UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Macroeconomics - 1

2425-2-E1801M062-T1

Learning objectives

This is an introductory course in modern macroeconomics. The goal is to introduce the student to the main topics of contemporary macroeconomics, both from a theoretical and empirical perspective.

Contents

The course will cover the three main topics of contemporary macroeconomics:

1. Business cycles
2. Financial crises
3. Economic growth

Detailed program

The program will unfold as follows:

1. Introduction to modern macroeconomics
2. Income, employment and unemployment
3. Money and inflation
4. Insurance and banking
5. Private and public debt
6. Savings, Investment and growth

Prerequisites

The prerequisites for the course are basic calculus and introductory microeconomics

Teaching methods

Lectures, in class, face-to-face, online and exercises
48 hours will be in class and 15 hours on-line

Assessment methods

Homeworks and final exam
The homeworks will be assigned during the course
The final exam will be in written form

Textbooks and Reading Materials

Amendola, N., Carbonari, L., Ferraris, L., *Macroeconomia. Il minimo teorico*. Egea. 2022, second edition

Semester

First Semester (September-December)

Teaching language

Italian

Sustainable Development Goals

DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH