## Content

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
ECON217	Introduction to International	1	2	0	0	2	2
	Economics						

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	French
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	This course aims to informe students about the preliminary theories of international economy.
Content	International economy
References	Pierre Berthaud, Introduction à l'économie internationale: le commerce et l'investissement,2ed.Ouvertures économiques, De Boeck Supérieur, 2017.

## **Theory Topics**

Week	Weekly Contents	
1	Trade openess and internationalization of production	
2	Financial globalization	
3	International investment and intensive accumulation	
4	Intensive accumulation and firm strategy	
5	Globalization and competitiveness of nations	
6	Definition of competitiveness	
7	Measuring the competitiveness of nations	
8	Introduction to international trade theory	
9	Liberalisation of trade	
10	Free trade as a collective optimum	
11	Adam Smith and the absolute advantages of nations	
12	David Ricardo and the comparative advantages of nations	
13	Stuart Mill and The Terms of Trade	
14	The Optimal Pricing Argument: Johnson's Contribution	