

SUBJECT DATASHEET

Economic history

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I. SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

1. SUBJECT DATA

Subject name

Economic history

ID (subject code) BMEGT35M104

Type of subject

contact lessons

<u>Course types and lessons</u>		Type of
Type	Lessons	<u>assessment</u>
Lecture	2	exam grade
Practice	0	Number of
Laboratory	0	<u>credits</u> 3

Subject Coordinator

Name Position Contact details

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Educational organisational unit for the subject

Department of Finance

Subject website

https://edu.gtk.bme.hu

Language of the subject

magyar és angol - HU and ENG

Curricular role of the subject, recommended number of terms

Programme: Finance MSc (in English) from 2019/20/Term 1 AUTUMN start

Subject Role: Compulsory Recommended semester: 2

Programme: Finance MSc (in English) from 2019/20/Term 1 SPRING start

Subject Role: Compulsory Recommended semester: 1

Direct prerequisites

Strong None
Weak None
Parallel None
Exclusion None

Validity of the Subject Description

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2. OBJECTIVES AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

Objectives

The course's main goal is to familiarize the students with the fundamentals of universal money history, history of finance (banking, insurance, financial markets) and the main events of Hungarian economic history. The latter topic requires to review common historical knowledge via economic or political aspects. It is also the goal of the course that the historical events and data-like parts are not only to be acquired as individual encyclopedic knowledge, but the real purposes of the historical events would become understandable. The material is built on chronological logic.

Academic results

Knowledge

- 1. 1. the definition and attributes, basic function and history of money,
- 2. 2. the main events in the history of finance,
- 3. 3. the basic trends in the history of finance,
- 4. 4. the main events (concerning the economic history) of global and Hungarian history,
- 5. 5. the economical aspect of the latter.

Skills

- 1. 1. plan and organize independent learning,
- 2. 2. comprehend and use the professional literature of the topic,
- 3. 3. grasp the professional language in writing and speech,
- 4. 4. logical interpretation of the events of history

Attitude

- 1. 1. are open to learn and adapt the methodology of historical science
- 2. 2. collaborate with their instructors and fellow students during the learning process,
- 3. 3. gain knowledge and information,
- 4. 4. are open to critical thinking.

Independence and responsibility

1. 1. are open to accept reliable critical remarks

Teaching methodology

Lectures and written communication, use of ICT tools and techniques.

Materials supporting learning

- 1. Az előadások prezentációinak anyaga, ami a félév során folyamatosan fog feltöltésre kerülni.
- Ajánlott: a félév során ismertetésre kerülő szakkönyvek és folyóirat cikkek.
- 1. Slideshows of the lectures which will be uploaded continously during the semester.
- Recommended: The textbooks and journal articles that will be presented during the semester.

II. SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS

TESTING AND ASSESSMENT OF LEARNING PERFORMANCE

General Rules

Assessment of the learning outcomes described under 2.2. is based on one written final exam test.

Performance assessment methods

1. Written exam test: on the exam period, 60 minutes, 100 points. The test consists of multiple choise questions, definitions and short essays.

Percentage of performance assessments, conducted during the study period, within the rating

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Percentage of exam elements within the rating

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Conditions for obtaining a signature, validity of the signature

According to TVSZ

Issuing grades

Excellent	90 %
Very good	86-90 %
Good	71-85 %
Satisfactory	58-70 %
Pass	40-58 %
Fail	40 %

Retake and late completion

Coursework required for the completion of the subject

Participation in contact lessons 28 Preparing for the exam 17

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III. COURSE CURRICULUM

THEMATIC UNITS AND FURTHER DETAILS

Topics covered during the term

Introduction to the course. Definition and functions of money. History of Money I. History of Money II. History of Finance I. (ancient) History

of Finance II. (medieval) History of Finance III. (early modern) History of Finance IV. (modern) History of Finance V. (20th Century) History

of Finance VI. (20th Century) Hungarian Economic History I. (medieval) Hungarian Economic History II. (modern) Hungarian Economic History

III. (modern) Hungarian Economic History IV. (modern) Hungarian Economic History V. (modern) Buffer Week

Additional lecturers

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