

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

M2050.000900

Host Institution Course Title

UNDERSTANDING KOREAN ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT
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