



Purpose:

To support present and anticipated curricular needs for bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees (in the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies), as well as faculty research in all areas of economics.

General Collection Guidelines:

. Languages: English will be the primary language of the collection, with works in French, German, Spanish and Arabic collected selectively.

b. Chronological Guidelines: The major emphasis is on the twenty-first century, but classical works about economics in earlier periods will be ordered to fill in gaps in the collection.

c. Geographical Guidelines: The primary focus is on the United States. Other areas of significance (in approximate order of importance) are Europe, Asia, Latin America, the Middle East and Africa.

d. Treatment of Subject: Books of high quality will be ordered. Histories of economics are important, and biographies of seminal thinkers will be selectively acquired.

e. Types of Material: Most materials acquired will be in the form of books and periodicals and will include, in addition to monographs and serial publications, encyclopedias, dictionaries, atlases, directories, proceedings of conferences and congresses, transactions and reports of societies, statistical publications of the United States government, the United Nations, and statistical yearbooks from other countries.

f. Date of Publication: Primarily current materials will be ordered, but some retrospective buying will occur.

g. Other General Considerations: There will be some overlap with the curriculum and library needs of the departments of History (in the areas of Labor and Economic History), Managerial Sciences (Labor and Industrial Economics), International Business (International Economics and Trade), Public Administration and Urban Studies (Urban Economics) and the Middle East Institute (Middle Eastern economies) .

Observations and Qualifications by Subject Subdivision _____ Collecting Level

Economic Theory	4
History of Economic Thought	4
Economic History	4

Economic Development	4
Comparative Economic Systems	4
International Trade and International Economics	4
Labor Economics	4
Labor and Industrial Relations	4
Industrial Organization	4
Public Finance and Fiscal Policy	4
Econometrics	4
Regional and Urban Economics	4

NOTE: In each area, the emphasis will be on the acquisition of collateral reading materials to the graduate level.

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