COURSE DETAIL

GLOBALIZATION DEBATE
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Maastricht University - School of Business and Economics
Program(s) Business and Economics, Maastricht
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Economics
UCEAP Course Number 136
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title GLOBALIZATION DEBATE
UCEAP Transcript Title GLOBALIZATN DEBATE
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
In this course, students learn the economic tools which allow them to make an informed opinion on the economic dimension of globalization as well as how to put forward their ideas in an organized way. The course begins by analyzing globalization in terms of the increasing flow of goods between countries. After this, the focus is on the international flows of capital. The recent financial crisis in 2009 has shown that financial shocks spread easily around the world because of financial liberalization and globalization. The course discusses what policy makers can do to solve these issues. Next, the international flow of ideas are analyzed. Due to globalization, knowledge spreads easily around the world. However, not all countries have the same intellectual property rights protection. Students consider whether this provides a threat to economic growth. Finally, the increasing flows of people around the world are studied, focusing on the role of brain drain, remittances, and the refugee crisis. The material is diverse (textbook, journal articles, short articles, videos and radio excerpts) and up-to-date to reflect current events and discussions. These also provide students with different opinions with the aim of helping them developing their own. Prerequisites for this course are a principles of economics course and a principles of finance course.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
EBC2143

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Maastricht University

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Host Institution Degree

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School of Business and Economics

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