愛知東邦大学 シラバス

開講年度(Year)	2023年度	開講期(Semester)	前期
授業科目名(Course name)	アメリカ経済論		
担当者(Instructors)	Jordan Johnson	配当年次(Dividend year)	2
単位数(Credits)	2	必修・選択(Required / selection)	選択

■授業の目的と概要(Course purpose/outline)

This class will overview the trends/policies in the US economy from the early 1900s up to the Donald Trump presidency. We will briefly cover three broad stages of US economic history as proposed by Valli (2018): ① The Western frontier and its economic/demographic consequences; ② The Fordist model of growth; and ③ The building of an economic empire via financial globalization, military/political power, and technological advancements. NOTE: This class will mainly be in English.

■授業形態・授業の方法(Class form)			
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授業の方法(Class method)	The main part of each lesson will be an oral explanation of the contents listed below. At the start of each lesson, you will be given an information sheet with blanks that you will need to complete while listening to the lecture. At the end of each lesson, you will answer a short quiz about the vocabulary and main ideas of the day's topic. Submitting the quiz will count as your attendance. In addition, each lesson's information sheet will also have 2-3 short answer questions that will require you to make a personal response about the content. You will answer 1 of these (chosen at random by the lecturer) at the start of the next lesson. This means you have one week to reflect and prepare your written response. In general, each lesson will proceed as follows:		

■各回のテーマとその内容(Each theme and its contents)				
回数(Num)	テーマ(Theme)	内容(Contents)	メディア区分 (Media)	
第1回	Introduction	Get to know each other; Overview of syllabus, class outline/goals, lesson expectations, and online learning tools.		
第2回	The Birth of a Great Economic Power	The economic ascent of the US; The economic consequences of the Western frontier.		
第3回	The Fordist Model of Economic Development	Overview of Fordism; The impact of the Fordist model on the US economy.		
第4回	The Great Depression and the New Deal	The Wall Street Crash of 1929; The Great Depression and the New Deal.		
第5回	Return and Crisis of the Fordist Model of Development	The economic consequences of WWII; The second wave of the Fordist model (1946-1969) and its failure.		
第6回	Development of the US Economy	Capital accumulation, technological progress, and knowledge; Structural changes in the US economy after the war.		
第7回	The Global Power of the US	The effects of the Teheran and Yalta conferences; The main strengths of the US economy; The US and the Turin Index of Economic Power.		
第8回	Main Weaknesses in the American Economic Power	Past dependence on foreign oil; Rising inequalities in wages, income, and wealth; The fading of the American Dream.		
第9回	Toward a Global Economic Empire	Postwar aid and the Marshall Plan; Foreign direct investment and financial globalization; The influence of the internet and media.		
第10回	The Great Recession	Euphoria and asset inflation in the US housing market; The collapse of Lehman Brothers; Domestic/international effects of the Great Recession.		

第11回	Obama's response to the Great Recession; Obama's industrial, innovative, and environmental policies; The Affordable Care Act (Obamacare).		
第12回	The Economic Consequences of Donald Trump	Populism and America First; Trump's Neo-protectionist policies; The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (TCJA).	
第13回	America's Decline?	The complex relationship between the US and China; Nongovernmental powers and the fragility of international organizations.	
第14回	The Changing World Order	The big cycle rise and fall of the Dutch and British empires; The decline of the US dollar as the dominant reserve currency.	
第15回	Reflection and Review	Review the key concepts of the American economic system and the influence it has on the rest of the world.	

■授業時間外学習(予習・復習)の内容(Preparation/review details)

It is essential that you review class materials each week because each lesson will proceed on the assumption that you have an understanding of the content from past lectures. Every week you should: ① REVIEW the information sheet and vocabulary from the previous lesson (about 1 hour). ② PREPARE for the next lesson by drafting 2-3 personalized written responses connected to the previous lesson's topic/content and studying new vocabulary (about 3 hours).

■課題とフィードバックの方法(Assignments/feedback)

The lecturer will return each end-of-class quiz with a score, comments, and advice in the following lesson. Students have one additional chance to make corrections and resubmit these quizzes for a higher score. Additional feedback will be given in class as necessary. Please email or visit the instructor during office hours to get additional assistance (clarification of class content, help with personal response questions. etc.).

■授業の到達目標と評価基準(Course goals)		
区分(Division) DP区分(DP division) 内容(DP contents)		内容(DP contents)
思考力・判断力・表現力	◆ 2021国際ビジネスDP2	 ◆ SWBAT identify the key mechanisms and important historical events of the US economic system. ◆ SWBAT describe in their own words, based on their own perspective, the influence of the American economy on world affairs.

■成績評価(Evaluation method)

筆記試験(Written	実技試験(Practical	レポート試験(Report	授業内試験 (in-	その他(Other)
exam)	exam)	exam)	class exam)	
0%	0%	0%	100%	0%

授業内試験等(具体的内容)(Specific contents)

Short quizzes (60%) at the end of each class will evaluate your basic understanding of the topics and themes of the lesson. Written Personal Responses (40%) at the start of the next lesson will evaluate your ability to explore the content in more detail and make personal connections with the materials.

■テキスト(Textbooks)		
No. (No.)	テキスト名など(Text name)	ISBN(ISBN)
1	Vocabulary for Economics, Management, and International Business. John P. Racine & Takayuki Nakanishi. Nan'un-do Publishing.	9784523178194
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■参考図書	■参考図書(references books)		
No. (No.)	テキスト名など(Text name)	ISBN(ISBN)	

1	None	N/A
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