

**COMSATS Institute of Information Technology**  
**Registrar Office, Principal Seat, Islamabad**

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**Notification**

**Scheme of Studies of Master of Science in Economics**

It is hereby notified that the Board of Advanced Studies and Research (BASAR) in its 13<sup>th</sup> meeting held on September 26, 2011 approved the following Scheme of Studies of the Master of Science in Economics, MS (Eco) effective from Spring 2012 onwards:

	<b><u>No. of Courses</u></b>	<b><u>Credit Hours</u></b>
<b>1. MS Course Work</b>		
1) Core Courses (List attached)	5	15
2) Elective Courses (List attached)	3	09
<b>Total Credit Hours of course work</b>		<b>24</b>
<b>2. MS Thesis</b>		<b>06</b>
<b>3. Total Credit Hours of the Program</b>		<b>30</b>
<b>4. Graduate Regulations*</b>		
a) Minimum duration for completion of the program is 1 ½ years.		
b) Student can register minimum of 03 credit hours and maximum of 12 credit hours in a semester.		
c) Student can register thesis after completion of 12 credit hours of course work.		

This issues with approval of the Competent Authority.

  
**Nadeem Uddin Qureshi**  
**Additional Registrar**

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\* Graduate Regulations (a, b &c) amended by BASAR from time to time shall be applicable.

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**List of Core Courses**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO601	Microeconomic Theory I	3(3, 0)
2.	ECO602	Microeconomic Theory II	3(3, 0)
3.	ECO603	Macroeconomic Theory	3(3, 0)
4.	ECO604	Econometric Methods	3(3, 0)
5.	ECO605	Mathematical Reasoning for Economists	3(3, 0)

**Thesis**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO800	Thesis	6

**List of Elective Courses****International Economics Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO701	Theory of International Trade	3(3, 0)
2.	ECO702	Theory of International Finance	3(3, 0)
3.	ECO703	Monetary Economics	3(3, 0)
4.	ECO704	Political Economy and Globalisation	3(3, 0)

**Development and Public Policy Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO710	Development Economics: Theory and Practice	3(3, 0)
2.	ECO711	Applied General Equilibrium and Welfare Economics	3(3, 0)
3.	ECO712	History of Economic Philosophy	3(3, 0)



**Agricultural Economics Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO720	Agricultural Policy	3(3, 0)
2.	ECO721	Productivity Analysis	3(3, 0)
3.	ECO722	Agriculture Development in Developing Countries	3(3, 0)

**Econometrics Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
1.	ECO731	Data Analysis Techniques for Economists	3(3, 0)
2.	ECO732	Time Series Methods in Econometrics	3(3, 0)
3.	ECO730	Research Methodology in Economics	3(3, 0)

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