COURSE DETAIL

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF JAPAN

Country
Japan

Host Institution
Keio University

Program(s)
Keio University

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Economics

UCEAP Course Number
164

UCEAP Course Suffix
V

UCEAP Official Title
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF JAPAN

UCEAP Transcript Title
ECON DEV OF JAPAN

UCEAP Quarter Units
3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course seeks to answer the questions, How was the manorial system formed, and how did it mitigate incentive problems then? How were property rights of peasants formed and protected in early modern times? Finally, how was Japan industrialized after the Meiji Restoration? In the real world, the first best resource allocation, which is presumed to be realized under perfect competition, cannot be achieved anyway. Given the structure of informational asymmetry and other technological conditions, a better second best has been sought and has evolved over times. The aim of the course is to understand the economic development of Japan from the medieval times, through the Tokugawa period and the Meiji Restoration, to the industrial revolution in the late 19th century.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
N/A

Host Institution Course Title
ECONOMIC HISTORY OF JAPAN A: INSTITUTIONAL ANALYSIS OF JAPANESE ECONOMY I

Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Keio University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Economics

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