To be adopted:

Proposed Changes to Economics

**PRESENT:**

The major requirements for the B.A. degree in Economics are as follows:

1. Lower-division requirements (4 courses [at least 18 units])
   a) ECON 002, ECON 003
   b) MATH 008B or MATH 009A or MATH 09HA, MATH 009B

2. Upper-division requirements (12 courses [at least 54 units])
   a) ECON 104A, ECON 104B
   b) ECON 105A, ECON 105B
   c) ECON 101, ECON 107
   d) One four or five unit course with ECON 104B or ECON 105B or ECON 107 as a prerequisite.
   e) Five additional upper-division courses in Economics worth 4 or 5 units each, including at least three that have either ECON 104A or ECON 105A or ECON 107 as a prerequisite. Two 2-unit courses can satisfy one 4- or 5-unit course.

**Note** Up to 4 units of internship credit may be counted toward the upper-division electives in Economics.

**PROPOSED:**

The major requirements for the B.A. degree in Economics are as follows:

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   a) ECON 002, ECON 003
   b) MATH 009A or MATH 09HA, MATH 009B

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   a) ECON 104A, ECON 104B
   b) ECON 105A, ECON 105B
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**Justification:**

The Math Dept is deleting Math 8A and 8B. This change will keep the major updated.

**Approvals:**

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