

The University of Alberta is one of the oldest and largest Canadian Universities, consistently ranking as one of the top 5 universities and one of the top 150 globally. The University is located in Edmonton, Alberta, home to 1.3 million residents and among the fastest growing major cities in Canada. The city offers an extensive network of cycling, ski, and walking trails as well as river recreation. Edmonton is a vibrant urban centre with a thriving restaurant and micro-brewery scene, multiple professional sports teams, an abundance of arts and culture activities.

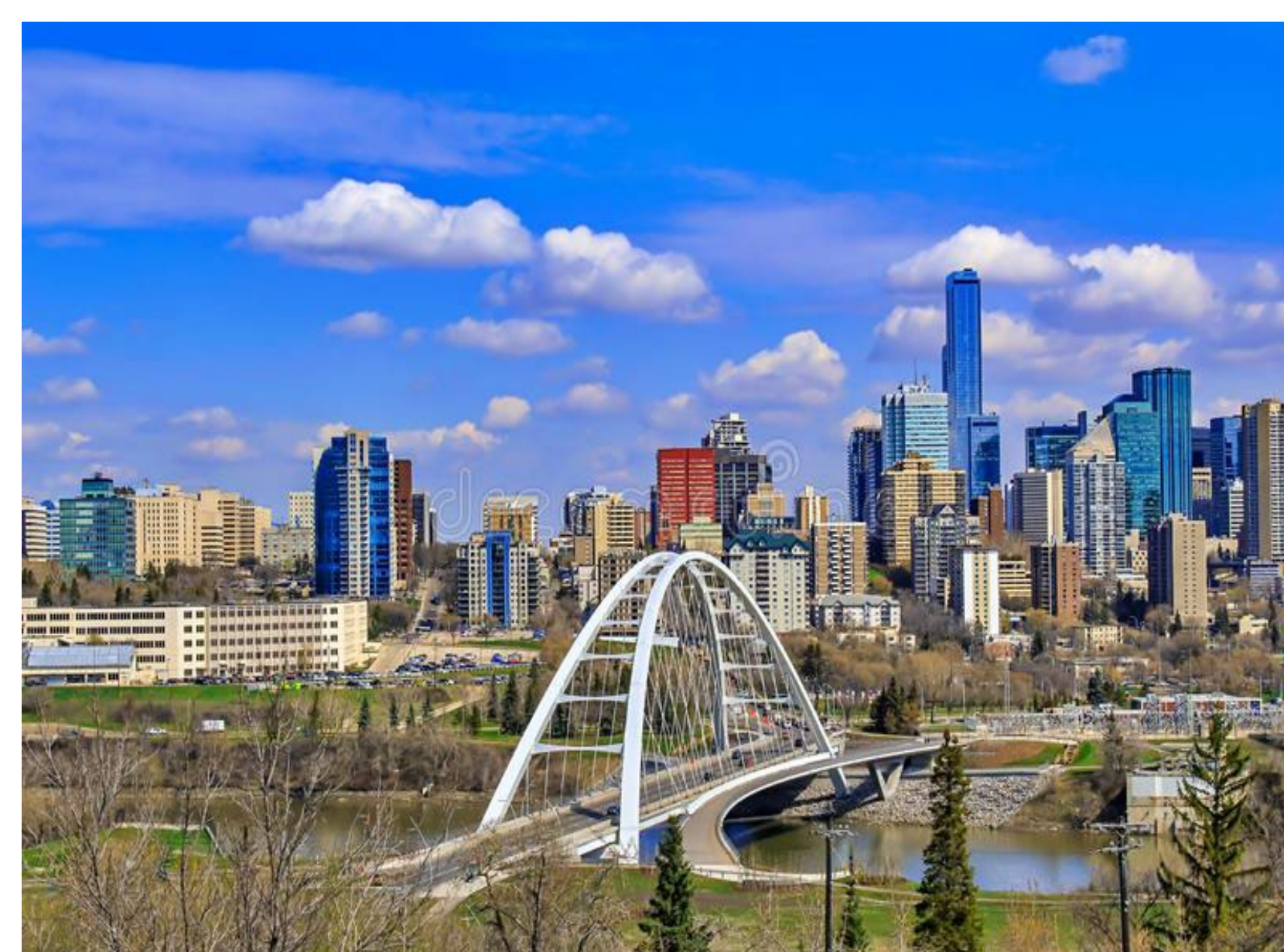


The Economics Department has 31 full time Faculty members active in research in all fields of economics and 50 graduate students across our three programs. We are a diverse department. Women make up 30% of faculty and we have faculty members and graduate students from over 20 countries. Our faculty has expertise in the areas of energy economics, labour economics, industrial organization, international trade, economic development, macroeconomics, as well as many other fields.

### Further Information

-  <https://www.ualberta.ca/economics/graduate-programs/index.html>
-  Course listing: <https://apps.ualberta.ca/catalogue/course/econ>
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**Applications open Sept 1 – Feb 1**

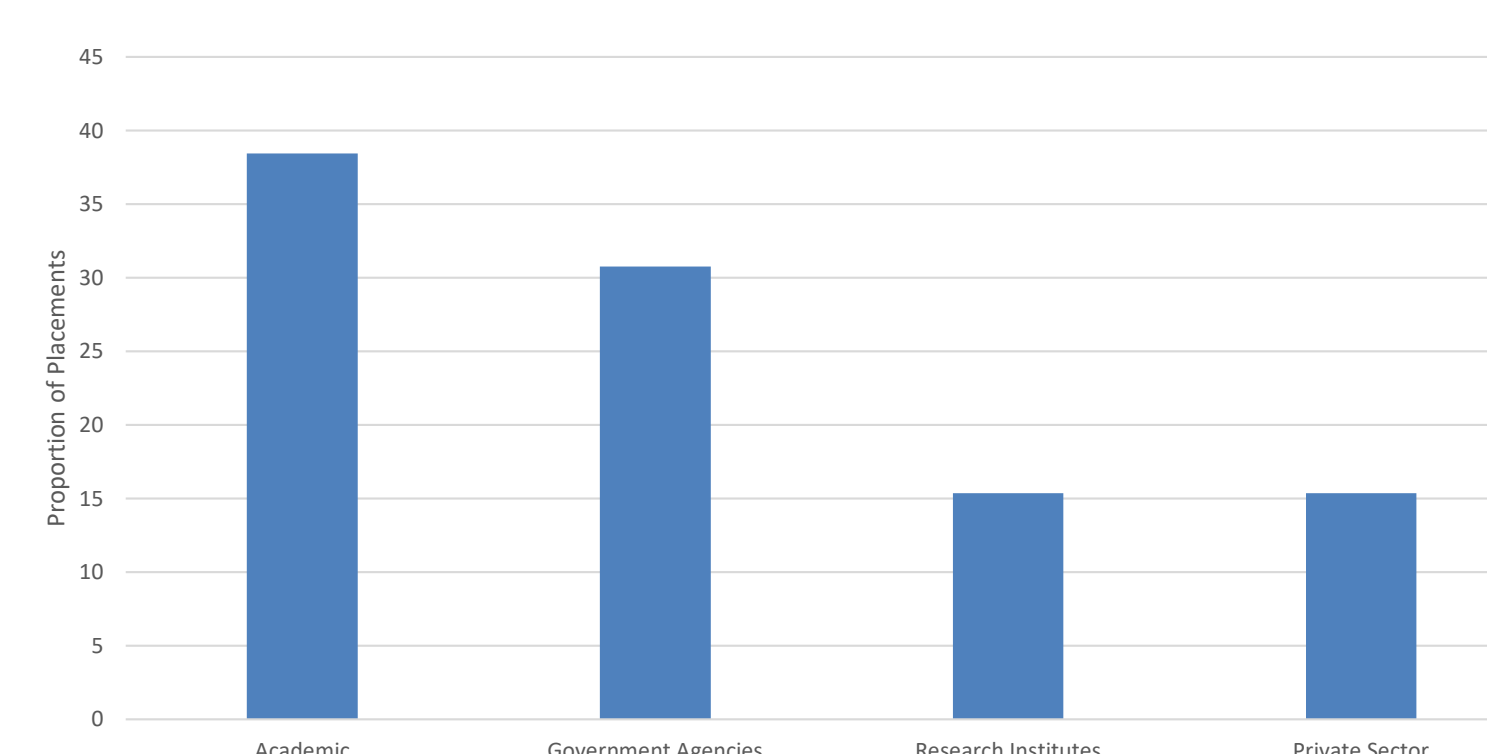


### PhD Program Highlights

**Research Fields:**

Economic Development, Environmental & Energy, Economic History, Financial Economics, Industrial Organization, International Trade, Labour & Education, Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Public Economics, Urban

**Placements (since 2016):**



**Funding:**

Our top applicants qualify for 4 years of funding and all students have access to University Scholarships.

**Facilities:**

The University of Alberta hosts a Research Data Centre, offering access to microdata from Statistics Canada surveys, census data, and a number of administrative datasets



### MA Program Highlights

**Two course-based MA programs**

- 12 month MA Economics
- 24 month MA Economics, with a specialization in Finance

**Graduates:**

Our graduates find work in the public and private sector, including provincial and federal governments, the Competition Bureau of Canada, TransAlta, ATB Financial, and the Bank of China.

Our graduates enter PhD programs in Economics, Finance, and other related disciplines at a number of Universities including the Universities of Alberta, Florida, Toronto, and Western Ontario.



**Funding:**

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**Internships:**

A small number of students may have the opportunity to secure internships with a financial institutions.

**Courses:**

Course offerings include Monetary Economics, Indigenous Economics Development, International Trade, Environmental Economics, Health Economics, Data Analysis, and Prediction & Machine Learning