

Placement Cell School of Economics University of Hyderabad





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ABOUT UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD

Set peacefully amidst the perennial green cover of Gulmohar and Mahogany, University of Hyderabad (UoH) spans about 2300 acres in the prime IT hub of the city and is among the finest institutions for higher education in India. UoH has been recognized as a "University of Excellence" by the University Grants Commission (UGC) and was simultaneously awarded 'Grade A' (3.72/4.00 CGPA) by the National eously Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in 2014. It received the PURSE award from the Prime Minister of India. It has been given the status of an "Institution of Eminence" by the Government of India in 2019. Established in 1974 with Prof. Gurbaksh Singh as its first vice-chancellor, UoH, also known as Hyderabad Central University (HCU), has emerged as a leading center of teaching and research. With 46 different departments and centres in 12 schools of study, the University has over 400 faculty members and over 5000 students enrolled. The university offers about 150 different courses of study, ranging from Master's Programmes and Doctoral Studies along with 5-year Integrated Master's Programmes. The UoH campus is a self-sufficient haven, housing 23 hostels, 2 shopping complexes, 4 multipurpose auditoriums, a health center, a well-equipped library and reading rooms. Most members of the faculty reside inside the university premises. The entire campus is connected on 1 Gbps NKN connectivity and is Wi-fi enabled.



ABOUT SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

The School of Economics (SoE) had humble beginnings as a Department of Economics in 1979 and was upgraded to its current stature in 2012. With its enriched course content and splendid faculty caliber, it stands out as one of the most sought-after destinations for higher education in Economics. Characterized by a diverse range of academic offerings, the M.A., I.M.A., and Ph.D. programs incorporate a balance of theoretical analysis & quantitative reasoning, enabling students to tackle emerging imperatives in economics. The School encourages quality research programs through collaboration with Indian & International Institutes. The faculty has also made several research-based contributions in major fields of economics. The School has also been recognized as a Centre of Advanced Study (CAS) Phase-1 by the University Grants Commission. Teaching & Learning at the School is defined by a diverse range of academic offerings & exposure to a multiplicity of paradigms. Students are trained by renowned faculty which seeks to prepare wellequipped economists who can tackle new emerging imperatives in economics.

COURSES OFFERED

MA ECONOMICS

It has been designed with a clear emphasis on emerging global issues like trade, technology, environment, natural resources, currency and finance, behavioural economics and environmental economics. This makes it unique and distinct from conventional M.A. programmes in economics offered elsewhere in the country. The course structure provides sound theoretical background in the principles of economics and equips students with analytical tools and techniques for understanding the evolution of the global economy from various perspectives. An optional research project complements this curriculum towards the end.

MA FINANCIAL ECONOMICS

It is designed to equip students with necessary analytical tools and techniques by way of an in-depth training in econometrics, time series techniques, and other quantitative methods. The focus of the training would be on practical application and hands-on experience through assignments and projects. These will also equip them with the competence to analyse big data sets and market trends. Keeping these objectives in mind, the two-year programme offers a balanced mix of core subjects and electives along with a research project towards the end of the programme.

INTEGRATED MASTERS (I.M.A. ECONOMICS)

It is a five-year course, the first three years of which, our students dedicate to the study of various diverse disciplines of social sciences and humanities with the objective of building a broad transdisciplinary understanding of socio-economics issues. In their fourth year of study the students and their courses are merged with that of either Economics or Financial economics, in accordance with their preferences.

FROM THE DESK OF VICE-CHANCELLOR



Dear recruiter,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the University of Hyderabad (UoH). UoH has been consistently ranked as one of the best destinations to pursue higher education in the country across disciplines. The University Grants (UGC) has granted Grade-I autonomy to the University of Hyderabad for maintaining high academic standards. Recognizing its exemplary academic excellence, the University has been accorded the status of "Institute of Eminence." The University has proactively taken various steps to uphold academic integrity and excellence during the pandemic.

The students of the University are offered various interdisciplinary courses and are actively encouraged to take them up to expand their horizons. With over 400 teaching staff, more than 5000 students, 12 schools, 42 departments of excellence, and 17 centres of Research, UoH is one of the most vibrant campuses of the country.

The School of Economics, University of Hyderabad is one of the most prestigious Economics Schools in the country. The Integrated Master's and Master's programs offered by the School are among the most sought-after programs by the nation's brightest students, with an ever-increasing number of applicants. The course structure of the School incorporates a balance between theoretical analysis and quantitative reasoning. The students are trained to be well-equipped economists capable of tackling emerging imperatives in the subject field. The Placement Cell, School of Economics has been created to act as an interface between the Industry and our students to facilitate on and off-campus recruitment of our talented and industrious students.

I am pleased to present to you our 2022 batch students of School of Economics and hope to establish a long-term relationship between our two organizations.

Dr. B.J. Rao
Vice-Chancellor
UoH

FROM THE DESK OF

DEAN

I would like to extend a warm welcome to you on behalf of the School of Economics, University of Hyderabad. The academic programs offered by the School in Economics and Financial Economics are sought after by the brightest of minds in the country. I take immense pride in presenting you, a set of highly skilled students in the field of Economics.

The School offers two post-graduate programs and two Integrated Master's programs in Economics and Financial Economics. The programs, with their in-built flexibility, enable the students to handle various subjects cutting across different dimensions of



economics such as Econometrics, Money & Finance, Game Theory, Public Policy, Natural, and Human Resource Economics. The programs train the students to handle and analyze data using software such as Python, R, and STATA. The school trains students in the mainstream as well as in Heterodox traditions in economics, which trains them in alternative perspectives. The events organized by the School aid the students in developing various skills: logical reasoning, problem-solving, group discussion, debating, and presentation.

Over the years, our alumni have occupied various roles across a wide variety of sectors such as data analytics, finance, investment banking, sales & marketing, media, research, and policy-making. It gives me immense pleasure to present before you a set of well-trained students who are adaptable to various circumstances.

We look forward to a positive response from your side. In addition, we also hope to establish a long standing relationship between our two organizations.

Dr. R.V. Ramana Murthy
Dean
School of Economics, UoH

FROM THE DESK OF

PLACEMENT COORDINATOR



It is with great pleasure that I invite the potential recruiters to the School of Economics, University of Hyderabad, an institution of eminence, to participate in the current placement season.

Our university has earned a distinct position as one of the premier universities as per the NAAC Survey, top ten by NIRF and ARII survey, and top 700 by QS ranking. We focus on the overall development of our students and craft them for both the academic and corporate worlds. We have fostered the industry association for more than a decade and wish to continue with our new recruiters. The curriculum of the two flagship PG programs and the Integrated master's in economics program is designed to make students industry-ready.

The students are trained to analyze data using multiple sophisticated statistical tools such as R-Studio, Tableau, Stata, Python and Power BI through various customized workshops. Additional workshops on soft skills and technical skills are conducted to make the students fit for the competition and challenges ahead. Our students are equally sound in the theoretical foundation of economics and finance as the school follows a balanced paradigm of economic thoughts. The students are trained beyond the textbooks to develop creative thinking from out of the box, instant problem-solving skills, time management skills, project management skills, communication, and writing skills.

Through our latest initiative Alumni Talks and Corporate Talks, we have established an association with our alumni, occupying various roles, which gives them an insider look into a wide variety of sectors. This gives the exposure to our students to easily fit into multiple roles across verticals like business analytics, market analytics, data analytics, data science, investment analytics, to name a few.

With this, I heartily welcome all the recruiters to take part in the placement process for the current academic year 2021-22 and pick the best of minds.

Dr. Alok Kumar Mishra
Faculty Placement Coordinator
Placement Cell, School of Economics, UoH

OUR FACULTY

DEAN

R.V. Ramana Murthy, Ph.D. (Hyderabad) Specialization - Indian Plan Models, Planning in India, Economics of Business Enterprises

PROFESSORS

Naresh Kumar Sharma, Ph.D. (ISI, Delhi)
Specialization - Economic Theory, Gandhian
Economic, Money & Finance, Development,
Science & Technology

R. Vijay, Ph.D. (Hyderabad)
Specialization-Political Economy, Development
Economics, New Institutional Economics

Debashis Acharya, Ph.D.(University of Hyderabad)

Specialization - Macro-Monetary Economics, Financial Economics, Inclusive Finance and Development.

K. Laxminarayana, M.A. (Hyderabad)
Specialization - Political Economy and
Agricultural Economics

N.A. Khan, Ph.D. (Allahabad)
Specialization - Public Finance, International

Business, Macro Economics, Infrastructure Economics

Boppana Nagarjuna, Ph.D. (University of Hyderabad)

Specialization - Industrial Economics, Transitional Economics and International Finance, Indian Economy

Phanindra Goyari, MPhil (IGIDR Mumbai), Ph.D. (UoH)

Specialization - Political Economy and Agricultural Economics

S Raja Sethu Durai, Ph.D. (University of Madras)

Specialization- Macroeconomics, Applied Econometrics and Financial Economics

ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS

G.Sridevi, Ph.D (ISEC, Bangalore)

Specialization- Food Security, Health Care, Gender, Poverty & Economics of Discrimination.

Alok Kumar Mishra, Ph.D.(UoH)

Specialization - Derivatives and Risk Management, Financial Economics, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Econometrics, Land, Housing, Transport and Urban Economics.

ASSISTANT PROFESSORS

G.Vijay, Ph.D

Specialization - Political Economy, Development Economics, Labour Economics, Environmental Economics

S. Limakumba Walling, MA(UoH)

Specialization - Macroeconomics, Political Economy and Economics of Competition

Prajna Paramita Mishra, Ph.D.(UoH)

Specialization - Environmental and Natural Resource Economics. Special research interest in the area of Mining and Economic Valuation

B. N. Rao, Ph.D. (UoH)

Specialization - Agricultural Economics

K.Ramachandra, Ph.D(Andhra)

Specialization - Health Economics, Urban Economics, Macroeconomic issues and policies, Agricultural Economics

Krishna Reddy Chittedi, Ph.D.(CDS-JNU)
Specialization - Finance

Motilal Bicchal, Ph. D. (UoH)

Specialization - Macro-monetary

EMERITUS PROFESSORS

Kamaiah Bandi, Ph.D.(IIT, Bombay)

Specialization - Monetary and Financial Economics

HONORARY PROFESSORS

Prasanna K. Mohanty, Ph.D.

Specialization - Land, Housing, Transport and Urban Economics



Prof. Amartya Sen
Bharat Ratna Awardee &
Nobel Laureate in Economics

Prof. Joseph Stiglitz
Nobel Laureate in Economics





Prof. Kaushik Basu President, International Economic Association

Dr. Duvvuri Subbarao Former Governor, RBI



Dr. Arvind Panagariya
Former Vice-Chairman,
NITI Aayog

Dr. Jagdish N. Bhagwati
Professor of Economics & Law,
Columbia University



Dr. Arvind Subramanian
Former Chief Economic Advisor,
Government of India

The School organizes distinguished lectures from eminent academicians and policymakers for the benefit of students.

COURSE STRUCTURE

CORE PAPERS

ECONOMICS

- Macroeconomic Theory
- Microeconomic Theory
- Mathematics for Economics
- Statistics for Economics
- Econometrics
- Mathematical Optimization
- International Trade & Payments
- Theory of Economic Growth
- Classical Political Economy
- Public Finance
- Political Economy of Development
- Indian Economy Post Independence

FINANCIAL ECONOMICS

- Macroeconomic Theory
- Microeconomic Theory
- Financial Statement & Analysis
- Econometrics
- Mathematical Optimization
- Game Theory
- Financial Economics
- Money, Banking & Fin. Markets
- Time Series & Spectral Methods
- Financial Derivatives & Risk
 Management
- Corporate Finance
- Financial Econometrics
- Financial Modelling
- Probability and Statistical Inference

ELECTIVES

ECONOMETRICS

- Basic Econometrics
- Financial Econometrics
- Panel Data Econometrics
- Time Series and Spectral Methods

MATHEMATICS ELECTIVES

- Game Theory I
- Game Theory II
- Mathematical Optimisation
- Probability & Statistical Inference

FINANCIAL ELECTIVES

- Financial Economics
- Fixed Income Securities, Debt Markets and the Macro Economy
- Financial Derivatives and Risk
 Management
- Corporate Finance
- Financial Modelling
- Empirical Finance
- International Finance
- Money and Banking
- Behavioural Finance
- Financial Statement Analysis
- Business Analytics

ASSIGNMENTS

 Along with regular assesments, there are at least 2 assignments per subject that are given per semester to each student to press on the practical use of subjects.

DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

- Economics of Discrimination
- Development Economics I & II
- Health Economics
- Labour Economics
- Capital Theory
- Law and Economics
- Economic Development in S-E Asia
- Industrial Organization I & II

PUBLIC POLICY ELECTIVES

- Environmental Economics
- Agricultural Economics
- Issues in Indian Public Policy
- Urban Economics and Policy
- Transport Economics
- Land Economics

MICROECONOMIC ELECTIVES

- Theory of Economic Growth
- Introduction to Social Choice Theory
- Behavioural Economics
- Industrial Economics
- International Trade & Payments
- New Institutional Economics
- Transitional Economics

DISSERTATION

 For Financial Economics students, the dissertation is compulsory and for others, it is optional. 4 credits are given for the paper and a proper process involving a presentation and viva is followed to evaluate and scrutinise it, only then a student is given a grade for the same.











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WHY HIRE US?

OUR FACULTY

• Our students are trained by distinguished faculty who are specialized in diverse fields and various schools of thought and made several research-based contributions in major fields of Economics.

THE EXPOSURE

• Our students are encouraged to take part in various internships and projects during their summer and winter vacations which familiarize them with the work culture of the corporate and academic worlds.

FOCUS ON SOFT-SKILLS

• The system of academic writing, group assignments, presentations, group discussions as well as various workshops conducted by the placement cell enable our students to develop skills such as strong verbal and written communication, effective presentation, teamwork, and cooperation.

OUR STUDENTS

• Our students come from diverse academic and cultural backgrounds, enhancing their suitability to various roles and adaptability to various work environments. They are trained in various data analytics software such as R, Python and STATA, among others.

OUR CURRICULA

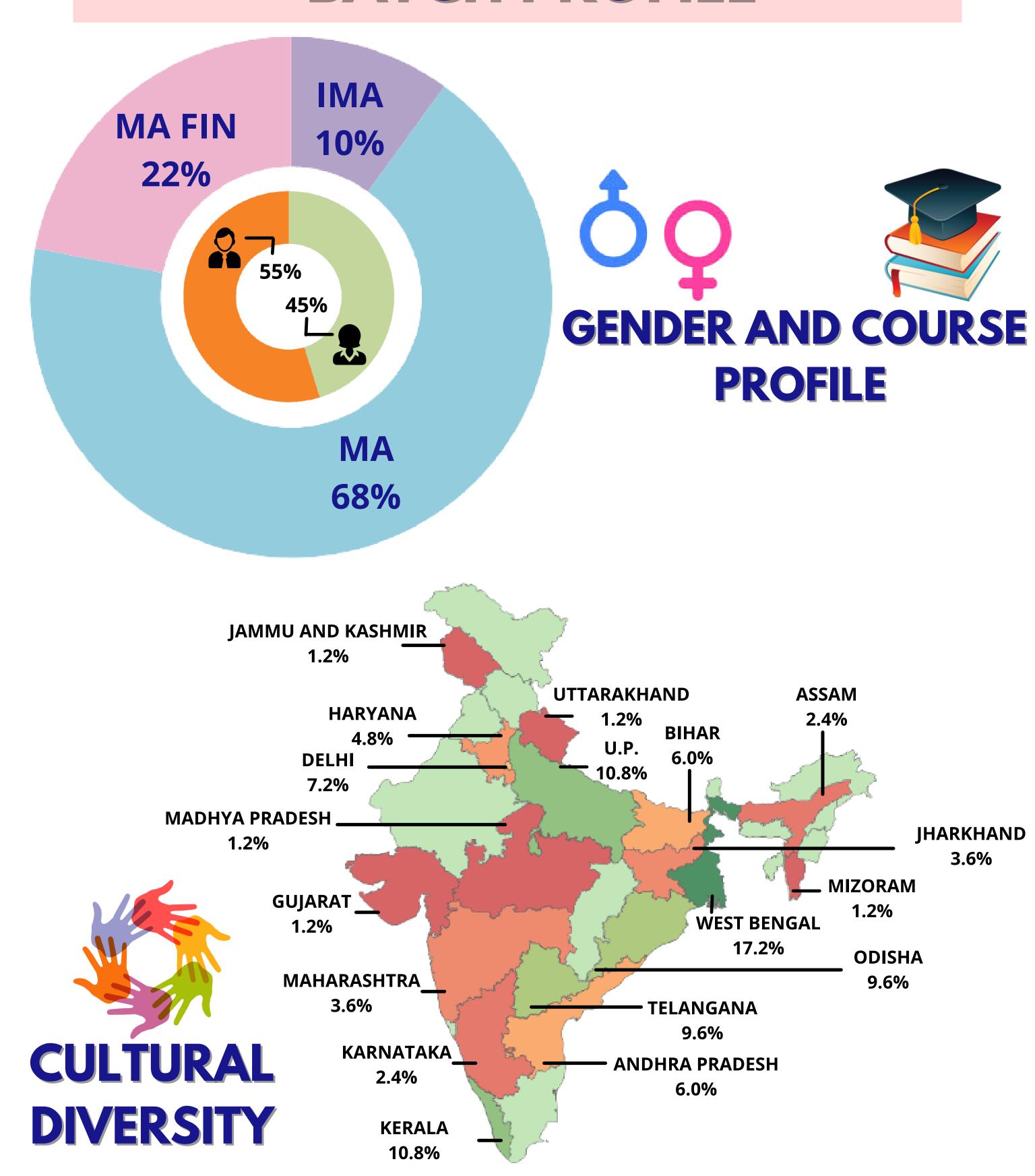
• Our curricula strongly emphasizes on quantitative analysis in addition to a strong theoretical foundation. The econometrics stream at the School of Economics is highly rated and ranks among the top econometric departments in the country. The emphasis on quantitative analysis enables the students to develop better techniques for statistical analysis, forecasting, extrapolation, and other tools essential for effective decision-making.

WHERE DO WE FIT IN?

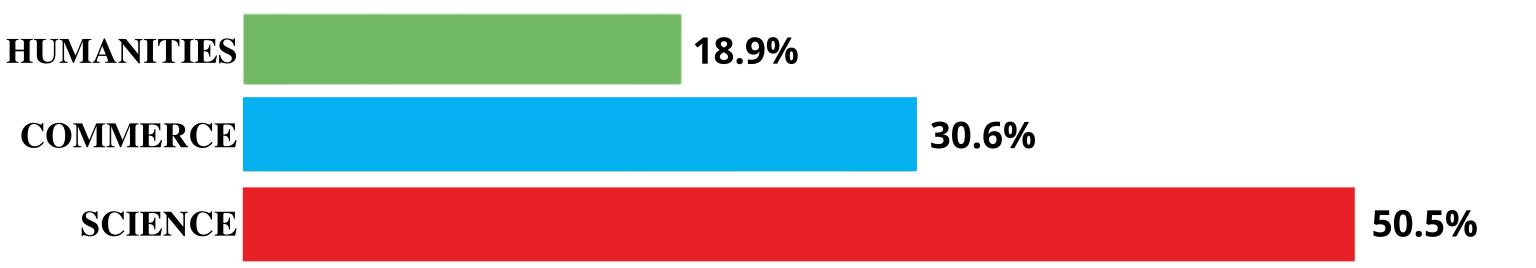


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BATCH PROFILE



BACKGROUND BEFORE UG



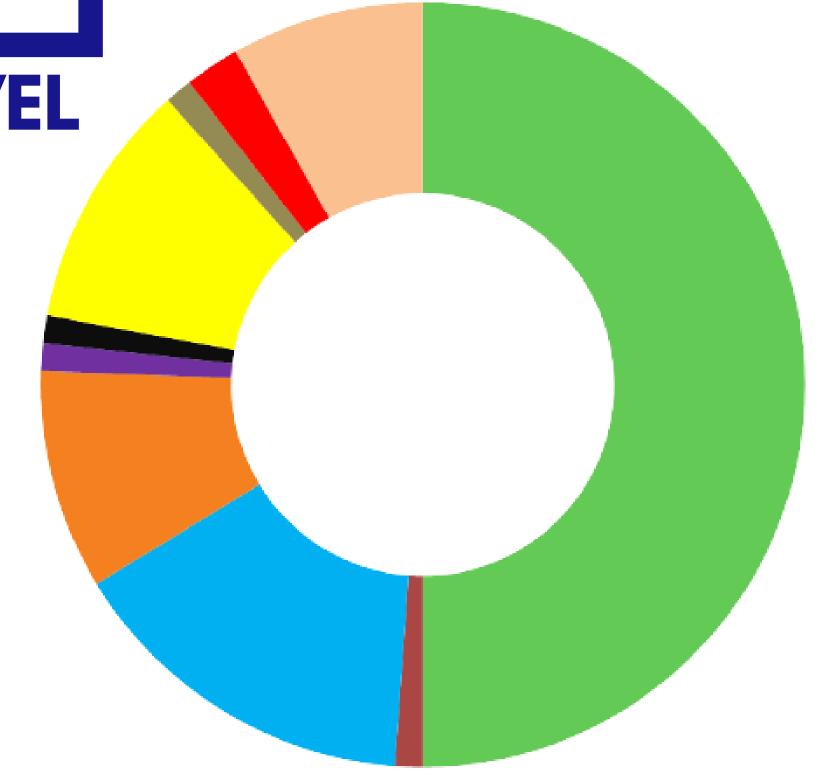
Machine Learning Google Data Studio Eviews
vensim Python
SPSS Python
Confluence Github trello Tableau
STATA SQL

TECHNICAL SKILLS



DEGREE AT UG LEVEL

- BA (Hons) Economics **50%**
- BA (Hons) Political Science 1.1%
- BA (Multiple Subjects) **15.1%**
- BA Economics 9.3%
- BBA **1.1%**
- BCom **1.1%**
- BSc (Hons) Economics 10.4%
- BSc (Hons) Physics 1.1%
- Btech 2.2%
- IMA Economics 8.6%





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