Description of Course Unit
according to the ECTS User's Guide 2015

Course unit title	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS
Course unit code	QT6036
Type of course unit (compulsory, optional)	Compulsory
Level of course unit (according to EQF: first cycle Bachelor, second cycle Master)	second cycle Master
Year of study when the course unit is delivered (if applicable)	1-2
Semester/trimester when the course unit is delivered	1-4
Number of ECTS credits allocated	3
Name of lecturer(s)	NGUYEN THANH HOANG
Learning outcomes of the course unit	International Economics is the study of economic interactions between countries. There are two broad sub-fields within international economics: international trade and international finance. International Trade, which extends microeconomics, describes and predicts patterns of production, trade and investment across countries. International Finance, which employs macroeconomic analysis, examines the effects of financial flows between countries.
Mode of delivery (face-to-face, distance learning)	Both
Prerequisites and co-requisites (if applicable)	Macroeconomics

Course content	(1) Theory of international trade and policy (2) Theory of international investment and policy (3) Monetary theory and policy (4) International migration theory and policy (5) Theory of international cooperation in science and technology and policy
Recommended or required reading and other learning resources/tools	Required: [1] Paul R Krugman; Maurice Obstfeld; and Marc J Melitz, The International economics theory and policy, 10th Edition, Pearson Series in Economics. https://spada.uns.ac.id/pluginfile.php/179306/mod_resource/content/1/Paul%20Krugman%20ed%206.pdf [2] Kinh tế Chính trị học Mác-Lênin, Nhà xuất bản Lý luận chính trị, 2016 Optional: [3] Thomas Pugel, International Economics, 16 Edition, Mcgraw-Hill Series in Economics, https://www.academia.edu/25999634/International_Economics_-_Thomas_Pugel [4] Bayne, Nicholas and Woolcock, The new economic diplomacy: decision-making and negotiation in international economic relations, 3rd Edition, G8 and Global Governance Series. [Source: Internet] [5] Robert H Frank (Vương Mộc dịch), Nhà tự nhiên kinh tế. Tại sao kinh tế học có thể lý giải mọi điều, NXB Trẻ, 2017.
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	- Learning activity: self-reading materials (scientific papers), pair work, group work/teamwork; group discussion, group presentations - Teaching methods: lecturing on class; individual advise, Q&A
Language of instruction	English
Assessment methods and criteria	- Formative assessment: - Group work and group discussion - Midterm: - Individual/Pair/Group presentation (30%) - Final: - Final essay/working paper (70%)

Learning activities Plan

Sessions	Specific Objectives/ learning outcomes	Contents	Teaching & Learning Activities		Assessment
			Face-to-face	Self-study or study via LMS	
1	- Introduction - Overview of International Economic Relations	1. Some concepts, objects and methods of studying the subject 2. Development strategies of countries around the world 3. International context of international economic relations	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 1
2	International economic relations theories: International Trade	1. Theory of mercantilism (Mercantilism) 2. The theory of Absolute Advantage 3. The theory of Comparative Advantage 4. The theory of Factor Proportions (The theory of Factor Proportions) 5. Overlapping Product Ranges Theory 6. Product Life Cycle Theory	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 2
3	International economic relations theories: International Trade	7. New Trade Theory 8. The Competitive Advantages of Nations	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 3
4	International trade policy	1. Concepts and forms of international trade policy 2. Principles applied in international trade policy	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 4
5	International service trade	1. Some basic issues about the service 2. International service trade 3. Trade in services within the WTO framework	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 5
6	International investment	1. Investment from the government 2. Private investment 3. Foreign direct investment policy	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 6
7	International monetary relations	1. International monetary relations and international monetary system 2. Exchange rates and foreign exchange market	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 7
8	- Theory of international labor migration - International cooperation in	- Theory of international labor migration - International cooperation	Lecturing	Material reading	Quiz 8

	science and technology - International economic links and international economic integration	in science and technology - International economic links and international economic integration			
9	Review	Q&A, Final exam advice			