

Microeconomics

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Content and learning outcome

Content The course covers the core topics in microeconomic theory. It includes the fundamentals of individual decision making, game theory, and general equilibrium theory. The lecture provides a rigorous foundation for common modelling techniques and solutions concepts, and gives an introduction to their application in fields like information economics.

Learning outcome The course aims to expose the students to the basic paradigms of modern microeconomics, on an advanced formal level. Another important goal is the exposure to a variety of modelling techniques that will be often used in subsequent courses.

Teaching and learning methods

| Type of course/ learning methods | Topic | Language of instruction | Group size | Contact time | Workload [h] |
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| Lecture | Microeconomics or Microeconomics (Ph.D.) | English | 120 | 4 hours | 60 |
| Self-study | | | | | 165 |

Prerequisites

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| obligatory | none |
| recommended | |

Degree program allocation

| Study Program/Study Field/Module Number/Lecture Number | obligatory/ elective | Semester |
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| Economics (M.Sc.)/Basic Module/Microeconomics: 332110002/332010002/Microeconomics (Ph.D.): 33211002/332011002 | elective | 1 st /3 rd |
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Requirements for the awarding of credit points (ECTS)

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| Prerequisites For participation | None | 7,5 CP |
| Types of Assessment | Written exam (graded, 100%) | |
| Examination language | English | |

| Course Cycle | Workload | Duration |
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| Winter term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Summer term <input type="checkbox"/> | 225 h | 1 Term |

Module coordination

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| Teaching person | See https://basis.uni-bonn.de |
| Module coordinator | Prof. Dr. Dezső Szalay |
| Institute/Department | Department of Economics |

Further Information

Basic Modules You must choose four out of five basic modules (Mathematics for Economists, Finance, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Econometrics). Mathematics for Economists is obligatory. The fifth basic module can be elected in the 3rd semester instead of an advanced module.

* export into other study programs is only possible if contract between faculties exists