Economics is the social science that studies the production, distribution, and consumption of goods and services. Economics focuses on the behavior and interactions of economic agents and how economies work. The Department of Social Sciences, Human Services, and Criminal Justice offers a major in Economics for its students leading to an Associate in Arts degree. The program is articulated with several senior CUNY colleges where students can transfer directly as juniors into their BA/BS or BA/BS + Masters programs.

**Certifications and Professional Development**

Microsoft Office Professional
Basic Accounting with QuickBooks
QuickBooks Advanced Training
Social Media for Business
Professional Writing

These and other Certifications and Professional Development options offered by the Center for Continuing Education and Workforce Development.

www.bmcc.cuny.edu/ce

**Professional Organizations**

American Economic Association
Society for Advancement of Economic Theory
World Economics Association

**Helpful Career Links**

BMCC Career Center
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/career

Internships and Experiential Learning
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/experiential

Social Sciences, Human Services, and Criminal Justice
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/academics/departments/social-sciences/economics

**Career and Salary Possibilities**

- **Policy Analyst**
  ($41,000–$80,000)

- **Quantitative Risk Analyst**
  ($62,000–$162,000)

- **Economics Teacher**
  ($39,000–$92,000)

- **Financial Analyst**
  ($64,380–$232,376)

- **Economics Professor**
  ($39,387–$179,783)

- **Risk Analyst**
  ($42,000–$100,000)

- **Statistician**
  ($49,000–$114,000)

- **Securities Analyst**
  ($43,000–$113,000)

- **Labor Relation Specialist**
  ($49,000–$105,000)

- **Economist**
  ($42,000–$140,000)

- **Actuary**
  ($51,000–$165,000)

*Career and Salary Possibilities are not guaranteed. Additional education, training or experience may be required and salary ranges may vary depending on location, industry and education level. Career and salary data provided by Career Coach.*