ECONOMICS AND FINANCE (LB06)
(Lecce - Università degli Studi)

Teaching HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT

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Teaching in italian HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT
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SSD code SECS-P/04
Reference course ECONOMICS AND FINANCE
Course type Laurea
Credits 8.0
Teaching hours Ore-Attivita-frontale: 64.0
For enrolled in 2015/2016
Taught in 2017/2018
Course year 3
Language INGLESE
Curriculum PERCORSO COMUNE
Location Lecce
Semester Secondo-Semestre
Exam type Orale
Assessment Voto-Finale
Course timetable https://easyroom.unisalento.it/Orario

BRIEF COURSE DESCRIPTION
From the birth of economic science to the most recent theoretical developments: the thinking of the great economists of the past, the scientific revolutions, the flourishing of ideas, the historical events that generated them, the way they have made their way, the liberal economics, socialist thought. Here are some of the contents of this exciting and interdisciplinary course that will allow you to look at the economy with the breadth of historical perspective. Student will learn the contributions to economic analysis elaborated by various economists (including Smith, Ricardo, Marx, Jevons, Walras, Marshall, Keynes), as well as the distinctive features of schools and strands of economic thought (Physiocracy, Classical Economics, Marginalism, Neoclassical Economics, Keynesian Economics).

REQUIREMENTS
none

COURSE AIMS
The course intends providing an overview of the main economic theories from ancient times up to the present. Students will learn the basic lines of the main approaches that have characterised the development of economic science in the context of Western thought between the eighteenth and twentieth centuries. They will also develop a critical attitude toward the economic theory.

TEACHING METHODOLOGY
This class will follow a particular process, combining periods of class participation and discussion with traditional lecture format conducted by the Professor.

ASSESSMENT TYPE
The final exam is oral, it consists of three questions, chosen from the handbook, on the topics addressed during the course (questions for review and discussion). The disabled student and/or with DSA who intends to take advantage of an individualised intervention should contact the Disability Integration office of the University of Salento at paola.martino@unisalento.it.


Physiocracy: natural law, the interrelatedness of an economy. Physiocratic economic policy.


Chapter 9. Marginal productivity theory.


Keynesian Policy. Keynes's Philosophical Approach to Policy.

Questions for Review and Discussion.
REFERENCE TEXT BOOKS