ECONOMICS 105: INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

Term: Spring 204
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Text: Global Economic Issues and Policies. Daniels, Joseph P. and VanHouse, David D., Thomson, 2004. I may also assign some additional reading material. It will be on reserve before the assignment is made.

Course Preparation:

Microeconomic theory is the foundation for the real trade topics we will discuss. Macroeconomics is the foundation for the international finance topics we will discuss. There is no prerequisite for this course.

Classroom policies:

No smoking or tobacco chewing. Do not interrupt the class by arriving late. The examinations and quizzes must be taken in a Blue Book.

Grading Policies:

You will be asked to complete a number of short announced quizzes, an issue paper and a final examination. The final examination will be cumulative. I will drop the lowest quiz score. Your grade will be calculated as follows:

Short quizzes - 60%
Short paper - 20%
Final - 20%

Honor Code Statement:

Do not cheat! If you observe someone cheating and report the matter to me, testify if asked to do so and the cheater is found guilty; you will receive an "A" in the course. Honesty and bravery have their rewards. If you are convicted of an honor violation you will receive a "F" in this course. It is your responsibility to prevent cheating. Do so!