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MSc Programmes in Economics

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Why Economics at Edinburgh?

- Learn the modern tools of the (economist) 'trade'
 - economic and statistical concepts
 - mathematical models
 - econometric software
- Taught by academic economists from multiple universities
- Interact with a multi-cultural student and staff body



PGT programmes at Edinburgh

Scottish Graduate Programme in
Economics (SGPE)

Collaboration of eight Scottish universities
(Aberdeen, Dundee, Edinburgh, Glasgow,
Heriot-Watt, St Andrews, Stirling, Strathclyde)

University of Edinburgh

MSc Mathematical Economics and
Econometrics (MEE)

MSc Economics

MSc Economics (Finance)

MSc Economics (Econometrics)



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Programme Structure

Sept	Mathematics, Statistics and Econometrics	0
SEM1	3 Core courses	60/70
SEM2	3 or 4 Core courses 2 or 3 Options	30/40 20/30
Dec - Mar	Econometrics Group Project	10
June - Aug	Dissertation	50

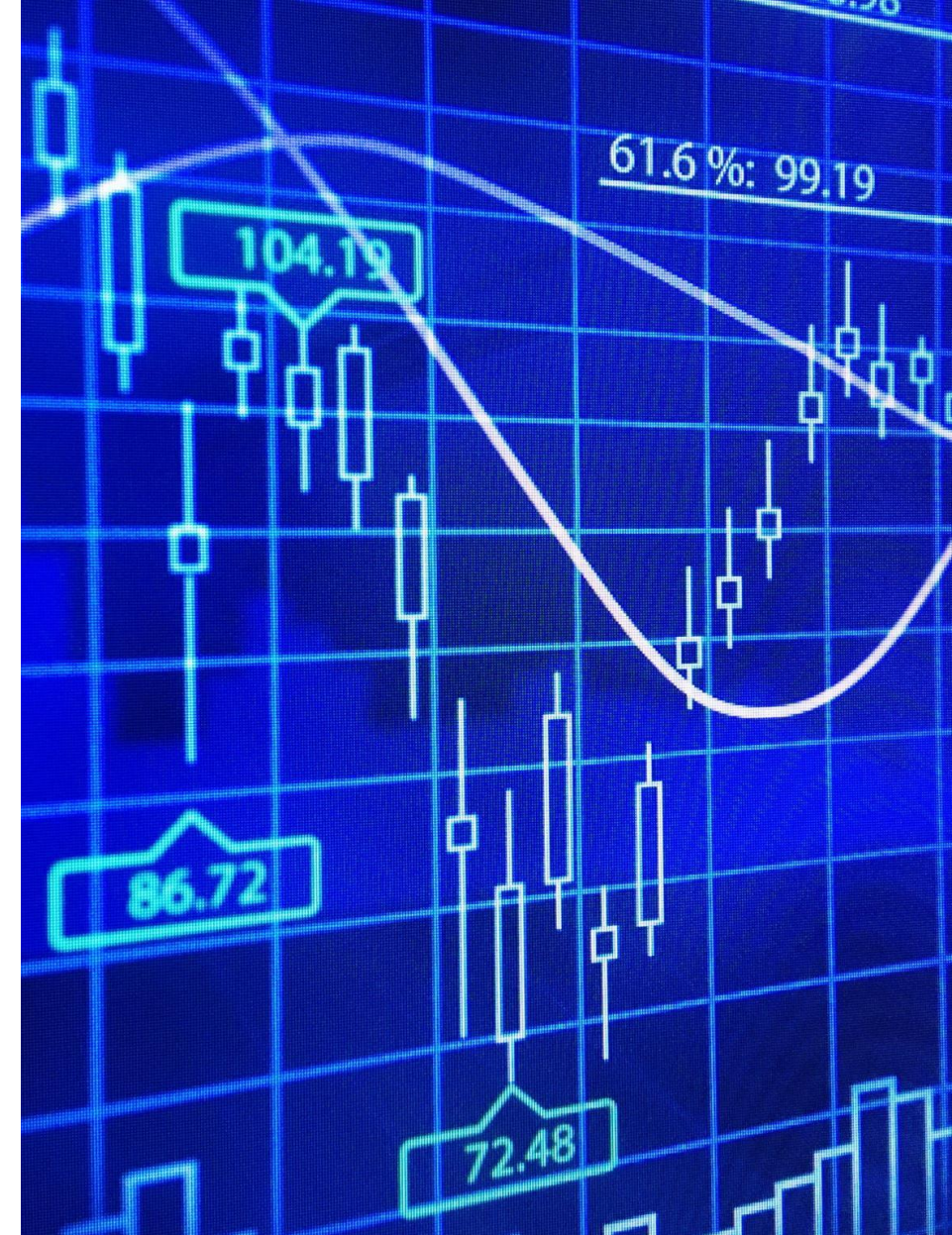
* Coursework depends on the pathway and programme.

** There is a chance to write a sponsored dissertation for SGPE.



Programme content

- Comprehensively covers:
 - Microeconomics
 - Macroeconomics
 - Econometrics
- 15+ option courses to choose from



Residential Conference

Held in early/mid January for PGT and PGR students

Excellent opportunity to network with academics from SGPE host universities and PGR students

Conference involves:

- Econometrics Project presentation
- Guidance on dissertation
- Session on PhD opportunities
- Session to explore optional courses



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Teaching and Learning

- Mix of lecture, tutorials, labs, independent study, helpdesks, and group work
- Intensive programme which allows you to fully immerse yourself to be future economists
- Study space with collaborative areas open specifically for our School's PG students
- Regular workshops by the University's Institute of Academic Development (IAD) to help you with time and task management skills





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Your Wellbeing

Your Wellbeing - School

- All students have a named **Student Adviser**.

They are your first point of contact for questions or concerns and can offer advice on course choice and pastoral matters.

The School have a **Wellbeing Adviser** who helps students should a complex situation arise during their studies

- You will have **Academic Cohort Leads** who lead academic and social events.
 - A sense of community
 - Your academic identity as an economist



Your Wellbeing - University



Economics Community

Communication to students

Student newsletter

School Instagram

Student SharePoint

Cohort events & activities

Residential Conference

End of exam celebrations

Student voice & feedback

Programme Representatives

Course surveys

Annual student surveys

Peer support

Dissertation Buddies



Graduate destination

96% of students graduate into employment and further studies.

Many graduates become...

- Economists
- Analysts
- Postgraduate studies

in economics, finance, business administration, environmental studies etc.





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Any questions?

- <https://www.ed.ac.uk/student-recruitment> for Admission queries
- www.ed.ac.uk/economics for more information about the School of Economics
- Get in touch with us via email at: Economics@ed.ac.uk