

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information								
Module Title	Emerging Economies							
Module Code	UMED8R-15-2		Level	Level 5				
For implementation from	2020-21							
UWE Credit Rating	15		ECTS Credit Rating	7.5				
Faculty	Faculty of Business & Law		Field	Economics				
Department	FBL Dept of Accounting Economics & Finance							
Module type:	Standard							
Pre-requisites		Economic Principles in a Contemporary Context 2020-21						
Excluded Combinations		None						
Co- requisites		None						
Module Entry requirements		None						

Part 2: Description

Educational Aims: The educational experience may explore, develop, and practice but not formally discretely assess the following:

Working within a group/team in seminars

Summarizing and presenting concepts and ideas

Outline Syllabus: This module typically will cover:

The East-Asia Economic 'Miracle' – Tiger economies and how growth occurred; industrial policy; import substitution industrialisation (ISI), Export orientated industrialisation (EOI); Hong-Kong as an alternative to the East Asian economic model.

Trade Theory and Evidence - comparative advantage, 'Dutch'-disease, protectionism and infant country hypothesis, dynamic gains and risks of integration, trading blocs and the role of the World Trade Organisation (WTO).

China - 'open door policy', causes of Chinese growth, capital market controls, exchange rate policy, China as an industrial superpower and constraints to future growth.

India - causes and effects of growth, economic reforms, outsourcing and call centres, education policy, regional income inequality.

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Transitional States - The history and context of the transition process in Eastern Europe; Analysis of hyperinflation coupled with high

unemployment; emergence of market institutions; privatisation.

Case Study Evidence on Albania, Kosovo and Macedonia.

Teaching and Learning Methods: Lectures will focus on core material, with a particular focus on theory and its application. Seminars will focus on investigating and practising the lecture material; and will involve a mixture of tutorials, group presentations and practical classes.

In addition staff will be available during the semester during their office hours (2 hours a week) for face to face meetings. Queries and extended discussions with staff can also be approached virtually through e-mail.

Extensive use will be made of Blackboard for weekly guided independent study work; to support students' learning; to facilitate interactions between students e.g. for group project work and to provide feedback with guizzes and forums.

Students will also be directed towards the University Library online Study Skills resources for the development of skills appropriate to the level and style of the module. In addition a number of e-learning resources will also be used:

The MySkills Study Skills website

Skills4study (s4s) as part of the MySkills resource (Academic reading and note making; Critical thinking; Academic writing; Referencing and plagiarism)

iSkillzone (workshops for information retrieval, referencing, evaluation skills and literature reviewing)

There are 3 hours of contact time with staff that a student can expect in a week. This will include lectures and a mixture of seminars, tutorials, group presentations and practical classes.

Part 3: Assessment

This module deploys a mix of formative and summative assessment.

Formative assessment takes various forms and will occur throughout the module; it may include peer feedback on informal activities. Formative assessment will be important because the summative assessment all occurs late in this particular module. Summative assessment will be multi-faceted. The first opportunity for summative assessment is a guided research project. The examination will assess the entire module content and will occur at the end of the module.

Summative Assessment:

A 15 minutes group presentation during semester time. This will comprise 50% of the final mark.

Assessed essay – 2,000 words, worth 50% of final mark.

Formative Assessment:

Engagement with other students in seminars that encourages a sense of belonging.

Weekly individual/group presentations on the themes covered in the syllabus.

If a student is permitted an EXCEPTIONAL RETAKE of the module the assessment will be that indicated by the Module Description at the time that retake commences.

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First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Written Assignment - Component B		50 %	2,000 word essay
Presentation - Component A	✓	50 %	Group presentation of policy briefing paper.
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Written Assignment - Component B		50 %	2,000 word essay

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods								
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the follo	owing learning	outcomes:					
	Module Learning Outcomes							
	Critical analysis of the economic histories, institutions, and growth patterns of emerging economies in the 20th and 21st century							
	Critical exploration of the dynamics of trade and financial flows within emerging economies and the rest of the world. Analysis of the role of national policies and international governance frameworks in affecting different forms of market and industrial organisation.							
	Analysis of contemporary and future challenges affecting the growth and sustainability of emerging economies.							
Contact Hours	dependent Study Hours:							
	Independent study/self-guided study	14						
	Total Independent Study Hours:	14						
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:							
	E-learning/online learning	6						
	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	6						
	Hours to be allocated	50						
	Allocated Hours	15	150					
Reading List	The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:							
	https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/umed8r-15-2.html							

Part 5: Contributes Towards

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This module contributes towards the following programmes of study:

Business and Management [Sep][FT][NepalBrit][3yrs] BBA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management and Economics [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management and Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management with Economics [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management with Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management and Economics [Jan][FT][Villa][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Management and Economics [Jan][SW][Villa][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business Studies {Dual} [Aug][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics [Sep][SW][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business and Management (Dual) [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business and Management (Dual) [Aug][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics (Dual) [Aug][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics (Dual) [Mar][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics (Dual) [Sep][FT][Frenchay][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Business and Management (Dual) [Mar][FT][Taylors][3yrs] BA (Hons) 2019-20

Economics (Foundation) [Sep][SW][Frenchay][5yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19

Economics {Foundation} [Sep][FT][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19

Business Management and Economics (Foundation) [Sep][SW][Frenchay][5yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19

Business Management and Economics (Foundation) [Sep][FT][Frenchay][4yrs] BA (Hons) 2018-19