ECONOMICS

Economics provides students with the skills necessary to understand real world issues and to better evaluate individual and group behavior in the context of global scarcity. Professors do so by actively involving students in the learning process, challenging them to explore questions on a variety of contemporary problems and policies while applying the tools of economic analysis.

Our seven full-time faculty members are united in the belief that students must develop the ability to use logic to solve problems analytically, draw inference from quantitative and qualitative data, pose their own questions, and learn to communicate clearly in speech and writing. Our flexible Economics degree enables students to design a curriculum around their interests and future goals. It serves students well, whether their goal is a graduate degree in Economics, Finance, Public Policy, Business, a law degree or a career in industry, financial markets, the nonprofit sector or public policy.

GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL STUDIES
Places where Stonehill graduates have recently attended a full- or part-time graduate program include:
- Boston College (Ph.D.)
- Clemson University
- Fordham University
- George Washington University (Ph.D.)
- Hofstra University (J.D.)
- Northeastern University (Ph.D.)
- Suffolk University (J.D.)
- SUNY
- University of Notre Dame (Ph.D.)

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
Places where Stonehill students have recently interned include:
- Allied Mortgage Capital
- Children’s Hospital Trust
- Eastern Bank
- Fidelity Investments
- J.P. Morgan
- Massachusetts Office of Business Development
- Merrill Lynch
- Stonehill Center for Nonprofit Management
- TIAA-CREF

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES
Stonehill Undergraduate Research Experience
This is an opportunity for students who have completed their first year at Stonehill to perform significant, publishable, full-time research under the guidance of and in collaboration with an experienced faculty researcher.

Recent projects
Economics major Joanna Zecha ’14 worked with Linzy Brekke-Aloise, associate professor of History, on “Quantifying Early American Consumer Culture: Wardrobes and Wealth in Three Massachusetts Counties, 1780-1840.”

Economics major Paul Fazio ’14 worked with Sean Mulholland, associate professor of Economics, on “Private Unions, Public Unions, and Income Inequality.”

HONORS SOCIETY AFFILIATION
Omicron Delta Epsilon
The International Honor Society for Economics
Lambda Epsilon Sigma
Stonehill’s campuswide honor society
CAREER OUTCOMES
Places where Stonehill graduates have recently been employed include:
• Athenahealth
• BNY Mellon
• Boston Celtics
• Boston Partners Financial
• Brown Brothers Harriman
• Children’s Hospital Trust
• Duff & Phelps
• Fidelity
• Haemonetics
• Idexx Laboratories
• Silicon Valley Bank
• State Street Bank
• SunLife Financial
• Texas Instruments

CAREER SERVICES RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS
Active mentors
• BNY Mellon
  Investment Specialist
• Cambridge Associates
  Private Investment Analyst
• Commonwealth of Massachusetts
  Associate Justice
• GTECH Corporation
  Sr. Director Brand Licensing & Marketing
• High Street Equity Advisors LLC
  Senior Managing Partner
• National Association of Securities Dealers
  Senior Compliance Examiner
• New York City Department of Small Business Services
  Training Partnership Manager
• Northwest Airlines
  Pilot
• Northwestern Mutual
  Director of Operations
• TD Bank N.A.
  Commercial Banking

General
• The Office of Career Services offers extensive assistance to students seeking employment, pursuing advanced studies or participating in postgraduate service opportunities. By completing internships and utilizing mentors, students are empowered to build lifelong career management skills.

Economics-specific
• Extensive on-campus recruiting program for internships and entry-level jobs.
• Annual career fairs and graduate school information sessions.
• Externships and internships in New York; Washington, D.C.; and Los Angeles (weeklong and semesterlong programs).
• Various industry-specific career lunches – government, nonprofits, sustainability, retail management and insurance.
• Math and Economics Alumni career panel.

Stonehill at a Glance
Founded by the Congregation of Holy Cross, Stonehill College values integrity, tradition and the rewards that come when you pair rigorous academics with world-class faculty committed to their students’ success. Our nationally recognized experiential learning programs and focus on service shape graduates into compassionate leaders and global thinkers.

• 2,590 full-time students (1,588 women, 1,002 men).
• 93% of students live on campus.
• 167 full-time faculty (100% of classes taught by professors).
• 13:1 student/faculty ratio (average class size: 19 students).
• Tuition: $36,160.
  Room and board: $13,710.
• 86% retention rate.
• 93% of enrolled students receive financial assistance. Average freshman award, including scholarships, grants, federal student loans and work study, is $25,451.
• $50.5 million: amount of aid Stonehill students received in 2013-2014 academic year.
• 80% of the Class of 2013 completed an internship-related experience while at Stonehill.
• Ranked in the top 10% nationally for opportunities abroad, Stonehill offers internships, study and service travel programs around the globe.
• 91% of students participate in internships, study abroad, research practicum or fieldwork.
• 50% of the class of 2013 had secured a job by graduation, double the national average of 25%.

98% OF ALUMNI ARE IN CAREERS, TOP GRADUATE PROGRAMS OR VOLUNTEERING WITHIN ONE YEAR OF GRADUATION