



ECONO-MYTHS AND REALITIES

MYTH

ECONOMICS IS ONLY MICRO AND MACRO

REALITY

MSU ECON OFFERS CLASSES IN:

- Poverty
- Sports
- Health
- International Finance
- Development
- Econometrics
- Education
- Behavioral Science
- Law
- Game Theory
- Labor
- Monetary Policy

MYTH

ECONOMICS IS BORING

REALITY

"It's a whole big picture...it gives you a sense of what is going on in the world."

David, '89, Chief Global Strategist, JP Morgan

MYTH

ECONOMICS IS A BUSINESS DEGREE

REALITY

"Econ is still a social science because it's all about people and the choices they make."

Dominic, Current Major

MYTH

ECONOMICS IS THE STUDY OF MONEY & STOCKS

REALITY

"Economics is the study of allocating scarce resources among a population with lots of different wants and needs."

Kim, '17, Poverty Researcher, MIT

MYTH

ECONOMICS MAJORS HAVE LIMITED JOB OPTIONS

REALITY

MSU ECON ALUMNI WORK IN DIVERSE FIELDS:

- Public Policy
- Management Consulting
- Data Analytics
- Research
- Supply Chain
- Marketing
- Law
- Financial Analysis
- Journalism
- Health Care