

Agribusiness and Applied Economics

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- **Application Deadline:**
March 1 for fall semester; October 1 for spring semester
- **Credential Offered:**
M.S.
- **Test Requirement:**
GRE or GMAT
- **English Proficiency Requirements:**
TOEFL ibt 79; IELTS 6.5; Duolingo 105

The Master of Science degree program in Agribusiness and Applied Economics offers coursework focusing on applied economics, agribusiness, risk analysis, international trade, and transportation and logistics.

The applied economics course work in economic theory, research methods, and quantitative techniques is designed to prepare students for careers in agricultural economics research in private and public sectors and for Ph.D. programs.

The agribusiness courses are broad-based and combine training in agribusiness management, economic analysis, and agricultural sciences. Students are prepared for a variety of successful careers in agribusiness by fulfilling the requirements for expertise in quantitative methods and developing a rigorous background in economic theory and research.

Students have complete access to well-equipped research facilities and to faculty supervision time. The department has an excellent placement record with national and international agricultural and business firms, as well as government agencies.