Tamkang University Academic Year 111, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS	Instructor	HSU JIA HUEY
Course Class	TLFBB4A DIVISION OF GLOBAL COMMERCE, DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 4A	Details	◆ General Course◆ Selective◆ One Semester
Relevance to SDGs	SDG8 Decent work and economic growth SDG9 Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure SDG11 Sustainable cities and communities SDG12 Responsible consumption and production		

Departmental Aim of Education

- I . To instill the university motto of "Simplicity, Firmness, Perseverance, and Fulfillment" into students.
- II. By integrating the "Five Disciplines" of education, the qualities of conduct, intelligence, physical education, teamwork, and beauty into the professional, core, and extracurricular curriculum, the department helps to produce well-rounded students skilled in identifying and solving problems.
- III. To oversee the trend and foresee the development of global economy, the department aims to produce the graduates with expertise in the fields of International Business and Trade.

Subject Departmental core competences

- A. Breeding professionals with expertise in general International Trade and International Business.(ratio:30.00)
- B. Consisting of Globalization, Information-Oriented and Future-Oriented education. (ratio:30.00)
- C. Producing graduates with capability of foreseeing and analyzing the development of Global Economy.(ratio:30.00)
- D. Breeding professionals with expertise in Marketing and Financial Management.(ratio:10.00)

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

- 1. A global perspective. (ratio:25.00)
- 2. Information literacy. (ratio:5.00)
- 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)
- 4. Moral integrity. (ratio:5.00)
- 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:20.00)
- 6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:5.00)

- 7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:20.00)
- 8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:10.00)

Course Introduction

International Economics is the study of economic interactions between countries. It is also a dynamic research subject that equips students with the tools to be able to deal with vital real-world issues in this age of globalization and financial integration. It consists of two equally important topics: international trade, which extends microeconomics to open economies, and international finance, which utilizes macroeconomic analysis.

The correspondences between the course's instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives.

Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives.

- I. Cognitive: Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc.
- II. Affective: Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc.
- III.Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.

No.	Teaching Objectives	objective methods
1	1. To understand the key concepts of international trade and	Cognitive
	international finance	
	2. To understand the principle of comparative advantages	
	3. To comprehend the policies and consequences of international	
	trade	
	4. To understand the evolutions and operations of the international	
	financial systems	
	5. To discuss and explain some of the most important and complex	
	issues of our time	

 $The \ correspondences \ of \ teaching \ objectives: core \ competences, \ essential \ virtues, \ teaching \ methods, \ and \ assessment$

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCD	12345678	Lecture, Discussion, Experience	Testing, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation

Course Schedule				
Week	Date	Course Contents	Note	
1	111/09/05 ~ 111/09/11	Course, Methodology, and Evaluation What Is International Economics About?		
2	111/09/12 ~ 111/09/18	World Trade: An Overview		
3	111/09/19 ~ 111/09/25	The Law of Comparative Advantage		
4	111/09/26 ~ 111/10/02	Specific Factors and Income Distribution		
5	111/10/03 ~ 111/10/09	Resources and Trade		
6	111/10/10~ 111/10/16	Tariffs and Non-Tariffs Trade Barriers		
7	111/10/17 ~ 111/10/23	The Political Economy of Trade Policy I		
8	111/10/24 ~ 111/10/30	The Political Economy of Trade Policy II		
9	111/10/31 ~ 111/11/06	Review		
10	111/11/07 ~ 111/11/13	Midterm Exam Week		
11	111/11/14 ~ 111/11/20	National Income Accounting and the Balance of Payments		
12	111/11/21 ~ 111/11/27	Foreign Exchange Markets and Exchange Rates		
13	111/11/28 ~ 111/12/04	Exchange Rates and Their Determination		
14	111/12/05 ~ 111/12/11	Macroeconomic Policy and Floating Exchange Rates		
15	111/12/12 ~ 111/12/18	Group Presentation I		
16	111/12/19 ~ 111/12/25	Group Presentation II		
17	111/12/26 ~ 112/01/01	Group Presentation III		
18	112/01/02 ~ 112/01/08	Final Exam Week		
Requirement		The course content and progress will be adjusted accordingly based on the interaction between the instructor and students.		
Teaching Facility		Computer, Projector		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials		Krugman, P., Melitz, M., & Obstfeld, M. (2018). International Economics: Theory and Policy, 11th Edition, Global Edition. Pearson.		

References	
Number of Assignment(s)	(Filled in by assignment instructor only)
Grading Policy	 ◆ Attendance: 10.0 %
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