

KEY FACTS



International

1 Optional Semester
Abroad



Degree
Master of Science (M. Sc.)



Content
Economic Research with thorough knowledge of theory, empirics, and econometric methodology of economics. Some central research fields include: Behavioral Economics, Market Design, Organizational Design, Consumer Protection, Political Economy, Distribution and Financial Stability



Language
English



Duration
4 Semester



Credits
120 ECTS

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Applicants with a German bachelor degree apply via KLIPS
- Applicants with a non-German bachelor degree apply with their VPD document issued by uni-assist via KLIPS
- Application deadline is **31th March**.

REQUIREMENTS AND SELECTION PROCEDURE

- A Bachelor's degree with
 - overall grade of at least 2.5 (German grade)
 - at least 36 ECTS in the fields of Business Administration and/or Economics from this 18 ECTS in the field of Economics
 - and at least 15 ECTS in the fields of Statistics and/or Mathematics and/or Econometrics
- English language skills C1 (CEFR)

To ensure you your personal PhD position we recommend you to apply for the corresponding graduate programme at our Cologne Graduate School of Economics along with applying for the master's programme.

The successful completion of an admission test (GRE) is highly recommended. The Admissions Board will communicate its decision at the beginning of June. Enrolment usually takes place in July.

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MASTER OF SCIENCE ECONOMIC RESEARCH

YOUR FIRST STEP TOWARDS A PHD
IN ECONOMICS



FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT,
ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL
SCIENCES



THIS PROGRAMME PROVIDES YOU WITH:

- up-to-date research in areas such as Behavioral Economics, Market Design, Organizational Design, Consumer Protection, Political Economy, Distribution and Financial Stability
- gainful insights into the economic excellence cluster ECONtribute, which is unique in Germany
- research projects in small groups with your fellow students and close at hand with renowned scientists
- PhD course work completion already during your master's programme

THIS PROGRAMME IS RIGHT FOR YOU IF YOU:

- are looking for a Master's programme in Economics, which gives you the opportunity for pursuing a doctoral degree
- have a economic or econometric sciences background with basic exposure to science methods training including statistics
- are very interested in an analytical and empirical approach and have very good English language skills

We invite you to apply for the M.Sc in Economic Research, which offers you the possibility to pursue a PhD degree in the second stage. In the first stage, you complete your study and research work at graduate level in this exclusive two-year master's programme. Having obtained your master's degree in Economic Research, you may enter the second (optional) PhD stage.

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Detailed information on the programme and application can be found online.

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"The master's programme in Economic Research is the ideal choice for me as it combines a profound education in research methods and economic theory with lots of freedom to explore my own research interests. The programme also offers a stimulating research environment with excellent supervision by professors and a closely collaborating peer group in small and interactive classes."

Simon,
Master Student Economic Research at the WiSo Faculty