

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid



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Economía Mundial I Short Version of the Syllabus in English for Group 2ºI -65

**!!THE SYLLABUS FOR THE ENGLISH SECTION IS IDENTICAL TO
THE SYLLABUS FOR THE SPANISH SECTIONS!!**

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Final Exam and Grading:

Final Exam counts for 100% of your final grade.

Final Exam consists of three parts:

- 1) Multiple Choice: the prerequisite for the exam to be graded is to answer correctly to at least 40% (incorrect answers get negative score) of multiple choice questions;
- 2) Problems;
- 3) An essay question.

Assignments:

There are several assignments already posted online at the course website.

Some of the assignments will be solved and discussed in class.

Students do not have to hand in the assignments, but are strongly encouraged to work (also together) on all the assignments.

Topics:

I International Trade Theory

Krugman, P y M Obstfeld (2006), *Economía Internacional -Teoría y Política*, seventh edition, Pearson Addison Wesley.

I.1 The Ricardian Model

I.2 Immobile Factors and Income Distribution

I.3 Trade Policy

II Institutions of the Worldwide Economic System

Krugman, P y M Obstfeld (2006), *Economía Internacional -Teoría y Política*, seventh edition, Pearson Addison Wesley.

García de la Cruz J. M., y Durán Romero G., (2004), *Sistema Económico Mundial*, ThomsonRequeijo (2006) *Economía Mundial*, tercera edición, McGraw-Hill

II.1 The National Income Account

II.2 Prices and Salaries Adjustments pre-14

II.3 The Thirties

II.4 The Bretton Woods system

III Growth and Convergence

Sala-i-Martin, X (1994) *Apuntes de crecimiento económico*, Bosch.

IV Structural Change, Poverty and Debt

Krugman, P y M Obstfeld (2006), *Economía Internacional -Teoría y Política*, septima edición, Pearson Addison Wesley.

Larraín, F y J Sachs (1994) *Macroeconomía en la Economía Global*, Prentice Hall.

Sen, A (1988) *Poverty and Famines -An Essay on Entitlement and Deprivation*, Clarendon Press.

Requeijo (2006) *Economía Mundial*, tercera edición McGraw-Hill.

García de la Cruz J. M., y Durán Romero G., (2004), *Sistema Económico Mundial*, Thomson

IV.1 Introduction: Poverty and Demographic Change

IV.2 Borrowing and Debt

IV.3 Poverty

IV.4 Microcredits

V Integration and Globalization

Alonso, J.A. (2003), *Lecciones sobre economía mundial*, Civitas

García de la Cruz J. M., y Durán Romero G., (2004), *Sistema Económico Mundial*, Thomson

V.1 Globalization

V.2 Direct Foreign Investments

V.3 European Integration: the EU