

Topics in International Economics

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The Yale GSP students at the United Nations, New York City.

The course covers recent developments in international economics. Trade policy and market structure; the economics of trading blocs such as the EEC & NAFTA; the economic consequences of continued U.S. external deficits; globalization and inequality; exchange rates, interest rates, and volatility; speculative capital flows and exchange rate policies; and financial crises and the prospects for the European Monetary Union.

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Testimonials

?I spent my third summer in New Haven?but the summer that I enrolled in the GSP program was by far my favorite summer. The Global Summer Program challenged me to push my boundaries intellectually, to think globally, and to delve into the study of political psychology at the most fundamental and significant level.?

- Monika Adamczyk, *Topics in International Economics (Yale 2009) & Oxford?s Seminar in Global Leadership (Oxford 2010), Yale University. Monica enjoyed the GSP at Yale so much that she applied for a second summer participating in the GSP*

?The best aspect of the IARU GSP was the critical approach we had during lessons and the sense of community. I?ve never been before to a university with on-campus housing. Coming together and exchanging so much with other students was a great and worthwhile experience. I?ve never felt this linked to a university like Yale in only 5 weeks.?

- Steffen Merte, 2010 Participant from ETH Zurich.

THE BASICS:

Lecturer:

Miguel Ramirez (Yale)

Field Trip:

United Nations, New York City

Tuition:

Waived for IARU partner students

Accommodation:

USD \$2,375 (2 room & board scholarships will be provided to each IARU partner)

Target audience:

Undergraduate students. This course has a prerequisite of intermediate microeconomics and macroeconomics, or equivalent.

About Yale University:

Founded in 1701, Yale University is located in New Haven, Connecticut (USA), and consists of: Yale College, the four-year undergraduate school; the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences; and the professional schools (Architecture, Art, Divinity, Drama, Engineering and Applied Science, Forestry and Environmental Studies, Law, Management, Medicine, Music, Nursing, and Public Health). Among Yale's 11,500 students, there are more than 1,900 international students (16%) from 110 different countries. International students in any of the 59 PhD programs in the Arts and Sciences pay no tuition and receive a generous annual stipend. Yale's 3,200 faculty are conducting over 900 international research projects. For more information, please visit <http://www.yale.edu/>

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