

Fall 2022 K-State Economics Club Field Trip  
(Application due, 5 PM Friday, February 22)

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Please fill out the application on the reverse side of this page if you would like to attend this year's field trip. While we were hoping to completely fund this trip for students, we may require that some expenses may be paid by the individual student. Therefore, we may either ask you to either book your own travel to Chicago out of Manhattan or provide a deposit to the Economics Department.

You will be asked to share a hotel room with another student of the same gender, and it is possible we may have three people in a hotel room. The club will pay for your shuttle travel and hotel and most meals. Leisure travel is the responsibility of each student. We may be driving to Kansas City to travel to Chicago although it appears that we will be able to travel on an early morning (5 AM) flight out of MHK on Thursday, April 4. It is quite possible that we ask you to book your own flights (currently \$157 round trip).

The current plan is to fly out of Kansas City at 504 AM arriving in Chicago at 651 AM. On Saturday we will leave Chicago at 302 PM and get back to Manhattan at 452 PM.

Here is a tentative agenda for the trip (The trip will take place April 4-6)

Thursday – Group breakfast once we get to Chicago. Travel to and meet with representatives from Epsilon Economics and go to the Chicago FED and the Money Museum. Possibly tour the CME. Check into hotel and have a reception with many important guests at the Union League from 4-6 PM. Evening events are student choice.

Friday – John Nelson – President of Applied Research Company will host us in his office building. We are going to have speakers come to the office and speak to us. We expect to have representative from DePaul University, Stone X, Citadel Securities and tech and AI experts along with cybersecurity experts. We may host additional guests from the CME.

Friday afternoon we expect to host a special event for the club. We are looking at an architectural boat tour which has been highly reviewed!

Saturday morning – Leisure and sight-seeing as desired.

Forgive my informality but I am confident this will be an amazing trip. Judging by previous trips I don't think I am building this up too much! I realize more specifics about the trip will be added later!

#### Application

Please include with this form an essay (typed) listing your favorite economics club events you have attended. Within this essay include a paragraph about how attending this trip might relate well to your chosen field of study. Applications should be typed and no more than a page in length.

