

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 2 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. If poster presentation is not possible due to COVID-19 restrictions, our plan at the moment is to produce a 10-minute video presentation which we will post online.

ECON 2901 Tentative Schedule (Updated 12/01/2022)

Week	Date	Activity
1	Jan 12	Introduction
2	Jan 19	Individual Group Meeting
3	Jan 26	Individual Group Meeting
4	Feb 2	<i>Chinese New Year Holiday</i>
5	Feb 9	Consultation
6	Feb 16	Consultation
7	Feb 23	Consultation
8	Mar 2	Consultation
9	Mar 9	Consultation
10	Mar 16	Consultation
11	Mar 23	Consultation
12	Mar 30	Consultation
13	April 6	<i>Reading Week</i>
14	April 13	Class Presentation
15	April 20	Class Presentation
16	April 25	Poster Presentation