



Taiwan Economic Policy

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Research Fields: Labor Economics, Health Econometrics, Economic Education, Applied Econometrics

Course Date & Time

July 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14

9:10 AM – 12 PM

Course Objectives

This course provides an overview and analysis of the economic policy in Taiwan. The focus is on labor and health policy. Basic economics models like demand and supply analysis are considered to gain a deeper and better understanding of the effects of various government policies.

Prerequisites

Basic knowledge in economics at high school or university level.

Textbook

There is no assigned textbook for this course. Various journal articles, research papers, and readings will be assigned.

Evaluation

1. Class Attendance and Participation (50%): students are expected to attend all lectures and actively participate in class discussion.
2. Group Project (50%): the assignment is to present a group project about labor and/or health policies for a specific country. More details of the group project will be announced in class.

Course Schedule

There are 6 3-hour lectures.

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Monday, 7/5/2021

Lecture 1: Introduction

Introduction & Basic Economics Concepts

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Tuesday, 7/6/2021

Lecture 2: Taiwan's Labor Policy (I)

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Wednesday, 7/7/2021

Lecture 3: Taiwan's Labor Policy (II)

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Monday, 7/12/2021

Lecture 4: Taiwan's Health Policy (I)

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)

Guest Speaker: Tsui-Fang Lin (National Taipei University, Taiwan)

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Tuesday, 7/13/2021

Lecture 5: Taiwan's Health Policy (II)

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)

Guest Speaker: Tsui-Fang Lin (National Taipei University, Taiwan)

9:10 AM – 12 PM, Wednesday, 7/14/2021

Lecture 6: Group Project Presentation

Instructor: Jennjou Chen (National Chengchi University, Taiwan)