

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
ECON471	Development Economics	8	3	0	0	3	6
Prerequisites							
Admission Requirements							
Language of Instruction							
French							
Course Type							
Compulsory							
Course Level							
Bachelor Degree							
Objective							
Present the different aspects of development economics, from a theoretical and empirical angle.							
Content							
The course presents an overview of development in the world, the theories underlying development policies and their various economic and social dimensions.							
References							
Economic Development, 13th edition, Michael P. Todaro and Stephen C. Smith, Pearson, 2020.							
Selected research articles on topics covered in the course. These articles are presented and discussed by participants every other week.							

## Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Introduction - development issues, comparative perspective
2	Development theories
3	Development theories - presentations
4	Poverty and inequality
5	Poverty and inequality - presentations
6	Demography
7	Demography - presentations
8	Mid-term exam
9	Urbanization
10	Urbanization - presentations
11	Human capital - Education and health
12	Human capital - Education and health - presentations
13	Development actors and policies - market, state, civil society
14	Development actors and policies - market, state, civil society - presentations