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GLOBAL MACROECONOMICS I

This course emphasizes and examines the tools and techniques of major policies available for achieving aggregate economic stability and economic growth. Focus is therefore on policies directed toward real output enhancement, containing inflation and minimizing unemployment. While the basic focus is on the US economy, the course also takes a global perspective. Additional readings will be assigned from time to time.

TEXT: R. Dornbusch, S. Fischer, & R. Startz, <u>Macroeconomics</u>, 10th/11th Edition, McGraw Hill.

Course Outline

Session	<u>Topics</u>	<u>Text</u>
I, II, III,	Introduction Growth and Accumulation Growth and Policy National Income Accounting	Ch. 1 Ch. 3 Ch. 4 Ch. 2
IV, V, VI,	Income and Spending Big Events (Deficits) Inflation and Unemployment Policy	Ch. 9 Ch.18 Ch. 7 Ch. 8
VII	** FINAL EXAM **	

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