

Journal List 2020-2022

Guiding principles

- The inclusion of journals and their ranking should be based on criteria and measures, which are external to the department and widely accepted in the research community.
- The ranking should be possible to update without changing the underlying rules of the ranking of journals into different categories.
- The department's focus is primarily in Economics, but an important part of its activities (in terms of education and research) is in Finance, which needs to be reflected in the criteria.
- Research published in journals outside Economics and Finance should be recognized, but only if it holds top quality and has a high impact. These journals are either top journals in related fields having direct importance to business schools and their rankings or high impact prestigious scientific journals of any field.

The Journal list

The following external sources are used to evaluate publications: Thomson & Reuter's Article Influence Score (AIS) and Chartered Association of Business Schools' Academic Journal Guide (AJG). These sources are widely recognized. For instance, Tinbergen Institute and Maastricht University use AIS to evaluate qualifications. Many business schools (including CBS and SSE) use criteria based on AJG.

Categories: Which journals are to be included?

Economics: journals listed in the field "Economics and Statistics" of AJG, with rating 3 or higher, *and* that have an AIS in the field "Economics" in ISI (Institute for Scientific Information) Web of Knowledge.

Finance: journals listed in the field "Finance" of AJG, with rating 3 or higher, *and* have an AIS in the field "Business and Finance" in ISI.

Other fields: top journals outside the fields **Economics** and **Finance**.

Ranking: How should the journals' relative rank and weight be decided?

A*: journals in the fields **Economics** and **Finance** with 4* in AJG.

A: journals in the fields **Economics** and **Finance** in category 4 and 3 in AJG with $AIS \geq 2$. Journals in **other fields** in category 4* in AJG with $AIS \geq 2$. In addition, journals in political science with $AIS \geq 4$ and scientific journals in fields not mentioned above with $AIS \geq 15$.

B*: journals in the fields **Economics** and **Finance** in category 4 and 3 of the AJG with $1.5 \leq AIS < 2$.

B: journals in the fields **Economics** and **Finance** in category 4 and 3 of the AJG with $1 \leq AIS < 1.5$

b: journals in the fields **Economics** and **Finance** in category 4 and 3 of the AJG with $AIS < 1$

Implementation and updating rule

The journal list will be revised every third year starting in the beginning of 2017 using the most recent AJG and AIS scores. To avoid yearly fluctuations in AIS, these scores will be based on the most recent three-year-average of the journals' AIS. The list of journals for the coming three years is attached.

Journals (within each category ordered alphabetically) Points

Economics and Finance

A* Journals

American Economic Review	20
Econometrica	20
Journal of Finance	20
Journal of Financial Economics	20
Journal of Political Economy	20
Quarterly Journal of Economics	20
Review of Economic Studies	20
Review of Financial Studies	20

A Journals Economics and Finance

American Economic Journal: Applied	10
American Economic Journal: Econ Pol	10
American Economic Journal: Macro	10
American Economic Journal: Micro	10
Annual Review of Economics	10
Annual Review of Financial Economics	10
Brookings Papers on Economic Activity	10
Econometric Theory	10
Economic Journal	10
Economic Policy	10
Experimental Economics	10
IMF Economic Review	10
International Economic Review	10
Journal of Applied Econometrics	10
Journal of Business and Econ Statistics	10
Journal of Development Economics	10
Journal of Econometrics	10
Journal of Economic Growth	10
Journal of Economic Literature	10
Journal of Economic Perspectives	10
Journal of Economic Theory	10
Journal of Financial and Quant Analysis	10
Journal of Health Economics	10
Journal of Human Resources	10
Journal of International Economics	10
Journal of Labor Economics	10
Journal of Monetary Economics	10
Journal of Public Economics	10
Journal of the European Econ Assoc	10
Journal of Urban Economics	10
Mathematical Finance	10
Quantitative Economics	10
RAND Journal of Economics	10

Review of Economic Dynamics	10
Review of Economics and Statistics	10
Review of Finance	10
Theoretical Economics	10

B* Journals

Econometrics Journal	5
European Economic Review	5
Finance and Stochastics	5
Journal of Environ Econ and Man	5
Journal of Financial Econometrics	5
Journal of Financial Intermediation	5
Journal of Financial Markets	5
Journal of Law and Economics	5
Journal of Law, Econ and Organization	5
Journal of Money, Credit and Banking	5
Journal of Risk and Uncertainty	5
World Bank Economic Review	5

B Journals

American Journal of Agricultural Econ	2
Ecological Economics	2
Econometric Reviews	2
Econ Development and Cultural Change	2
Economic Inquiry	2
Economic Theory	2
Economica	2
Energy Economics	2
Financial Analysts Journal	2
Games and Economic Behavior	2
Health Economics	2
Int Journal of Industrial Organization	2
Journal of Banking and Finance	2
Journal of Econ Behavior and Org	2
Journal of Econ Dynamics and Control	2
Journal of Industrial Economics	2
Journal of Population Economics	2
Labour Economics	2
Land Economics	2
Oxford Bulletin of Econ and Statistics	2
Real Estate Economics	2
Scandinavian Journal of Economics	2

b Journals

Cambridge Journal of Economics	1
Canadian Journal of Economics	1
Corporate Governance: An Int Review	1
Economics Letters	1

Environmental and Resource Econ	1
European Financial Management	1
European Journal of Finance	1
European Review of Agricultural Econ	1
Financial Management (USA)	1
Insurance, Mathematics and Economics	1
Int Journal of Finance and Economics	1
Int Review of Financial Analysis	1
Journal of Agricultural Economics	1
Journal of Comparative Economics	1
Journal of Corporate Finance	1
Journal of Empirical Finance	1
Journal of Financial Services Research	1
Journal of Financial Stability	1
Journal of Futures Markets	1
Journal of Institutional Economics	1
Journal of Int Fin Markets, Inst and Money	1
Journal of Int Money and Finance	1
Journal of Mathematical Economics	1
Journal of Real Estate Finance and Econ	1
Journal of Risk and Insurance	1
Oxford Economics Papers	1
Public Choice	1
Quantitative Finance	1
Review of Income and Wealth	1
Social Choice and Welfare	1

Other Fields

A journals: top jnls other fields

AJG=4*

Academy of Management Journal	10
Academy of Management Review	10
Accounting Review	10
Administrative Science Quarterly	10
American Journal of Sociology	10
American Sociological Review	10
Annals of Statistics	10
Annual Review of Sociology	10
Information Systems Research	10
Journal of Accounting and Economics	10
Journal of Accounting Research	10
Journal of Applied Psychology	10
Journal of Consumer Research	10
Journal of Int Business Studies	10
Journal of Management	10
Journal of Marketing	10
Journal of Marketing Research	10

Journal of Operations Management	10
Journal of the Acad of Marketing Science	10
Management Science	10
Marketing Science	10
MIS Quarterly	10
Organization Science	10
Psychological Science	10
Strategic Management Journal	10

A journals: top pol science jnls

American Journal of Political Science	10
American Political Science Review	10
Annual Review of Political Science	10
Political Analysis	10

A journals: Jnls outside AJG with AIS>15

Some examples

Cell	10
Jama	10
Lancet	10
Nature	10
Science	10