

授業科目名 (英文名)	Microeconomics(E) (経済学部・専門 教育科目) (Microeconomics(E))	科目区分 対象学生	
単位数	4.0	開講年次・ 学期	2
担当教員	スクサバン	所属	経済学部
オフィス・場所		連絡先	
講義目的及び到達目標	Microeconomics is the study of households and firms on their decision making and interactions. The aim of this course is to study the fundamental microeconomics theory and its applications through case studies. It will provide students with necessary tools to understand the following fundamental questions in economy: How does a buyer decide to purchase goods or services? How do firms/sellers decide on production? How do buyers and sellers interact in a market? Why do we have pros and cons toward international trade? Why do governments intervene in the market?		
講義内容・授業計画	<p>The course consists of the following topics:</p> <p>Topic 1 (Lecture 1-2): Introduction to “ Microeconomics ”</p> <p>Topic 2 (Lecture 3-4): Introduction to the Market Economy: Supply and Demand</p> <p>Topic 3 (Lecture 5-7): Elasticity and Its Application</p> <p>Topic 4 (Lecture 8-9): Supply, Demand, and Government Policy</p> <p>Topic 5 (Lecture 10): Consumer Surplus, Producer Surplus, and Market Efficiency</p> <p>Topic 6 (Lecture 11-12): Microeconomics and International Trade</p> <p>Topic 7 (Lecture 13-15): Externalities</p> <p>Topic 8 (Lecture 16-17): Public Goods and Common Resources</p> <p>Topic 9 (Lecture 18-20): Costs of Production</p> <p>Topic 10 (Lecture 21-22): Firms in Competitive Markets</p> <p>Topic 11 (Lecture 23-24): Monopoly and Monopolistic Competition</p> <p>Topic 12 (Lecture 25-26): Oligopoly</p> <p>Topic 13 (Lecture 27-28): Markets for Factors of Production</p> <p>Topic 14 (Lecture 29): Wages and Earnings</p> <p>Topic 15 (Lecture 30): Income Inequality and Poverty</p>		
テキスト	Mankiw, N. G. (2015). Principles of Microeconomics (7th Edition). Stamford: CENGAGE Learning (ISBN-13: 978-1-285-16590-5).		
参考文献	Reading materials and related materials are provided in class. Reference material: Pindyck, R. and Rubinfeld, D. (2013) Microeconomics (8th Edition). Boston: Pearson Prentice Hall (ISBN-13: 978-0-13-285712-3).		
成績評価の基準・方法	The course evaluation is based on five quizzes (small tests) and one final examination. Five Quizzes: 50% (weight: 10% per quiz) Final Examination: 50%		
履修上の注意・履修要件	Students are encouraged to read the materials prior to class and solve the problem sets or homework.		
実践的教育			
備考	The lecture, discussions, exercises and examinations are conducted in English.		