in terms of timing of the lectures and travel to UCD. Times are indicative-UCD reserves the right to make any changes to the times before admission.