

Principles of Microeconomics

ECON 2010-200 – Spring 2020

University of Colorado, Boulder

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Office Hours: Wednesday 8:30 - 9:30am, Friday 9:00 – 9:30 am, Economics 106

Syllabus

This Syllabus covers all the important organizational details.

Logistics and Important Dates

We meet three times a week on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 12:00 to 12:50pm in room GOLD A2B70. I will hold office hours on Wednesday from 8:30 am to 9:30 am and Friday 9:00 – 9:30 am (or by appointment if this time is inconvenient). My office is Economics 106. Once a week you will also meet with one of the Teaching Assistants for the class during Recitation Sessions. During Recitation Sessions you will regularly review the past and upcoming class material and get extra help prior to exams. There will be two in-class midterm exams and one final exam. Please mark your calendar as follows:

- Midterm 1, Feb 14 class time
- Midterm 2, Mar 20, class time
- Final Exam May 6 at 1:30 pm

No makeup exams will be given. If you cannot take an exam due to religious or other reasons covered by campus policies, you need to contact me at least one week before the exam. If you are ill on an exam day you will have to provide me with a doctor's note documenting that you could not take the exam for that reason. Otherwise, if you fail to show up for an exam you will get a zero for that exam.

Textbook, Web Platform and Clicker

The textbook for the class is Acemoglu, Laibson, and List, *Principles of Microeconomics*, 2nd edition (2018, Pearson). You will need to enroll in the web portal MyEconLab. Through MyEconLab you will have access to additional learning material and to weekly problem sets which will be graded. The best way to login into MyEconLab is through Canvas <https://canvas.colorado.edu/> You will also need an iClicker. You can purchase it at the CU Bookstore, if you do not have one already. We will use clickers regularly to review examples and to solve problems. Please make sure to register your clicker at <https://oit.colorado.edu/tutorial/cuclickers-iclicker-remote-registration>

TA and Recitations

TAs will hold weekly recitations that will help you to master the course material. Recitations start in the second week. Our TAs are Adam Pfander (Adam.Pfander@colorado.edu), Anja Gruber (Anja.Gruber@colorado.edu), and Jaekyeong Shin (Jaekyeong.Shin@colorado.edu). Please check your enrollment records to establish the day and time of your session. The following tables list all the recitations with times and locations.

Office Hours

	Recitation #	Time	Day	Location
Wolfgang Keller		8:30-9:30 8:30-9:00	M F	Econ 106
Adam Pfander	211, 213, 216	5-6pm 12:45-1:45pm 10-11am	M Th F	Econ 307
Anja Gruber	212, 215, 217	9-11am 1:30- 3:30 pm	Tu W	Econ 307
Jaekyeong Shin	214, 218, 219	4-4:30 pm 9-9:30 am	M,W F	Econ 309C

Weekly Assignments and Clicker Questions

I will assign weekly problem sets that will be graded. A portion of the questions in the problem sets will aim at reinforcing your understanding and mastering of the material, while a portion will be representative of the type of questions that you will get in the midterm and final exams.

Grading

Your final

condition or injury, see [Temporary Medical Conditions](#) under the Students tab on the Disability Services website.

