

## COURSE DETAIL

### FISCAL ISSUES ON SECURITY SYSTEM

**Country**

Japan

**Host Institution**

Waseda University

**Program(s)**

Waseda University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Economics

**UCEAP Course Number**

120

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

FISCAL ISSUES ON SECURITY SYSTEM

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SOCIAL SECURITY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

3.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.00

## Course Description

Why do we need social security? Will the private sector be able to provide them? This course emphasizes the criteria of efficiency and equity, as government plays an important role in performing the function of income redistribution through the social securities. The course also studies the theories and practices of social securities related to income distribution and redistribution. Hence, this course also tries to analyze social security from the viewpoints of welfare economics. In Japan, social security is composed of social insurance and social welfare. There was a huge increase of social security expenditures in Japan with the aging of society following the drastic increase of issuances of national bonds in the early 1990s. We discuss Japanese current systems of social securities, including annuity pensions, health care, and other social welfare programs.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

ECNA332L

## Host Institution Course Title

FISCAL ISSUES ON SOCIAL SECURITY 01

## Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.wsl.waseda.jp/syllabus/JAA104.php?pKey=210EB43100012023210EB4310021...>

## Host Institution Campus

SILS

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

SILS - Economy & Business

**Course Last Reviewed**

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