

# COURSE DETAIL

## LABOR ECONOMICS

**Country**

Hong Kong

**Host Institution**

Chinese University of Hong Kong

**Program(s)**

Chinese University of Hong Kong

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Economics

**UCEAP Course Number**

147

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

LABOR ECONOMICS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

LABOR ECONOMICS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This course emphasizes both theoretical and empirical studies. Topics covered include: static and dynamic models of the demand for labor, allocation of time, the labor supply of men and women, labor unions, human capital theory, theories of personal income distribution, information and search theory, signaling and self-selection, implicit contracts and the principal-agent problem. Students should have knowledge of basic microeconomics and elementary calculus, and are advised to take ECON2011 and 2021 before taking this course.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

ECON3470

## Host Institution Course Title

LABOR ECONOMICS

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## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Economics

## Course Last Reviewed

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