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Georgia Southern named most affordable online college for Economics degree

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Georgia Southern was ranked the [2017 Most Affordable Online College for Economics Degrees](#) by OnlineU. The University offers a Master of Science in Applied Economics (MSAE) with an annual tuition rate of \$6,150.

The online MSAE program objective is to provide graduates with analytical capabilities in economic development, financial economics and regulatory issues. The skills and competencies addressed by this program include market analysis, quantitative analysis, regulatory industry analysis, financial economics and economic development. These capabilities represent a unique combination of skills that are needed within society.

"Our MSAE program combines world-class economic content with a cutting-edge delivery model. The result is a powerful value proposition, that is attracting students from across the country," stated Allen C. Amason, dean of the Georgia Southern College of Business. "Certainly, we are proud of the program and proud of the many graduates who are leveraging the MSAE degree to greater career success."

The program provides the quantitative and analytical skills needed for graduates to assist businesses in market analysis including quantitative, regulatory and economic development. Graduates are able to compete for employment in financial institutions, industry and government enterprises engaged in financial economic development, public utilities and federal and state regulatory agencies.

The list published by OnlineU includes the 25 most affordable online colleges and universities offering degrees in economics. OnlineU is a product of SR Education Group whose mission is to be the most authoritative online resource to help students choose the best school for their career aspirations and budget. They believe objective information about education, careers and educational financing should be easily accessible.

The College of Business seeks to develop and promote a learning environment of the highest quality, characterized by inspired teaching and informed by meaningful research. Consistent with the traditions and mission of Georgia Southern, the College of Business offers a broad array of undergraduate programs and select graduate programs.

Georgia Southern Ranked #1 Accredited Online College in Georgia and #17 Top Online MBA Program

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Georgia Southern was ranked as the [number one accredited online college in Georgia](#) and the [number 17 top online MBA program](#) on BestColleges.com.

The University has offered the MBA program via distance learning since 2001, and currently has an alumni network of 73,000 graduates.

Georgia Southern offers qualified, motivated professionals a 21-month path to an AACSB-International accredited MBA degree. The asynchronous structure of the online format allows students to attend class from wherever, whenever. Unlike the traditional face-to-face MBA classrooms, the Online MBA classroom is accessible from anywhere in the world, 24/7.

A general management degree at its core, the Online MBA complements most undergraduate degrees and enhances the skill set of graduates—no matter their career paths. The online curriculum consists of 10 courses (30 credit hours) with students completing two courses each semester for five consecutive semesters. While U.S. students are required to attend a two-day orientation in Atlanta, they are not expected to visit campus once the program begins.

“Our Online MBA offers outstanding value and is very popular among busy professionals. The coursework is rigorous and relevant, and the delivery model is flexible and convenient. So, we’re very happy to be recognized,” states Allen C. Amason, dean of the College of Business at Georgia Southern University. “We’re proud of work that’s been done in this program and of the alumni whose success reflects so well on it.”

BestColleges.com seeks to empower students by providing the information needed to make informed higher education decisions. Through proprietary research, they build user-friendly guides and rankings that lead students of all ages on their personal path to a college degree. They are dedicated to helping students find the school that best meets their needs.

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