

ECON2901A: Guided Studies in Current Economic Problems I

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Course Description

This course involves group consultation, classroom discussion and presentation of research projects. Students are expected to gain basic knowledge in the design of an appropriate research project.

Learning Outcome

After taking this course, students should be able to carry out and present the findings of their own research project.

Requirement

- Participation (15%)
- Class Presentation (20%)
- Poster exhibition (15%)
- Final Report (50%)

Students will form groups of 3 people for a research project. At the end of the semester, students will make a 15-min in-class presentation, followed with a 5-min discussion. Students also need to produce a poster for their group project and present their work at the ELB lobby in front of some high school students.

Honesty in Academic Work

Attention is drawn to university policy and regulations on honesty in academic work, and to the disciplinary guidelines and procedures applicable to breaches of such policy and regulations. Details may be found at <http://www.cuhk.edu.hk/policy/academichonesty/>.

ECON 2901A Tentative Schedule

Week	Date	Activity
1	Jan 11	Introduction
2	Jan 18	Individual Group Meeting
3	Jan 25	<i>Chinese New Year Holiday</i>
4	Feb 1	Individual Group Meeting
5	Feb 8	Consultation
6	Feb 15	Consultation
7	Feb 22	Individual Group Meeting
8	Mar 1	Individual Group Meeting
9	Mar 8	<i>Reading Week</i>
10	Mar 15	Consultation
11	Mar 22	Consultation
12	Mar 29	Individual Group Meeting
13	April 5	Individual Group Meeting
14	April 12	Class Presentation
15	April 19	Class Presentation