

Course program

Course title: World Economics	Neptun code: GTERG408A
	Course type: Required for specialisation
Name and position of course coordinator: Zoltán Nagy PhD	
Name(s) and position(s) of teaching assistant(s):	
Suggested semester: 4th	Prerequisite course(s): ---
Weekly lecture+seminar hours: 2+0	Evaluation method: exam
Credits: 5	Study format: full time and part time
<p>Course objectives:</p> <p>The aim of the course is to present the evaluation of world economy, the formation and determining processes of inequalities and to highlight interdependences. Analysis of the competition of the different territorial units in the world economics (cities, companies, national economies), revealing the problems and growing possibilities of the world economics.</p>	
<p>Course content and structure:</p> <p>1-2. Definition, methodology, history of evaluation and main theoretical trends of world economics</p> <p>3. Place of world economy in the world order, problems of the world order</p> <p>4. World economy in the third millennium</p> <p>5-6. Globalization and regionalism</p> <p>7-8. Inequalities and interdependences in the world economy</p> <p>9. Shifting of the main points in world economy</p> <p>10. Transnational companies in the international competition</p> <p>11. Territorial distribution of foreign investments</p> <p>12-13. Competitiveness of national economies</p> <p>14. Reliefs of the economy: the role of towns, cities, large cities, mega cities and global cities</p>	
<p>Evaluation method: oral exam</p> <p>Course assignments:</p> <p>Written material and oral presentation</p> <p>Course point distribution, examination format:</p>	
<p>Required reading:</p> <p>P. Haggett: Geography. A Global Synthesis. Pearson Education Limited, 2001, Harlow. Institute of World- and Regional Economics 2014: International and Regional Economic Relations. (TÁMOP-4.1.2.A/1-11/1-2011-0046)</p> <p>Suggested reading:</p> <p>UNCTAD (2012): World Investment Report 2012. United Nations Publication, New York-Geneva, 239 p.</p>	