

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Economics & International Trade

1920-3-E3301M144-E3301M147M

Learning objectives

Contents

Detailed program

- 1) TRADE THEORIES -Inter-industry models Ricardo Model Heckscher-Ohlin model -Intra-industry models New trade models New economic geography -Intra-firm models FDI and multinational enterprises
- 2) TRADE POLICIES -instruments -goals economic context

Prerequisites

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Teaching methods

The course is mainly based on standard lectures.

Assessment methods

The assessment is based on a written exam. It is composed of numerical exercises and open questions. Numerical exercises want to test the understanding of the main models explained during the course. The open questions assess the student's ability to make connections between various topics of international trade explained during the course.

Textbooks and Reading Materials

Paul Krugman, Maurice Obstfeld, Marc Melitz, Economia Internazionale, Vol 1, Pearson 2015, Ch. 2-11