Master of Science in Quantitative Economics

An eight-month STEM degree with career services

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MQE CONNECTS

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

Connections provides students with exposure to different careers, industries, and powerful insights. The program is facilitated on the MQE Connects group in the Pitt Commons platform.



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.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

To connect with three professionals within six months for a 30-minute virtual or in-person meeting to ask questions about their career path, the value of workplace readiness skills, and their professional advice. Any student request for an internship or job is considered inappropriate during these connections.

PARTNER EXPECTATIONS

To meet with three students within six months for a 30-minute virtual or in-person meeting to discuss your career path, the value of workplace readiness skills, and relevant professional advice.

HOW TO

Join the MQE Connects group in the Pitt Commons platform. Once in Pitt Commons, you will be prompted to create your profile (the more information you include, the more accurate your match will be!).

Then Join the MQE Group: 1) Groups > 2) All Groups > 3) Search for MQE Program in the search bar > 4) Join Group button. Your request to join the group will be approved within 12 hours.

If a student and professional would like to continue their discussion through a more robust, virtual mentoring experience then the *Pitt Commons Mentor Handbook* will provide guidance.

Organizations and professionals interested in MQE Connects and employee recruitment, please contact:
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