

【Course Description】

The first half of the course gives some concepts of economics (micro, macro, and development economics) and basic knowledge about economic environment issues and products of Southeast Asia. The second half of the course will illustrate the development of Southeast Asian economy. The post-independence development of political economy in each country will be explained too.

【Class Goals】

Gain basic and fundamental concepts on macro, micro, and development economics.
Deepen economic environment understanding and raise country economy interest.
Get accustomed to Asian products.
Understand salient features of Southeast Asian society and economy.
Understand the development process of each Southeast Asian country.

【Course Schedule】

First Half (1~15) by Yasuo Izumi
Economics, Development economics, Economic environment, Asian products

Second Half (16~30) by Shinichi Shigetomi
Economic history of Southeast Asia

See the detail schedule in the attachment.

【Preparation for Class】

First Half (1H): Preview assignments allocated to each student and prepare three-minute presentations. Prepare two questions to be raised during the Class.

Second Half (2H): Read materials that are provided by the instructor and Collect information and prepare presentation in the class.

【Review of Class】

1H: Find an article on the web using the concepts or terms learned at class, and send a sentence including it with a maximum three line comments to Lecturer via e-mail within 24 hours after the class.

2H: Prepare for the workshop and the term-end test.

【Remarks for Class】

1H: Key Principles 1: O-K-C (Open-minded, Knowledge-sharing and Cross-nurturing) class mode. Key Principles 2: P-P-P (Participatory, Proactive and Persuasive) communication.

【Texts】

No text.

【Reference Books】

See the attachment.

【Evaluation Criteria】

1H: Assignment preparation and presentation (25%), Class discussion participation (20%), Mid-term Presentation (5%).

2H: Workshop preparation & presentation(20%), Term-end test (30%)

【Notes】

Detail class schedule and reference books are in the attachment.