

CURRICULUM- Doctorate Courses

In order for all students to acquire an integrated knowledge of political economy, the curriculum of the Institute is divided into the core section and the elective section. The core section consists of four compulsory courses plus a doctorate thesis. The four compulsory courses include Advanced Theories of Political Economy, Research Methodology in Political Economy, Political Economy of Development Policy, and Seminars. The elective section has four groups of courses: Political Institution and Public Economy, Politics of Governance and Development, Global International Political Economy, and Regional Political Economy.

All Students should choose their major and minor areas. Course require at least 9 credits from major courses and 6 credits from minor courses, 6 credits of any elective courses. Students should take core courses first in each of the four areas. The curriculum is reviewed on annual basis, and new courses will be added as the Institute expands. The following is a list of courses offered in the 2010-2011 academic year.

Required Courses

Course Title	Credits
1 Advanced Theories of Political Economy	3
2 Research Methodology in Political Economy	3
3 Political Economy of Development Policy	3

Area I: Political Institution and Public Economy

Course Title	Credits
1 Public Finance	3
2 Government and Industry	3
3 Comparative Politics and Economy	3
4 Local Politics and Economy	3
5 Social Welfare	3
6 Political Institutions	3
7 Policy of Macroeconomics	3
8 Game Theory	3
9 Environmental Economics: Theory and Application	3
10 Topics in Political Institutions and Public Economics	3
11 Topics in Public Economics	3

Area II: Politics of Governance and Development

Course Title	Credits
1 Social Change and Its Governance	3
2 Democratization and Political Development	3
3 Contemporary Political and Economic Thought	3
4 Globalization and Global Governance	3
5 Topics in Government and Governance	3
6 Topics in Civil Society	3
7 Topics in Politics of Governance and Development	3
8 Judicial Politics	3
9 Political Development	3
10 Theories and Policies of Economic Development	3
11 Industrial Economics	3
12 Health Economics and Policy	3
13 Internet Politics and Society	3

Area III: Global International Political Economy

Course Title	Credits
1 International Organization and Regime	3
2 International Political Economy	3
3 Global Security and Conflict	3
4 International Strategy and Foreign Policy Analysis	3
5 International Relations Theories	3
6 Topics in Global Change	3
7 Topical Analysis of Global Political Economy	3
8 Topics in Global Political Economy	3
9 International Trade: Theory and Policy	3
10 Seminars on International Financial Studies	3

Area IV: Regional Political Economy

Course Title	Credits
1 Asia Pacific Regional Integration	3
2 The Third World Development	3
3 Topics in Political Economy of Mainland China	3
4 Topics in Political Economy of Southeast Asia	3
5 Topics in Political Economy of Northeast Asia	3
6 Topics in Political Economy of European Union	3
7 Topics in Regionalization and Globalization	3
8 Topics in Global Econo-Political Geography	3
9 Topics in Regional Political Economy	3

Remarks:

Students should be approved by their thesis supervisors or the Institute's Director for their course choices.