ECO 3302  Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory

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III. Objective of Course: An evaluative study of the determinants of levels of national income, employment, and prices.

IV. Exams: Student understanding of the course and the material associated with the course will be measured by three exams. Exams will be essay, problem solving, and/or short answer.

V. Grades: Semester grades will be determined by performance on the exams. Exam weight will be 50% (high exam), 30%, and 20% (low exam).

VI. Dropping: The last day to drop the class with an automatic W is Friday, October 28.

VII. Course Content:

Chapter 1: An Overview of Macroeconomics
Chapter 2: Measuring the Economy's Performance
Chapter 3: The Classical System
Chapter 4: The Keynesian System

FIRST EXAM (Chapters 1-4)

Chapter 7: Consumption, Saving, and the Multiplier
Chapter 8: Investment and Finance
Chapter 9: Public Expenditures, Taxes, and Finance
Chapter 10: The International Economy

SECOND EXAM (Chapters 7-10)
Chapter 5: Money and Interest Rates in the Keynesian System and the International Economy
Chapter 11: Monetary Theory
Chapter 6: A General Equilibrium Model

FINAL EXAM (Chapters 5, 11, and 6)

Exam Schedule:

Sept 15(R): FIRST EXAM (1-4)
Oct 20(R): SECOND EXAM (7-10)
Dec 8(R): FINAL EXAM (5, 11, and 6)
From 4:00pm to 6:45pm

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