# NIPISSING

Bachelor of Arts

## Economics

Do you want to understand your place in the global economy? How can the actions of billions of individuals, the decisions of businesses, and the policies of governments impact you? Economics at Nipissing will give you the theories and tools you need to understand how the world works.

Our small group of enthusiastic and dedicated faculty focus on the Canadian context and Canada's role in the global economy. We cover the core areas of Economics and delve into critical areas such as public policy, money and banking, the labour market, international trade, international finance, and economic development. We discuss important issues such as poverty, inequality, climate change, trade agreements, monetary policy, fiscal policy, and immigration.

Over the course of your studies, you will be faced with key questions, such as:

- · What is the role of the government in the economy?
- · Are people on average rational economic agents?
- Why do some countries lag behind others in terms of economic development and how can they catch up?

The economic knowledge, research expertise, and analytical skills that you will acquire will set you up for success as you pursue your long-term goals.

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### Why Nipissing?

Economics at Nipissing will provide you with a supporting learning environment, allowing you to explore core areas as well as topics of your own interest. As a student, you will work closely with faculty members on a wide range of topics and projects. You will be exposed to a variety of views in economic thinking, as we incorporate political, philosophical, and psychological perspectives.

In your upper years, special topics courses are offered, and the topics will change depending on the research area of the professor. These courses take an in-depth look at a particular area—for example, income inequality, immigration and human trafficking, tourism and sustainability were recent choices.

Upper year students have opportunities to gain valuable work experience through:

- · Teaching assistantships
- Research assistantships
- Placements and Internships

#### What does my first year look like?

In your first year, you will be introduced to the two main branches of economics — Microeconomics and Macroeconomic. First-year classes include interactive tutorials where you will engage in group work and receive individualized support from your professors and upper-year students.

#### Where Can I Go After Graduation?

An Economics degree gives you the problem-solving, communication, analytical and research skills that employers seek. Our graduates go on to careers in economic development and planning, commercial and investment banking, finance advising, resource management, market analysis, and policy advising, to name a few. Many students choose to continue on to Master and graduate-level studies, or to professional schools like law, medicine, and education.

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