

Department of Economics Course Outline

| | | Term: | Fall 2009 |
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| Course: | Economics 657 Microeconomic Theory | Section: | 01 |
| Time: | TR 9:30-10:45 | Place: | EDT 920 |
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Textbook(s):

Mas-Colell et al (1995) Microeconomic Theory, Oxford University Press.

Book(s) on Reserve:

A detailed course outline will be handed out on the first day of class.

Course Outline:

See detailed course outline.

Grade Determination and Final Examination Details:

Your grade will be based on two midterm exams (25% each), a final exam (25%), and assignments (7 assignments for a total of 25%). Late assignments will not be accepted; there will be no deferred exams.

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+ | 97-100 | В | 83-86 | C- | 70-72 |
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| А | 93-96 | B- | 80-82 | D+ | 67-69 |
| A- | 90-92 | C+ | 77-79 | D | 60-66 |
| B+ | 87-89 | С | 73-76 | F | 0-59 |

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.

There will be a scheduled final examination, lasting **2** hours.

Tests and exams will not involve 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 fifteen 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 403-220-8237. 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 fourteen (14) days after the start of this course.

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