



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

### Economia dei Servizi

2122-1-F6302N006-F6302N005M

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#### Learning objectives

The course will:

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#### Contents

The course is organized in two non separated parts (modules).

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#### Detailed program

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## Prerequisites

A basic training in Microeconomics and a more than sufficient knowledge of the theory of competition, equilibrium and efficiency are required. (Reference text example: H. Varian, Intermediate Microeconomics with Calculus, W. W. Norton & Company – 2014).

The knowledge of the fundamental techniques of elementary calculus (functions, limits, derivatives and integrals, with one or more variables) is very useful (and recommended).

## Teaching methods

Frontal lessons. Individual and group exercises with correction in the classroom. Preparation of the didactic material (texts and files of various types) on the e-learning page of the course.

## Assessment methods

Final written exam (6 questions of which 3 exercises; each question is divided into individual parts). At the end of the first module (about 45 hours of frontal lessons) there will be an intermediate test relating to the program covered up to that moment in class. Passing the mid-term exam (with a grade between 0 and 16; minimum 9) implies a limitation of the content of the final exam to the second part of the course only (always with a grade between 0 and 16; at least 9). The intermediate test is not compulsory. In her absence, the student / student takes the complete test relating to both parts / modules (grade between 0 and 32 = 30 with honors; minimum 18).

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## **Textbooks and Reading Materials**

First semester

Bruno Bosco, Lezioni di teoria della regolamentazione, Giappichelli, Torino, 2020

C. Decker, Modern Economic Regulation: an introduction to theory and practice, CUP, 2015

Second semester

M. Motta -M. Polo, Antitrust. Economia e politica della concorrenza, Il Mulino, 2005

Handouts on Oligopoly (to be uploaded in due time)

## **Semester**

First and Second

## **Teaching language**

Italian

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