

COURSE OUTLINE**EE561 SELECTED TOPICS IN DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS 1****Contemporary Issues of ASEAN: CLMV Focus**

Semester:	S/2019
Instructors:	Assist. Prof. Dr. Chayanee Chawanote (chayanee@econ.tu.ac.th)
Credits:	3 units
Class schedule:	Wed & Fri; 9.00-12.00 on Zoom
Office hours:	By appointment

Course Description:

An active and problem-based learning course regarding contemporary issues of ASEAN, especially those of Cambodia, the Lao PDR, Myanmar and Vietnam. Various aspects of overall ASEAN or each country economy, trade, investment, development, environment, public policy, etc. will be covered in the course. In this course, students can learn from lectures (by invited professors and experts in each topic) and activities in the classroom. *(No field trips or company visits this summer.)*

Course Objectives:

To focus on student understanding of ASEAN economy integration and issues related to CLMV countries. As the course includes guest lectures and discussions, students have to be able to ask questions, express their opinions, and reflect on each seminar/special lecture. Moreover, the course is a project base evaluation. Students are expected to work as a group, be professional in presentation, and solve any problem related to their project.

Readings:

Each special guest lecturer and instructor will provide his/her lecture notes and some references for further reading. All related documents will be posted on BE-Moodle.

Topics & Schedules:

Date & Time	Topics	Special lecturer
June 10	- Course Introduction - ASEAN's origin, evolution, and economy	
June 12	- Getting to know CLMV economy - Economic Development	
June 17 9.00-11.00 11.00-12.00	- Trade & environment - How to do research project	Aj. Anin Aroonruengsawat
June 19 9.00-11.00 11.00-12.00	- FDI & investment - Group activity	Aj. Nessara Sukpanich
June 24	- ASEAN integration, border trade, and payment system	K. Pariwat Kanithasen, BOT
June 26 9.00-11.00 11.00-12.00	- Labor/human capital - Group activity	Aj. Kiriya Kulkolkarn
July 1	- Industrialization & global supply chain in the context of economic development	
July 3	- Proposal presentation (Midterm: 3 hours presentation)	
July 8	- Logistics and Supply Chain in ASEAN/CLMV	Dr. Suthep Nimsai, CMMU

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July 10	- Post-COVID CLVM economy	Dr. Amonthep Chawla, CIMB
July 15	- Sustainable development goals (SDGs) in ASEAN	
July 17	- Project progress report (presentation)	
July 22	- China's economy and CLMV	K. Wan Thabkrajang, Tencent
July 24	- Urbanization in ASEAN/CLMV	
July 29	- Class summary	
July 31	- Project final presentation	

Evaluation:

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| 1. Individual assignments (e.g. reaction essays) | 10% |
| 2. Class participation and class attendance | 10% |
| 3. Group project and group assignments | 40% |
| 4. Final exam (Monday, Aug 3 : 9.00-Noon) | 40% |

Semester S/2019 (June – August, 2020)	
Registration Period (Reg TU)	May 6 – 8, 2020
Tuition payment period	May 6 – 9, 2020
Classes Begin	June 8, 2020
Add-drop period	June 8 - 15, 2020
Tuition payment period	June 8 - 16, 2020
Mid-term Examination Period	July 2 – 4, 2020
Withdrawal period with "W" on record	July 8 - 13, 2020
Last day of class for Semester S/2019	August 1, 2020
Final exam period	August 3 - 5, 2020