



Syllabus(2021 - Summer)

* The contents of this syllabus are not final—they may be updated.

Course Title	Korean Economy	Course No.	35731
Department/ Major	Economics	Credit/Ho urs	3 credits / 45 Hours
Class Time/ Classroom	Mon to Thurs Real Time ZOOM and Recorded lecture at Ewha CyberCampus (http://cyber.ewha.ac.kr)		
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I. Course Overview

1. Course Description

This course is fun!

After understanding basic economic theories, we study recent issues of Korean economy. During the semester, I hope you become familiar with Korean economy issues and its history in various media sources like newspapers, news magazines, news programs, and etc.

During the summer semester, lectures will be provided in a format of Real time ZOOM and recorded video.

2. Prerequisites

I assume that every student has enough knowledge on Principles of Economics level.

3. Course Format

Lecture	Homework/Presentation	Experiment/Practicum	Field Study	Other
100 %	%	%		%

(Instructor can change to match the actual format of the class.)

Explanation of course format:



The course requirements will consist of **one mid-term exam and final examination**. I will also schedule irregular quizzes if I feel you are not keeping up with the reading material. I will give you a four-day notice for all quizzes. Everyone in the class is expected to take examinations and quizzes on the scheduled dates. There will be no make-up examinations and quizzes. If an examination or quiz is missed, the final examination will make the additional weight. And to have this additional weight for the missed exam or quiz, **you must have university excuse for the missed exam and quizzes**.

4. Course Objectives

Our goal from this class is very simple!
Understanding real side of Korean economy with appropriate theory backups. Therefore this class would be particularly helpful to those who are going to have job interview in the near future.

5. Evaluation System

Midterm Exam	Final Exam	Quizzes	Presentation	Projects	Assignments	Participation	Other
30%	60%	%	%	%	10%	%	%

(Instructor can change to match the actual format of the class.)

* Evaluation of group projects may include peer evaluations.

Explanation of evaluation system:

There are 300 + Attendance credits + Quizzes credit. The breakdown is as follows:

- Midterm Examination 100 points, Exam date will be announced later**
- Final Examination 100 points, Exam date will be announced later**
- Quizzes** unknown points
- Number of Attendance** unknown points

Total = 300 + Attendance Credit + Quizzes Credit

The total score will be recalculated between 0 and 100 and then the course grade will be determined as follows:

A: Top 0 - 45% B: Top 46 - 90%

Ewha Summer students and foreign exchange students and will be evaluated by independent grading standard.

Relative evaluation Absolute evaluation (for Ewha International Summer College students only) Others :



II. Course Materials and Additional Readings

1. Required Materials

Handouts provided by myself

2. Supplementary Materials

1. *About Korean economy and its history*
Korea's Place in the Sun: A Modern History by Bruce Cummings
W. W. Norton; Updated edition (September 17, 2005)
2. *About basic economic analysis*
Principles of Macroeconomics by Gregory Mankiw
Thomson South-Western Publisher; 6th edition

3. Optional Additional Readings

III. Course Policies

* For laboratory courses, all students are required to complete lab safety training.

IV. Course Schedule (3 hours each class)

Day	Date	Topics & Class Materials, Assignments
		Orientation (Real time Zoom)
Day 1	(6/29)	Study on major macroeconomic variables History of South Korean Economic Growth I
Day 2	(6/30)	History of South Korean Economic Growth I
Day 3	(7/1)	History of South Korean Economic Growth II
Day 4	(7/5)	History of South Korean Economic Growth II
Day 5	(7/6)	History of North Korean Economic Growth I
Day 6	(7/7)	History of North Korean Economic Growth I
Day 7	(7/8)	History of North Korean Economic Growth II



Day	Date	Topics & Class Materials, Assignments
Day 8	(7/12)	Midterm Exam (Online or Offline. Not decided yet)
Day 9	(7/13)	Current Status and Issues of South Korean Economy
Day 10	(7/14)	Current Status and Issues of South Korean Economy
Day 11	(7/15)	Current Status and Issues of North Korean Economy
Day 12	(7/19)	Current Status and Issues of North Korean Economy
Day 13	(7/20)	South Korea's Industry Structure I
Day 14	(7/21)	Economic Impact of N-S Korean Reunification
Day 15	(7/22)	Final Exam (Online or Offline. Not decided yet)
Makeup Classes 1	(mm/dd)	
Makeup Classes 2	(mm/dd)	

V. Special Accommodations

* According to the University regulation section #57-3, students with disabilities can request for special accommodations related to attendance, lectures, assignments, or tests by contacting the course professor at the beginning of semester. Based on the nature of the students' request, students can receive support for such accommodations from the course professor or from the Support Center for Students with Disabilities (SCSD). Please refer to the below examples of the types of support available in the lectures, assignments, and evaluations.

Lecture	Assignments	Evaluation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Visual impairment : braille, enlarged reading materials · Hearing impairment : note-taking assistant · Physical impairment : access to classroom, note-taking assistant 	Extra days for submission, alternative assignments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Visual impairment : braille examination paper, examination with voice support, longer examination hours, note-taking assistant · Hearing impairment : written examination instead of oral · Physical impairment : longer examination hours, note-taking assistant

- Actual support may vary depending on the course.