

COURSE DETAIL

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Waseda University

Program(s)

Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course provides an analytical overview of what constitutes key dimensions of economics of development in today's world. While the emphasis is put more on practical than theoretical side, analytical tools from microeconomics, macroeconomics and econometrics are utilized in order to gain a deeper understanding of economic development. The course starts by looking at post-WW II evolution of the history of thought in development economics, followed by rigorous analysis of actual development policies promoted by the World Bank, microeconomic treatment of poverty and inequality theory, and macroeconomic analysis of growth and open economy. The second half of the semester is devoted to more theme specific issues; including natural resource management, human capital (education and health), role of institutions, and effectiveness of aid.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EB443

Host Institution Course Title

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Host Institution Campus

SILS

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

SILS - Economy & Business

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