

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON**

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

NAME: _____
(Print)

PRIMARY FIELDS OF INTEREST: _____

OTHER INTEREST AREAS: _____

In your Statement of Purpose you may want to include these topics:

- Your reasons for wanting to enroll in the University of Wisconsin-Madison's doctoral program in economics
- Your educational goals as a graduate student
- Your research interests and career objectives
- A description of an intellectual experience you've had

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