

## 316-406 Macroeconomic Techniques

<b>Credit Points:</b>	12.500
<b>Level:</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2008, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, - Taught on campus.
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: Three hours of lectures and seminars per week Total Time Commitment: Not available
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	316-338 Mathematical Economics and 316-403 Advanced Macroeconomics.
<b>Corequisites:</b>	None
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	None
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	None
<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	<p>&lt;p&gt;For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Support and Engagement Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry.&lt;/p&gt; <p>&lt;p&gt;It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and Student Equity and Disability Support: &lt;a href="http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability"&gt;http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability&lt;/a&gt;&lt;/p&gt;</p> </p>
<b>Coordinator:</b>	Dr L Uren
<b>Subject Overview:</b>	Introduction to recent developments in macroeconomics. Students will learn how to formulate and solve stochastic dynamic economic models and to apply these techniques to a number of substantive issues in consumption, asset pricing, business cycle theory, monetary economics, and labour economics.
<b>Assessment:</b>	A 1.5-hour mid-semester examination (20%), 3-hour final examination (50%) and class assignments of up to 3000 words (30%).
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	Prescribed Texts:To be advised.
<b>Breadth Options:</b>	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
<b>Fees Information:</b>	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, <a href="http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees">http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>Generic Skills:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># High level of development: problem solving; statistical reasoning; interpretation and analysis; critical thinking.</li> <li># Moderate level of development: written communication; collaborative learning; team work; application of theory to practice; evaluation of data and other information; use of computer software; receptiveness to alternative ideas.</li> <li># Some level of development: oral communication; synthesis of data and other information; accessing data and other information from a range of sources.</li> </ul>
<b>Notes:</b>	Students may not gain credit for both 316-406 Macroeconomic Techniques and <b><u>316-671 Macroeconomic Techniques (/view/2008/316-671)</u></b> .