COURSE DETAIL

KOREAN ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT
Country Korea, South
Host Institution Seoul National University
Program(s) Seoul National University
UCEAP Course Level Graduate
UCEAP Subject Area(s) International Studies Economics
UCEAP Course Number 201
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title KOREAN ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT
UCEAP Transcript Title KOR ECON GRWTH&DEV
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course examines the process of Korea’s growth and development from the macroeconomic and institutional perspectives. The transformation of the Republic of Korea from one of the most devastated nations to an advanced one is a rare success story in the world development. However, the underlying causes and mechanisms of the success are not well understood, although its surface level performance is well recognized. This course seeks the fundamental understandings about the causes and mechanisms of Korea’s growth and development in order to make Korea’s experience helpful for other developing countries. Furthermore, we draw useful lessons and insights for the future process of Korea’s growth and development from such understandings. This course provides a series of quantitative empirical analyses of Korea’s long-run process of growth and development at both aggregate and sectoral levels, together with theories of growth and development which are be used in interpreting the empirical analysis. We also discuss the issues of policy design and implementation methods that were used to materialize specific development goals. Historical data as well as current issues are explored together, relating the past and the present with each other, so that we pursue an evolutionary understanding.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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Host Institution Course Title
UNDERSTANDING KOREAN ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

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