

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

# Economia degli Scambi Internazionali - 1

1920-3-E1801M045-E1801M062M-T1

## Learning objectives

This course addresses the most important topics in the field of International Economics. These range from trade theories to trade policies, from foreign direct investment to outsourcing strategies. Both theoretical and applied lectures are provided.

## Contents

The course is structured in three parts:

- introduction to trade
- trade theories
- trade policies

## **Detailed program**

The course is structured in three parts:

- introduction to trade (data, stylized facts, questions)
- trade theories (old trade theory, new trade theory)
- trade policies (tariff, subsidy, quota, VER)

## Prerequisites

This course requires preliminary notions in Microeconomics and Macroeconomics.

#### **Teaching methods**

Frontal lectures. Both theoretical and applied lectures are provided.

#### **Assessment methods**

The course end with a written exam, based on open questions on the programme covered in class.

#### **Textbooks and Reading Materials**

**Essential readings:** 

Krugman-Obstfeld-Melitz (2015), "Economia Internazionale", vol. 1, 10° Edition, Pearson

Barba Navaretti-Venables (2006), "Le multinazionali nell'economia mondiale"

Baldwin-Wyplosz (2015) "The Economics of European Integration", 5° Edition, McGrawHill

Additional readings with be recommended in class.

#### Semester

Second semester.

## **Teaching language**

Italian.