



Expanding  
Diversity *in*  
Economics  
University of Chicago

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**University of Maryland Baltimore County**

## **Expanding Diversity in Economics Information Session**

Engage with EDE staff and program alumni to learn more about this transformative summer experience for students interested in exploring economics and bringing their unique perspectives to this important and impactful field of study.

**About the EDE Program:** The EDE Summer Institute is a University of Chicago program hosted by the Becker Friedman Institute designed to identify and support talented undergraduate students from a broad range of backgrounds interested in the study of economics. The program's goal is to diversify the pool of students majoring in economics, who may go on to a graduate program of study, or a career drawing on this important skill set. More information is available at the **EDE website: [bfi.uchicago.edu/ede](https://bfi.uchicago.edu/ede)**



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Yetunde is a senior mathematics major and economics minor at University of Maryland, Baltimore County interested in Development Economics. Born in Lagos, Nigeria, her path toward economics research began in high school, where she constructed a model to predict Nigeria's inflation rates. Her interests also include the intersection of gender inequality and economic development in Nigeria. Yetunde is exploring graduate study in economics, with the goal of her research ultimately addressing wealth disparities and gender inequality in underdeveloped sub-Saharan African countries.