

IAS 116: East Asian Trade and Investment

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This course is a study on the economic development of East Asian countries. The main objective of the course is to evaluate the patterns and progress of the East Asian economic development and cooperation. This course covers

- General Overview of the East Asian Economic Development
- Trade, Investment, and Economic Growth in East Asia
- Deepening Economic Interdependence and Regional Economic Cooperation in East Asia

CLASS ROOM ACTIVITIES

- Lectures
- Presentations and Discussions
- Final Examination

LECTURE HOURS AND VENUE

- Date and Time: 2:00~4:45 on Tuesdays
- Seminar Room 332, International Studies Hall

OFFICE HOURS AND CONTACT NUMBERS

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GRADING

1. Professional Attitude (10%): Participation etc.
2. Two Presentations (50%=25%+25%): Evaluated by Student (50%) and Instructor (50%)
3. Final Examination (40%) Essay questions will be asked for an in-class examination

PRESENTATION FOR A COUNTRY PROFILE

A group of students will present a country profile. The East Asian countries covered include 10 ASEAN countries, China, Hong Kong China, Taiwan, Mongolia, Japan, and Korea. The country profile should include historical overview of policies and patterns taken during its economic development and current socio-economic situation. Every group should submit a brief summary (3-4 pages including references) of its presentation a week before the assigned date. Every member of each group must participate in its group presentation as a speaker.

USEFUL REFERENCES

<Books>

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4. Asian Development Bank, *Emerging Asian Regionalism: A Partnership for Shared Prosperity*, 2008.
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4. <http://www.aric.adb.org/>
5. <http://www.unescap.org/tid/aptiad/> (APTIAD at UNESCAP)
6. <http://asiancenturyinstitute.com/>

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8. ASEAN Secretariat
9. APEC Secretariat
10. UNESCAP
11. World Bank
12. International Monetary Fund (IMF)
13. WTO
14. UNCTAD
15. OECD
16. UNDP

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CLASS OUTLINES

Lectures

1. Economic Wellbeing and Economic Development

2. Economic Development in East Asian Economies

- Development, Economic Development, and Economic Growth
- Macroeconomic Policy: Objectives and Tools
- Patterns of the East Asian Economic Development
- East Asian Economic Development: Retrospect and Prospect

3. Trade, Investment, and Economic Growth

- International Trade and Economic Growth
- International Capital Flows and Multinational Corporation (MNC)
- Trade, Investment, and Economic Growth in East Asia

4. Regional Economic Cooperation

- Economic Integration
- Regionalism vs Globalism
- Proliferating Regional Trade Agreements: Why and Whither?
- RTAs in East Asia: Retrospect and Prospect

Presentation: Country Profile

Final Examination