Course announcement: Macroeconomics I (UE)

Lecturer: Paul Pichler

Time and place:
040288: Mon 16:30-18:00 Hs. 26
040430: Fr 10:00-11:30 Hs. 26

Starting date:
7 March 2008 (040430)
10 March 2008 (040288)

Prerequisites: Basic knowledge of mathematics (linear algebra)

Course Description: Exercises accompanying the lecture by Prof. Dr. Robert Kunst. The main topics are the determinants of GDP (and components), inflation, and unemployment in the short, medium and long run. We will use formal economic models to analyze these issues.

Language: English

Requirements:
• Class participation: written homework exercises and blackboard presentation of exercises (30%)
• Two written exams (70%)

Reading:
• Makroökonomie, Blanchard/Illing, Pearson Studium
• Übungen zur Makroökonomie, Forster/Klüh/Sauer/Illing, Pearson Studium
• Macroeconomics, Blanchard, Prentice Hall International

Exam dates:
• 15 April 2008, 13.00-15.00, HS 7
• 28 May 2008, 14.00-15.30, HS 23