COURSE DETAIL

MODERN SOCIETY AND ECONOMY

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Yonsei University

Program(s)

Yonsei University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Economics

UCEAP Course Number

51

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

MODERN SOCIETY AND ECONOMY

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course covers some fundamental theories in economics and deals with current social, economic issues. This class is for students who are interested in economics, but find it difficult to study on their own. Through this course, students learn the basics of economics and use them to develop the power to analyze current issues in daily life. Furthermore, the knowledge learned in this class serves as a good foothold in future social advances and social life. The goals and outlines of this class are as follows. First, it analyzes economic issues based on a solid theory and provides an objective perspective on modern society. Second, students build their own economic logic based on economic theory and cultivate their ability to interpret social issues. Third, we provide the latest information on important and emerging topics such as energy and finance. As such, this class develops depth that cannot be felt in general liberal arts lectures and application skills that cannot be felt in existing economics major classes. At the end of the semester, this class helps students fully understand the economic newspaper and cultivate their skills to the extent that they can express their pros and cons on the arguments presented. This class focuses on positive economics rather than normative economics. While normative economics is a value judgment question about "What should be?", empirical economics is a realistic analysis of "What it is?". If you only judge value without knowledge of the real world and its principles, you will be evaluated for lack of logic and narrowness. This class provides basic empirical economic knowledge and cultivate the power to make value judgments on various social phenomena based on the students.

Assessment: Participation(14%), Self-Introduction(1%), Assignments(35%), Final(50%)

Language(s) of Instruction

Korean

Host Institution Course Number

UCD1103

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

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