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Applied Economics (5ER2018)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Master en développement international des affaires	Cours: 2 ph	écrit: 2 h	3
Master en sciences économiques, orientation politique économique	Cours: 2 ph	écrit: 2 h	3

ph=période hebdomadaire, pg=période globale, j=jour, dj=demi-jour, h=heure, min=minute

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Automne

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Objectifs:

This course aims at introducing the students to applied economic analysis, illustrating both the methodology of economists and the main instruments used by them to address real world issues. A variety of domains and reading material are covered, so that students get an over-view of the most favored approaches. At the end of the course students should master in-depth reading and be familiar with the major empirical approaches used in the empirical literature.

Contenu:

The course is subdivided into five parts: economic regulation, environmental economics, project evaluation, poor economics, and trade & the environment. Each part consists of two papers which are commented in details during the classes. Each part may be complemented by occasional additional references, which are discussed during the class.

Forme de l'évaluation:

2h written exam during the exam session at the end of the semester (100%).
Reexamination (August-September): 2h written exam (100%).
Optional: Midterm exam: +0.5 bonus on the final grade of the January 2015 exam

Documentation:

No textbook is necessary as all documents will be made available on the website (<https://claroline.unine.ch/index.php>).

If desired, the interested student will find a very basic introduction in the following two references:

- Griffiths, A. and S. Wall (2012), Applied Economics, 12th ed., FT Prentice Hall, Es-sex.
- Stock J, Watson M. Introduction to Econometrics (3rd edition). Addison Wesley Longman; 2011.

Pré-requis:

None.