



Consumer economics, policy, and advocacy promotes and protects consumer interests, such as by exposing unfair business practices, monitoring the safety of products, researching consumer behaviors, and advocating for consumer protections (policies, regulations, etcetera) in private, public, and government domains.

Suggested 4-Year Plan

Year 1 (31 credit hours)

Fall Semester (15 credit hours)

WRD/CIS 110: Composition and Communication I
SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology
GEN 100 Issues in Agriculture, Food, and Environment
UK Core: Humanities
UK Core: Natural, Physical, and Mathematical Sciences

Spring Semester (16 credit hours)

WRD/CIS 111: Composition and Communication II
FFC 251: Personal and Family Finance
PSY 100: Introduction to Psychology
ECO 201: Principles of Economics I
UK Core: Quantitative Foundations

Year 2 (30 credit hours)

Fall Semester (15 credit hours)

ECO 202: Principles of Economics II
ACC 201: Financial Accounting I
FFC 350: Consumer Economics
FFC 351: Advanced Personal and Family Finance I
Free Elective

Spring Semester (15 credit hours)

STA 210: Introduction to Statistical Reasoning
SOC 235: Inequalities in Society
FFC 352: Advanced Personal and Family Finance II
UK Core: Global Dynamics
Free Elective

Year 3 (30 credit hours)

Fall Semester (15 credit hours)

FFC 360: Introduction to Family Intervention
FFC 402: Theories and Applications in Consumer Economics
FFC 403: Family Financial Counseling
Elective
Upper-level Elective

Spring Semester (15 credit hours)

UK Core: Arts and Creativity
FFC 390: Introduction to Research Methods
FFC 498: Internship in Consumer Economics and FFC
Elective
Upper-level Elective

Year 4 (30 credit hours)

Fall Semester (15 credit hours)

FFC 499: Advanced Internship in Consumer Economics and FFC
Elective
Upper-level Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring Semester (15 credit hours)

FFC 499: Advanced Internship in Consumer Economics and FFC
FFC 496: Accredited Financial Counselor Review Course
Upper-level Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

Note. FFC majors satisfy UK's graduation composition and communication requirement (GCCR) by the combination of FFC 360, FFC 390, and FFC 402.

Elective Suggestions: In consultation with your academic advisor, select course work (probably primarily from the list below) that enhances the educational content of your major and your employability. Note that UK requires a minimum of 120 credit hours, including a minimum of 45 upper-level courses (i.e., those numbered 300 or higher) to graduate.

- COM 315: Understanding Workplace Communication in a Diverse U.S. Society
- CPH 201 Introduction to Public Health
- CPH 350 Introduction to Health Care Organization and Policy
- ECO 365: Social Economic Organization
- ECO 370: The Global Economy
- ECO 383: Health Economics
- ECO 450G The Economics of Poverty and Welfare Programs
- FAM 563: Families, Legislation, & Public Policy
- FIN 300: Corporate Finance
- GRN 250 Aging in Today's World
- MGT 340: Ethical and Regulatory Environment
- MKT 300: Marketing Management
- MKT 310: Consumer Behavior
- MKT 351: Corporate Social Responsibility
- PPL 201: Introduction to Public Policy
- PPL 301: Economics of Public Policy
- PPL 303 Public Service Organizations
- PYC 302: Psychology in Business and Industry
- SW 320: Global Poverty: Response Across Cultures
- USB 201: US Culture and Business Studies

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