UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Macroeconomics - 1

2122-2-E1801M005-T1

Learning objectives

The course aims at introducing the student to the main themes of macroeconomics, through the lens of macroeconomic theory.

Contents

The first part of the course will be devoted to the study of some macro models that will be used in the second part to understand growth, cycles, monetary and fiscal policy.

Detailed program

1. Rational choice model

2. Choice between consumption and labor

3. Savings

4. Insurance

5. Infinite horizon

6. Growth

7. Cycles

8. Monetary and fiscal policy

Prerequisites

Economics 101

Teaching methods

Lectures and sessions of exercises will be regularly held

Assessment methods

There will be two tests, one half way through the course the other at the end

Textbooks and Reading Materials

The textbook is

Amendola, Carbonari, Ferraris, Lineamenti di Macroeconomia, Egea, 2021

A useful reference, but by no means necessary to pass the course will be

Williamson Stephen, Macroeconomics. Global Edition, Pearson, 2018.

Semester

First semester, October-December

Teaching language

Italian