

# The Global Economy – Environment, Development and Globalization Autumn 2017

## Examination Schedule

*Note that the course is going to be graded. The possible grades are: fail, 3, 4 and 5 – the highest possible grade being 5.*

Below you find a list of examination tasks,  
**ALL** of which you need to complete in order to pass the course, but not all of which are graded.

### Active Participation

Through a series of tasks, both written and oral, you will be able to show that you are actively participating in the course and are reading and reflecting on the literature.

- Regular Sessions: **minimum attendance requirement of 75% overall**
- Mandatory Session (marked as 'M' in the schedule): **compulsory attendance 100%**
- Economic Journalism: hand in class portfolio

An ongoing part of the examination throughout all modules are the six economic journalism sessions that you are required to collect in a portfolio and continuously hand in.

### Debates

During the course we will have two debates where students will debate different motions from a particular position/stance (for or against). During each debate session we will host three debates.

- Debate I: *Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>*
- Debate II: *Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>*

Students are required to actively participate in one debate; however, we strongly encourage you to also attend the session you are not assigned to, to support and learn from your peers. It counts as a regular sessions.



## **Module I: The Birth of the Global Economy – A short history of modern economic thought**

Examination:

- **Individual Assignment 1: The Economic Naturalist**  
*Due: Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> (pass/fail)*
- **Seminar 1 + In Class Exam: The Global Economy**  
*Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> (pass/fail)*

## **Module II: Understanding Economies – Dynamics and patterns of social ecological systems**

Examination:

- **Group Assignment: SDG Proposition Paper**  
*Due: Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup> (pass/fail)*
- **International Trade Workshop**  
*Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup>*
- **Seminar 2: SDG Negotiations**  
*Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>*
- **Individual Assignment 2: Reflection on Trade Workshop, Group Process & Seminar 2: SDGs**  
*Due: Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> (pass/fail)*

## **Module III: Possible (R)evolution(s) – Perspectives on alternative economies**

Examination:

- **Individual Assignment 3: Hand in Draft for Peer Review**  
*Due: Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>*
- **Written Assignment 3: Hand in Peer Review Feedback**  
*Due: Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>*
- **Collaborative Exam (in class)**  
*Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup> (pass/fail)*
- **Individual Assignment 3: Final version**  
*Due: Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup> (graded)*

Further and more detailed instructions on the specific assignments will be given to you at the beginning of each module. If you are missing a mandatory seminar, workshop or both debates, there will be an extensive make up task to complete.

All written assignments will be submitted via [www.studentportalen.uu.se](http://www.studentportalen.uu.se) and checked for plagiarism.