

ECON 136-01, International Economics, Spring 2023

Course and Contact Information

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Office Hours: Tuesdays 10:30am-11:30am (Via Zoom)
Office Hour Zoom Link: <https://sjsu.zoom.us/j/88573988576>

Class Days/Time: MoWe 10:30AM - 11:45AM

Classroom: Clark Building 310

Course Units 4

Prerequisites: ECON 1A and ECON 1B

Course Description (Required)

International trade and finance: global allocation of production and factors, impact of interest and exchange rate policy on firms, trade, and growth.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) (Required)

Upon successful completion of the course a student will be able to:

- Understand the effect of international trade on living standards
- Explain classic and modern trade theories and their implications for the global location of industries
- Analyze the factors that determine currency exchange rates and the impact of changes in exchange rates on exports and imports
- Discuss the political economy of tariffs and trade policies
- Access international macroeconomic data

Required Texts/Readings (Required)

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Course Requirements and Assignments (Required)

1) Eight Quizzes (Top 8 scores out of 10) (40% of your grade, 5% each):

Quizzes will be multiple choice and they will be announced and posted on Canvas. I will give you a total of 10 quizzes, two lowest scores will be dropped. Top 8 scores will count to your grade. The quizzes are meant to assess your understanding of the lecture material. Quizzes are not timed, and you have 2 attempts on each quiz. The higher score will count towards your grade. Late quizzes will receive no credit.

2) Exams (30%, two midterms 10% each and a final 10%):

There are 2 closed-book Midterm exams (10% each, 20% total) and one comprehensive closed

Grading Information (Required)

Your grade will be based upon:

University Policies
Dropping and Adding

Campus Policy in Compliance with the American Disabilities Act

If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability, or if you need to make special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible, or see me during office hours. [Presidential Directive 97-03](#) at http://www.sjsu.edu/president/docs/directives/PD_1997-03.pdf requires that students with disabilities requesting accommodations must register with the [Accessible Education Center \(AEC\)](#) at <http://www.sjsu.edu/aec> to establish a record of their disability.

In 2013, the Disability Resource Center changed its name to be known as the Accessible Education Center, to incorporate a philosophy of accessible education for students with disabilities. The new name change reflects the broad scope of attention and support to SJSU students with disabilities and the University's continued

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Tentative Course Schedule

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