**Cover Sheet: Request 12505**

**ECO 4400 -- update prerequisites**

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Responses

Current Prefix
Enter the current three letter code (e.g., POS, ATR, ENC).

Response:
ECO

Course Level
Select the current one digit code preceding the course number that indicates the course level at which the course is taught (e.g., 1=freshman, 2=sophomore, etc.).

Response:
4

Number
Enter the current three digit code indicating the specific content of the course based on the SCNS taxonomy and course equivalency profiles.

Response:
400

Lab Code
Enter the current lab code. This code indicates whether the course is lecture only (None), lab only (L), or a combined lecture and lab (C).

Response:
None

Course Title
Enter the current title of the course as it appears in the Academic Catalog.

Response:
Game Theory and Applications

Effective Term
Select the requested term that the course change(s) will first be implemented. Selecting "Earliest" will allow the change to be effective in the earliest term after SCNS approval. If a specific term and year are selected, this should reflect the department's expectations. Courses cannot be changed retroactively, and therefore the actual
effective term cannot be prior to SCNS approval, which must be obtained prior to the first day of classes for the effective term. SCNS approval typically requires at least 6 weeks after approval of the course change at UF.

Response:
Earliest Available

Effective Year
Select the requested year that the course change will first be implemented. See preceding item for further information.

Response:
Earliest Available

Requested Action
Indicate whether the change is for termination of the course or any other change. If the latter is selected, all of the following items must be completed for any requested change.

Response:
Other (selecting this option opens additional form fields below)

Change Course Prefix?

Response:
No

Change Course Level?
Note that a change in course level requires submission of a course syllabus.

Response:
No

Change Course Number?

Response:
No

Change Lab Code?
Note that a change in lab code requires submission of a course syllabus.

Response:
No
Change Course Title?
   Response:
   No

Change Transcript Title?
   Response:
   No

Change Credit Hours?
   Note that a change in credit hours requires submission of a course syllabus.
   Response:
   No

Change Variable Credit?
   Note that a change in variable credit status requires submission of a course syllabus.
   Response:
   No

Change S/U Only?
   Response:
   No

Change Contact Type?
   Response:
   No

Change Rotating Topic Designation?
   Response:
   No
Change Repeatable Credit?
Note that a change in repeatable credit status requires submission of a course syllabus.

Response: No

Maximum Repeatable Credits
Enter the maximum credits a student may accrue by repeating this course.

Response: 4

Change Course Description?
Note that a change in course description requires submission of a course syllabus.

Response: No

Change Prerequisites?

Response: Yes

Current Prerequisites

Response: ECO 2023

Proposed Prerequisites

Response: ECO 2023, (MAC 2233 or MAC 2234 or MAC 2311 or MAC 2312 or MAC 2313), and (ECO 3101 or ECP 3703)

Change Co-requisites?

Response: No
Rationale

Please explain the rationale for the requested change.

Response:
ECO 4400 is an upper-level elective within the Economics major. Almost every student who takes ECO 4400 is an Economics major and has already taken ECO 3101, a required core course in the Economics major. The course, thus, proceeds with minimal review of the microeconomics concepts and analytical tools that form the core of ECO 3101. As such, the Department would like to add the explicit prerequisite of ECO 3101 to formalize the expectation that students are familiar with material covered in that course, since almost all ECO 4400 students have already taken it.

The relevant content that forms the basis for this new prerequisite can also be found in ECP 3703. As such the Department would accept (ECO 3101 or ECP 3703) as meeting the new prerequisite. This would accommodate the possibility of Economics minors (who are required to take ECP 3703, instead of ECO 3101) taking ECO 4400.

For completeness, the additional prerequisite of MAC 2233 (or higher level calculus class) was explicitly added. MAC 2233 (or higher level calculus class) is a required prerequisite for ECO 3101 and ECP 3703.