

# UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

## Department of Economics

### Intermediate Macroeconomics (ECON 3020), Summer Term B, 2021

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#### Course Description

This is an intermediate macro course. The material will be based on principle macroeconomics. We will discuss some phenomena and results that you learned in principle course deeply with the help of mathematical models. This course involves 3 parts: (1) Long run growth (2) Short run fluctuations (3) The role of consumers, investors and governments played in the economy.

We will use mathematical models to analyze the long run growth, short run AD/AS, wages, unemployment, monetary and fiscal policy and the recent financial crisis. As you will see these

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#### Prerequisites

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## Grading Policy

Problem Set: 10%

Attendance: ~~1%~~

Midterm: 40%

Final Exam: 40%

Due to FERPA, we cannot discuss grades over email. Thus, if you have any question about

I will NOT post my lecture notes in website. ~~You~~ You do to come to the lecture to keep notes. If you miss any lecture, please ask your friends for lecture notes.

### Tentative Course Schedule

Date	Topic	Chapter
week 1		
10-Jul	Math Review	
11-		

## Office Hours and Email:

You are welcomed to ask questions in office hours, please use them wisely. I will hold extra

exams.

Email is the only way to contact me without meet in face. However, I will be reluctant to answer questions that requires lots of time and space to explain (like big questions) via email. So if you have long questions, please talk to me in person and I could explain to you more clearly.

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