MQE PARTNER PROGRAM

The Master of Science in Quantitative Economics (MQE) degree at the University of Pittsburgh will prepare students, through rigorous coursework and hands-on experience, with the quantitative, analytical and communication skills needed to identify and resolve complex economic problems using a broad spectrum of quantitative techniques that are useful across contexts.

Partners of the program have exclusive opportunities to engage with our students through curated connections, career chats, capstone projects, and professional development events and projects.

The Department of Economics ranks among the top 40 economic departments in the U.S. with 36 faculty, 59 doctoral students, 15 master students, and 574 undergraduates. Almost a quarter of all Pitt students enroll in an economics course and 58% of economic students graduate with honors.

CAPSTONE PROJECT
Organizations submit real-world problems for students who work in groups, under the supervision of faculty mentors, to analyze and provide data-driven solutions and strategies.

CAREER CHATS & COACHING
Professionals discuss their career path and the value of specific workplace readiness skills. Students will have an opportunity to network with them and learn more about their organization. Professionals support students in attaining their professional goals through participation in resume reviews, mock interviews and negotiations, and sharing expectations of the first days on a new job.

MQE CONNECTS
Professionals meet with individual students for an informational interview and flash-mentoring opportunity through curated connections based upon industry and professional interests.

PROJECTS & INTERNSHIPS
Organizations gain valuable support by providing short-term assignments for students to gain real-world experience and the opportunity to work with an experienced professional while scouting for potential employees.

Organizations and professionals interested in the MQE Partner Program and employee recruitment, please contact:
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