

Course Descriptions None 2026-2027

Course Title	Development Economics																														
Course Code	EBC2092																														
ECTS Credits	6,5																														
Assessment	Whole/Half Grades																														
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Level	Introductory																														
Coordinator	Michail Moatsos For more information:michail.moatsos@maastrichtuniversity.nl																														
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	<p>The long-run development and international economic relations of developing countries are chosen as the major topic of this course.</p> <p>The long-run growth part deals with structural change from agriculture to industry and services, institutions, distribution, population, education, health, taxation and government expenditure, agriculture and other resources.</p> <p>The international relations part relates growth to migration, aid, international trade, and foreign debt, the latter including financial crises.</p>																														
Literature	James M. Cypher, The process of economic development, 5th edition, Routledge, 2021																														
	Reader.																														
	Honours students get additional literature																														
Prerequisites	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Basic micro-, and macro-economics. * Students are expected to follow the recent developments in the business press. * Exchange students need to major in economics. * An advanced level of English. 																														
Transitional Regulations	<p><div class="trreg"><ul class="trcohorts">Bachelor Economics and Business Economics - International Business Economics [2024-2025 or earlier]From 2025-2026 onwards, education and exam/resit opportunities are offered.
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Assessment methods	Final Paper / Attendance / 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																														
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