Department of Economics Course Outline

		Term:	Summer 2006
Course:	Economics 341 [Money and Banking]	Section:	60
Time:	TR 18:00 ? 20:50	Place:	SB 144 (subject to change)
Instructor:	V. Chwee		
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Textbook(s):Mishkin, Frederic S. and Apostolos Serletis, The Economics of Money, Banking & Financial
Book(s) on Reserve:
Markets: Latest Canadian Edition, Addison Wesley Longman [Required Text]

n/a

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Money, Banking,	&	Financial	Markets
Chapters 1, 3			

Asset Pricing & Interest Rate Determination Chapters 4 - 6

The Foreign Exchange Market Chapter 7

Managing Financial Intermediation Risk Chapters 9 & 13

Central Banking & Monetary Control

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Chapters 14?17

Grade Determination and Final Examination Details:

There will be one midterm test and a two-hour Registrar scheduled final examination, which will be held in a classroom. The weights of these in the course grade are as follows:

Midterm Test50%Final exam50%

Tests and final exams are marked on a numerical (percentage) basis, then converted to letter grades. The course grade is then calculated using the weights indicated above. As a guide to determining standing, these letter grade equivalences will generally apply:

A+ 96-100	B 76-80	C- 59-62
A 89-95	В-72-75	D+ 55-58
A- 85-88	C+ 68-71	D 50-54
B+ 81-84	C 63-67	F 0-49

Part marks of 0.5 or above will be rounded up; those below 0.5 will be rounded down.

If, for some reason, the distribution of grades determined using the aforementioned conversion chart appears to be abnormal the instructor reserves the right to change the grade conversion chart if the instructor, *at the instructor?s discretion*, feels it is necessary to more fairly represent student achievement.

A passing grade on any particular component of the course is not essential if a student is to pass the course as a whole.

Non-programmable calculators will be allowed during the writing of tests or final examinations.

Tests and/or the final examination may include multiple choice questions.

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NOTE

: Students seeking reappraisal of a piece of graded term work (term paper, essay, etc.) should discuss their work with the Instructor *within*

seven days of the work being returned to the class.

Make-up examinations and deferred examinations will not be given <u>except in cases of extreme personal emergencies</u>. Also, examinations will not be given <u>before</u> the indicated dates. Students who are unable to write the midterm because of a **documented** illness, family emergency or religious observance will have the midterm weight shifted to the final.

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