COURSE DETAIL

INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

Country
China

Host Institution
Fudan University

Program(s)
Shanghai Summer

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Economics Business Administration

UCEAP Course Number
104

UCEAP Course Suffix
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UCEAP Official Title
INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

UCEAP Transcript Title
INTERNATL FINANCE

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

This course examines the modern theory of international finance. It primarily employs algebraic and diagrammatic techniques to analyze key theoretical models, presents contemporary empirical evidence, and discusses econometric and other quantitative methods used to evaluate evidence and assess theoretical performance. Specifically, the course analyzes how and why aggregate economies interact through global markets for goods, services, and assets, including currencies. Special emphasis is placed on foreign exchange markets, alternative exchange rate and financial market regimes, and foreign exchange and related international financial crises. The course begins by reviewing recent evidence on “globalization,” including the dramatic growth in trade of goods, services, and assets over the past four decades. It offers historical perspective on this growth, discusses the measurement of trade and growth, and summarizes alternative theoretical explanations for globalization. From both institutional and theoretical standpoints, the course analyzes international currency markets and exchange rate determination, as well as the trade in goods, assets, and capital that gives rise to currency markets.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ECON170010,GEIS30008

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Host Institution Course Details
https://iss.fudan.edu.cn/GEIS30008InternationalFinance.pdf

Host Institution Campus
International Summer School

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
Host Institution Department Economics
Course Last Reviewed 2026-2027

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