

# ECON40012 Development Economics

<b>Credit Points:</b>	12.5						
<b>Level:</b>	4 (Undergraduate)						
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2016, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus.						
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: Two 1.5 hour lectures per week Total Time Commitment: Not available						
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	Admission into BH-COM or BH-ARTS (Economics) and <table border="1" data-bbox="387 544 1485 689"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>ECON40001 Advanced Microeconomics</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	ECON40001 Advanced Microeconomics	Semester 1	12.50
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<b>Corequisites:</b>	None						
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	Please refer to Prerequisites and Corequisites.						
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	Students may not gain credit for both <b>ECON40012 Development Economics</b> ( <a href="#">../view/2010/316-463</a> ) and <b>ECON90023 Development Economics</b> ( <a href="#">../view/current/ECON90023</a> ) .						
<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; &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>						
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<b>Subject Overview:</b>	The subject will cover development economics. The topics covered may include economic growth theory including models in which growth is endogenous, measurement of poverty and inequality, tests of the efficiency of labour and credit markets, consumption smoothing, micro-credit schemes and demographic issues.						
<b>Learning Outcomes:</b>	Information not available.						
<b>Assessment:</b>	A 3-hour end-of-semester examination (70%) and class assignments totalling approximately 4000 words (30%).						
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	You will be advised of prescribed texts by your lecturer.						
<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; interpretation and analysis; critical thinking; synthesis of data and other information; evaluation of data and other information.</li><li># Moderate level of development: oral communication; written communication; statistical reasoning; application of theory to practice; receptiveness to alternative ideas.</li><li># Some level of development: collaborative learning; team work; use of computer software; accessing data and other information from a range of sources.</li></ul>
<b>Related Majors/Minors/ Specialisations:</b>	Tailored Specialisation Tailored Specialisation