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Lecture: online Monday 6:30-9:20

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Course Description

The course covers international economics topics including international trade theory, international trade policy, and balance of payments.

Note: Credit will not be granted for ECON 306 if ECON 405A has already been completed.

Prerequisites: One of ECON 103, ECON 103C, ECON 180; and ECON 104; and one of ECON 225, ENGR 240, ENGL 135 with a minimum grade of B+, ENGL 146 with a minimum grade of B+, ENGL 147 with a minimum grade of B+.

Information for all courses is available in the University of Victoria Calendar.

Tentative Weekly Schedule

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**Recommended Textbook**


**Grading**

25% First Exam  
25% Second Exam  
50% Final Exam

Exams are based on lectures.

Writing all the exams is essential to passing the course.

General grading scale is available in the [University of Victoria Grading Schedule](#).

**Policies**

According to the [University of Victoria Calendar](#):

“A student may not attempt a course a third time without the prior approval of the Dean of the Faculty and the Chair of the Department in which the course is offered unless the calendar course entry states that the course may be repeated for additional credit. A student who has not received this approval may be deregistered from the course at any point and may be asked to withdraw from his or her declared or intended program.”

In order to request permission to attempt this course for the third time, you must follow the instructions provided under the link [Repeating Courses](#) at:

[https://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/economics/undergraduate/home/course%20policies/index.php](https://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/economics/undergraduate/home/course%20policies/index.php)

Failure to obtain permission will result in deregistration from the course.

The course adheres to the standard [Undergraduate Course Policies](#) of the Department of Economics that deal with issues such as:

- Academic concessions
- Academic integrity
- Attendance
- Grading
- Inclusivity and diversity
- Students with a disability
- Travel plans