

ECON 1000-100
Introduction to Economics
Fall 2008

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REQUIRED TEXT

Mankiw, N. Gregory, (2007) *Principles of Economics* (4th Edition). Thomson Southwestern Publishers.

You may purchase this textbook through the CU Bookstore or alternative sources. The following link will allow you to purchase a 180 day subscription for approximately \$100: <http://www.coursesmart.com/9780324224726>

Supplementary readings will be posted on the course website.

COURSE OVERVIEW

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I will announce before each exam the topics covered in the exam. All exams, including the final exam, are held in the usual classroom.

Exam Schedule

Exam 1	Thursday, October 14th, 2008	
Exam 2	Thursday, December 4th, 2008	
Final	Saturday, December 13th, 2008	10:30am-1:00pm

RECITATION

The primary purpose of recitation is to increase your understanding of the material presented in lecture. TAs will briefly review the theory covered in lecture, followed by examples and practice problems. Recitation will be particularly helpful in preparing you for exams.

TAs will discuss their grading policies during the first class of recitation. You can expect to have 2 quizzes and 2 homework assignments during the semester. Recitation begins the week of **September 2nd, 2008**. For those who have recitation scheduled on Monday, September 1st, please discuss with your TA about attending a section later in the week.

TA	Section	Time	Day	Location
Liu, Yibei	111	8:00-8:50	T	MCOL E186
Cho	112	1:00-1:50	T	E1B75
Cho	113	1:00-1:50	R	MUEN E126
Cho	114	3:30-4:20	R	EDUC 143
Hiller	115	10:00-10:50	M	HLMS 220
Hiller	116	11:00-11:50	M	HLMS 196
Liu, Yibei	117	3:00-3:50	M	HLMS 191
Liu, Yibei	118	3:00-3:50	W	CLRE 301
Liu, Yibei	119	4:00-4:50	W	MCOL E186
Hiller	120	5:00-5:50	W	GUGG 206
Hiller	121	12:00-12:50	F	HLMS 196

TENTATIVE COURSE SCHEDULE

The following schedule is *tentative* and is subject to change. I will make announcements in class and on my website of any changes. Also, please note that in some cases we will only study part of a chapter. If this is the case, I will make an announcement in class and on my website specifying which sections we will cover.

Dates	Topic	Chapter(s)
August 26, 28	Introduction to Economics	1, 2
September 2	Opportunity Cost and Trade	3
September 4, 9	Markets: Supply and Demand	4
September 11, 16	Elasticity, Welfare Economics	5, 7

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