

COURSE DETAIL

PUBLIC ECONOMICS

Country

Japan

Host Institution

International Christian University

Program(s)

International Christian University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

132

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

PUBLIC ECONOMICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

PUBLIC ECONOMICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

Public economics nestles economic activity in the government and the public sector. This course deals with assessing the government's role in the context of the broader economy. The course deals with understanding taxation, inequality, analysis of government policies, and the response of individuals to those policies. The course also discusses competition policy (why & when governments intervene in the functioning of markets), as well as government procurement.

The course offers the opportunities to:

- Understand the role of the government in the economy
- Analyze government policies, such as taxation, regulation, competition policy, and environmental policy
- Explore the empirical literature on public policy and its implications for policy design

Basic microeconomics (for example, ECO102) is a recommended prerequisite or corequisite of this course since many of the topics covered will presuppose an understanding of consumer theory, market equilibrium, elasticities, etc.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ECO260E

Host Institution Course Title

PUBLIC ECONOMICS

Host Institution Campus

International Christian University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Economics

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