



THE LONDON SCHOOL
OF ECONOMICS AND
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MSc in Economics (2 Year Programme)

Offer Holder Q&A Session
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Professor Frank Cowell
2 Year MSc Programme Director

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Welcome

- Programme Director – Professor Frank Cowell
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Pre-Sessional Dates

Registration and Orientation

- **Wednesday 4th September**

EC2A0 – Introductory Course in Microeconomic Principles

- **Monday 9th September – Friday 20th September**

EC2A0 Test

- **Week of 23rd September (date tbc)**

Matrix Algebra Workshops

- **Week of 23rd September (dates tbc)**

Term Dates 2024-25

Autumn Term

- Monday 30th September – Friday 13th December

January Exams

- Monday 13th – Friday 17th January

Winter Term

- Monday 20th January – Friday 4th April
- Reading Week 24th – 28th February

Spring Term / ST Exams

- Tuesday 6th May – Friday 20th June

Summer Break

- Monday 23rd June – Friday 29th August

Programme Structure

First Year

- **EC2A0 – Introductory Course in Microeconomic Principles**
- **EC2A1 – Microeconomics II**
- **EC2B1 – Macroeconomics II**
- **EC2C1 – Econometrics II**
- **MA100 – Mathematical Methods *or***
- **MA212 – Further Mathematical Methods**

Programme Structure

Second Year

- **EC400 – Introductory Course in Mathematics and Statistics**
- **EC411 – Microeconomics *or***
- **EC487 – Advanced Microeconomics**
- **EC413 – Macroeconomics**
- **EC402 – Econometrics**
- **ECXXX/FMXXX – Elective**

Progression Criteria

- In order to progress to the second year, students must achieve **55%** in all courses.
- The Sub-Board of Examiners may, at its discretion, consider for progression candidates who fall marginally short of this requirement.
- Students **may not re-sit** any assessments in order to progress to year 2.
- Qualifying students will be awarded a Diploma in Economics at the end of the first year.
- Students who do not meet the progression threshold will be given an opportunity to re-sit any examinations required in order to achieve the Diploma if applicable.

Past Progression

Year	No of Students	Progression to Year 2	Non-progression
2019/20	36	29	7
2020/21	57	53	4
2021/22	36	29	7
2022/23	48	42	6
2023/24	46	n/a	n/a

QUESTIONS



Useful Links

MSc Offer Holders

<https://www.lse.ac.uk/economics/study/taught-masters/msc-offer-holders>

Course Guides

<https://www.lse.ac.uk/resources/calendar/taughtMasters.htm>

Welcome

<https://welcome.lse.ac.uk/>

Student Services Centre

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/current-students/student-services/student-services-centre>

Graduate Admissions

[Knowledge Base](#)