Course unit Descriptor

Faculty of Economics Subotica





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GENERAL INFORMATION	
Study program in which the course unit is offered	Economics
Course unit title	International Economics
Course unit code	OE-207
Type of course unit ¹	Compulsory
Level of course unit ²	First
Semester when the course unit is offered	Fourth
Year of study (if applicable)	Second
Number of ECTS allocated	8
Name of lecturer/lecturers	Emilija Beker Pucar
Mode of course unit delivery ³	Face-to-Face
Course unit pre-requisites (if any)	-

PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max 5-10 sentences)

Obtaining of fundamental knowledge from the field of International Trade, as well as International Finance and Open Economy Macroeconomics. The synthesis of theoretical and empirical knowledge from mentioned research fields will provide understanding of actual tendencies in international economic environment, having of appropriate opinions concerning the solution of international economic problems, as well as challenges of the national economy in the process of global trade and financial integration.

LEARNING OUTCOMES (knowledge and skills)

Understanding of tendencies in the world economy and possibilities of individual countries' inclusion in world economic flows. Students will be able to follow contemporary movements in global economic environment, as well as their influence or spill over effects to national economies.

SYLLABUS (outline and summary of topics)

¹ Compulsory, optional

² First, second or third cycle (Bachelor, Master's, Doctoral)

³ Face-to-face, distance learning, etc.

Theory: International economics as a discipline; Theories of international trade; Trade restrictions; International trade policy – history and practise; Economic integrations; Balance of payments and exchange rate; Open economy macroeconomics; International macroeconomic policy.

Practice/exercises: Tests, problems' tasks, case studies and discussion for every topic previously analysed at lectures.

LEARNING AND TEACHING (planned learning activities and teaching methods)

Lectures, exercises, case studies, discussion, solving of problems' tasks.

REQUIRED READING

- Dominick Salvatore. 13th edition, 2019. International Economics. Wiley;
- W. Charles Sawyer & Richard L. Sprinkle. 5th edition. 2020. Applied International Economics. Routledge Taylor & Francis Group;

ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Assessment of acquired theoretical knowledge through tests, analysis and problem solving, discussions on current topics related to the international economics.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

English