



Department of Economics Course Outline

Course:	Economics 341 [Money and Banking]	Term:	Summer, 2009
Time:	MW 14:00-16:50	Section:	60
Instructor:	S. Rahman	Place:	ST 143 (subject to change)
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Textbook(s):

Mishkin, Frederic S. and Apostolos Serletis, *The Economics of Money, Banking & Financial Markets: Third Canadian Edition*, Addison Wesley Longman, 2008. **[Required]**

Mishkin, Frederic S and Apostolos Serletis, *Study Guide*, Addison Wesley Longman 2008. **[Optional]**

Book(s) on Reserve: None

Course Outline:

Money, Banking, & Financial Markets
Chapters 1, 3

Asset Pricing & Interest Rate Determination
Chapters 4 – 7

The Foreign Exchange Market
Chapter 19

The Management of Financial Institutions
Chapters 12 & 13
Central Banking & Monetary Control
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 Test	50%
Final exam	50%

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	B-	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.

A passing grade on any particular component of the course is not required for a student 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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Notes:

- 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 **except in cases of extreme personal emergencies**. 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.
- It is the student's responsibility to request academic accommodations. If you are a student with a documented disability who may require academic accommodation and have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre, please contact their office at 220-8237. Students who have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre are not eligible for formal academic accommodation. You are also required to discuss your needs with your instructor no later than seven (7) days after the start of this course.

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