



Department of Economics Course Outline

Course:	Economics 611.55 [Applied Economic Policy I]	Term:	Spring 2008
Time:	TR 09:00 – 11:50	Section:	20
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Textbook(s):

- Readings for Economics 611.55 will be made available on Blackboard.

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The objectives of this course are:

- To provide you with an opportunity to engage in sustained and intensive study of a topic (please note that research topics are not open)
- To apply empirical and theoretical skills that you have acquired and developed from core curriculum courses in the Dept. of Economics
- To develop your research skills and written communication skills
- Where possible (or if you are lucky enough), to produce original results that contribute to our understanding of economics

A detailed course outline will be distributed in the first week of lectures.

Grade Determination and Final Examination Details:

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The final grade will be based on the elements and weights below:

611.55 – 5 term assignments @ 20% 100%

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

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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.
- 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. In the Department of Economics, we recommend that all students enrolled in the Spring/Summer session, should discuss their needs with the instructor of the course no later than seven (7) days after the start of this course.

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