

COURSE DETAIL

MACROECONOMICS

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Leiden University College

Program(s)

Leiden University College

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

130

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MACROECONOMICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

MACROECONOMICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Macroeconomics is about aggregates, employment, inflation, economic growth; it is about the economy as a whole. The major actors in the policies concerning these aggregates are governments and central banks, and the playing field is made up of several institutions, such as financial markets, labor markets, policymaking arenas and so on. The study of macroeconomics provides both the theoretical framework to study the economy as a whole, and the instruments to discuss economic policies that are used to achieve the policy goals, such as full employment, price stability, and stable growth. This course analyzes the three major themes in macroeconomics in both the short term and the long term framework. It introduces and uses the standard macroeconomic tools to discuss the economic policies that governments and central banks use to achieve the goals. It also elaborates on the markets that are relevant for macroeconomic policy, in particular the financial markets and the labor markets. Prerequisite for this course is an introductory economics course.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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MACROECONOMICS

Host Institution Campus

LUC The Hague- Level 2

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Governance, Economics and Development

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