

COURSE SYLLABUS Project in Economics, 3 credits

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 Course Code:
 ECVR23
 Education Cycle:
 Second-cycle level

 Confirmed by:
 Council for Undergraduate and Masters Education Jun 14, 2011
 Disciplinary domain:
 Social sciences

 Subject group:
 NA1

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Valid From: Jul 1, 2013 Main field of study: Economics

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Intended Learning Outcomes (ILO)

On completion of the course the student will be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- 1. recognize current research issues in economics and explain and discuss the core principles of economics as they relate to dealing with those issues in a specialized topic area.
- 2. explain and discuss information transmitted by analytical methods and model-based argumentation associated with their research question.

Skills and abilities

- 3. apply abstract theorizing in an appropriate theoretical framework to consider the essential issues for a specialized economic topic.
- 4. collect, organize, present, and critically interpret relevant evidence, data and information concerning a given problem in economics, with efficient utilization of library and computer resources.
- 5. independently identify, formulate, investigate, and analyze problems and perform tasks within given time frames, demonstrating self organization, initiative, and time management.
- 6. critically discuss economic matters, questions, and situation with rigorous argumentation for discussion.

Judgement and approach

7. analyze issues in a specialized economic topic from relevant scientific aspects, and from relevant scientific and ethical aspects when appropriate.

Contents

The course consists of individual work in economics under the supervision of a professor in economics at JIBS.

Type of instruction

Individual work under supervision of a professor in economics at JIBS.

The teaching is conducted in English.

Prerequisites

Bachelor's degree in Economics (or equivalent).

Examination and grades

The course is graded Fail (U) or Pass (G).

The examination consists of a written assignment. All ILO's will be examined through the written assignment.

Registration of examination:

Name of the Test	Value	Grading
Examination ¹	3 credits	U/G

¹ Determines the final grade of the course, which is issued only when all course units have been passed.

Course evaluation

At the outset of the course the course manager ensures that course evaluators are elected (or exist) among the students. The course evaluation is carried out continuously as well as at the end of the course. On the completion of the course the course evaluators and course manager discuss the course evaluation and possible improvements. The result is reported to, among others, the Associate Dean for Education, the Council for Undergraduate and Master Education, and the Board of Directors of JIBS. The course manager shall at the outset of the following course report results and measures taken in the previous course evaluation.

Course literature

Relevant literature for the topic of the individual assignment