

# Course Descriptions Exchange 2013-2014

Course Title Development Economics

Course Code EBC2092

ECTS Credits 6,5

Assessment None

Period	Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1		2-9-2013	25-10-2013	X/E		X/E		

Level Introductory

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Language of instruction English

Goals Overview with respect to all aspects under "Course content"; carrying out and presenting empirical tasks. For the marble/honour groups: skills to handle growth models.

Description The long-run development and international economic relations of developing countries are chosen as the major topic of this course.  
The long-run growth part deals with structural change from agriculture to industry and services, institutions, distribution, population, education, health, taxation and government expenditure, environment and other resources.  
The international relations part relates growth to migration, aid, international trade, and foreign debt, the latter including financial crises.

Literature Perkins, D.H., S. Radelet, D.L. Lindauer, Economics of Development, 6th ed., Norton, New York and London, 2006.

Reader.

Honours students get additional literature

Prerequisites Basic micro- and macroeconomics.  
Students are expected to follow the recent developments in the business press.

Exchange students need to major in economics.  
An advanced level of English

Teaching methods PBL / Presentation / Assignment

Assessment methods Participation / Written Exam

Evaluation in previous academic year For the complete evaluation of this course please click <http://iwio-sbe.maastrichtuniversity.nl/rapporten.asp?referrer=codeUM>

This course belongs to the following programme / specialisation

Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation International Business Economics	Economics Electives
Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation International Economic Studies	Economics Electives
SBE Exchange Bachelor	Bachelor Courses
SBE Exchange Master	Bachelor Courses
SBE Non Degree Courses	Bachelor Courses