

# Course Descriptions Exchange 2015-2016

Course Title International Economics

Course Code EBC2014

ECTS Credits 6,5

Assessment Whole/Half Grades

Period	Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
4		1-2-2016	1-4-2016	X/E			X/E	

Level Intermediate

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Language of instruction English

Goals  
Learn various traditional and modern theories about why countries trade  
Learn who is affected and how by trade  
Learn how trade policies may be used to change the outcomes of trade  
Apply micro-economic tools to international economic problems

Description  
The course covers the real part of trade theory. It is a formal analysis of the reasons for international trade, the way different parties gain or lose from trade, and what can be done about that through trade policy. The subject matter is theoretical in nature, but the theory is illustrated using real life examples and cases.

Literature To be announced.

Prerequisites  
First year micro-economics. Exchange students need to major in economics.  
an advanced level of English

Teaching methods PBL / Lecture

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 Economics	Year 2 Compulsory Courses
Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation Emerging Markets	Year 2 Elective Courses
Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation Economics and Management of Information	Free Electives
Bachelor Economics and Business Economics Specialisation International Business Economics	Economics Electives
SBE Exchange Bachelor	Bachelor Exchange Courses
SBE Exchange Master	Bachelor Exchange Courses
SBE Non Degree Courses	Bachelor Courses