Econ 322. The Global Economy: Trade and Development
TR 6:30 - 7:45, Room: HBB 203

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Prerequisites: Econ 201 or 207

Course Outline*:

Chapter 1 .............. Introducing Economic Development: A Global Perspective
Chapter 2 ...................... Comparative Economic Development
Chapter 3 ............... Classic Theories of Economic Growth and Development
First Exam ................................................................. February 7
Chapter 5 ...................... Poverty, Inequality, and Development
Chapter 6 ...................... Population Growth and Economic Development
Chapter 8 ........ Human Capital: Education and Health in Economic Development
Chapter 10 ........................................... The Environment and Development
Second Exam ................................................................. March 8
Chapter 12 ..................... International Trade Theory and Development Strategy
Chapter 13 ........ Balance of Payments, Debt, Financial Crises and Stabilization
Chapter 14 Foreign Finance, Investment, and Aid: Controversies and Opportunities
Chapter 15 ......................... Finance and Fiscal Policy for Development
In-class Presentations ........................................ April 12 - 26
Final Exam ................................................................. (7:15 pm - 9:15 pm) May 3

Grade Policy:

Quizzes 10% There will be 3 or 4 quizzes throughout the semester.
Participation 10% This grade will come from in-class discussions.
Presentation 20% You will prepare a short presentation about a developing country of your choice, in a group of 2-3 people
Three exams 60% You have to bring scantron sheets for each exam and quiz. No graphing calculators or cell phones will be allowed during exams

*The instructor reserves the right to change the syllabus, notifying the students about any changes in class.
**Attendance Policy:** Attendance is not graded, however it is highly recommended that you attend every class. You are responsible for all the material that is covered in class, and for understanding all the announcements made in class. Coming in late is disruptive, please be on time.

**Missed Exam or Quiz Policy:** If you have a documented reason to miss a quiz or exam, you have to let the instructor know in advance and get instructor’s approval. Students who have missed a quiz or exam and have provided an official document presenting the unavoidable reason will retake that quiz or exam at the instructor’s convenience. If you do not have a valid excuse, you get a zero for the missed assignment. One quiz grade will be dropped.

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**Note:** If after a final exam you get 79.4%, it is a C+ and there is no way to get a B. There will be no extra assignments to raise your grade.

**Academic Honesty:** Student classroom conduct, including academic dishonesty, is the immediate responsibility of the instructor. Cheating will not be tolerated and may result in severe academic sanctions. The instructor has full authority to suspend a student from his/her class, to assign an F in an exercise or examination, or to assign an F in the course.

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