

SYLLABUS DE COURS

Intitulé du cours	History of economic thought		
Enseignant(e)	Jean-Pierre Dormois		
Champ disciplinaire		Mots clés	
Langue d'enseignement	English	Niveau	Bachelor
Semestre	Semestre 2	Nombre d'ECTS	4 ECTS
Volume d'heures	18 heures	Modalités d'examens	A définir
Descriptif	This introductory course offers a “portrait gallery” of the most influential economists as well as a survey of their main contributions to economic reasoning over the past 400 years or so. From the early attempts at creating a comprehensive “social” science it goes on to examine the principal tenets of mercantilism, the emergence of political economy by the Classical economists, its critique by Marx and other socialist exponents, such as the German “historical school” and institutionalism. The second breath came in the second half of the 19th with neoclassicism, quantification, the introduction of mathematical tools and marginal analysis. The last section is dedicated to 20th Century figures and their achievements, especially the Keynesian “revolution,” the insights of which continue to inform economic policies to this day. Target students: aimed at non-economics majors; offers a guide to the background of the economic reading and interpretation of present-day developments		
Bibliographie			