

ECON 309 Industrial Organisation 2007 Course Web Outline

This course outline satisfies the minimum requirements of the Division of Economics and Financial Studies. It does not supply students with all the information needed to successfully complete the course. Students should refer to the outline provided in the first lecture or available from the lecturer-in-charge. Please do not ask the Lecturer-in-Charge questions before first reading the complete course outline.

Lectures and seminars

Lectures:

Wednesdays – W5A T1: 3-5 pm

Wednesdays – E7B 100: 6-8 pm

Seminar times and rooms will be posted on the course bulletin board by Thursday 8 March. Only attend assigned seminars. Changes can be made only via the Lecturer-in-Charge. Detailed information concerning the lectures and seminars are contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

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Course Resources

Please check the course bulletin board on the unit web page. Students are responsible for all the information contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge or any notice posted to the course bulletin board.

Assessment

Seminar Paper 15 points

Term Paper 25 points

Comprehensive Final Exam 60 points

Satisfactory performance is required in all segments of this subject in order to pass. This includes, as a bare minimum, a pass mark on your final exam. If you fail the final exam, you fail the course, regardless of your previous results. Passing the exam is defined as a score of 50% or more. For those failing the final exam, your final grade will simply reflect your performance in the final exam.

Detailed discussion about each assessment and the role it plays in the course are contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Consideration Cases and Supplementaries

Detailed discussion about applying for a supplementary exam and issues of consideration are contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Appealing a Grade

Discussion of this procedure is dealt with in the Handbook of Undergraduate Studies. A detailed discussion is also contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Written Assignments:

A detailed discussion of what is required for the two written assignments is contained in the comprehensive course outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Plagiarism

Students should go to <http://www.student.mq.edu.au/plagiarism/>

An additional discussion describing plagiarism is contained in the comprehensive outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Textbook

Ricketts, Martin (2002) *The Economics of Business Enterprise – third edition*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.

There is also a Workbook/Set of Readings that are at least as important to read as the textbook. Both works are available through the Coop Bookstore. Both textbook and readings are also on reserve in the library.

Seminar Readings

These are contained in the Course Workbook/Set of Readings and are listed in the comprehensive outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.

Lecture Schedule

This are listed in the comprehensive outline available from the lecturer-in-charge.