International Agribusiness

Department Information

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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

Students pursuing a Master of Science in International Agribusiness must complete all core courses. Students select elective courses (with approval of their adviser and supervisory committee) to fulfill the remaining Graduate School credit requirements. The core requirements assure breadth and competence in key areas of knowledge and professional activity. Students participate in an international internship, a study abroad program, or select six additional credits of course work at NDSU related to international agribusiness. The following courses, or their equivalent, constitute the core of the Master of Science program:

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Select a minimum of 6 credits of the following:

- ECON 610 Econometrics
- ECON 710 Advanced Econometrics
- AGE739 Analytical Methods for Applied Economics

A minimum of 30 credits is necessary to complete the M.S. in International Agribusiness. Credits beyond those required courses listed above may be met through a combination of internship credits, courses taken during an international study program, or NDSU international courses approved by the student’s supervisory committee.