ECD 6660
Theories of International Economic Development

Prerequisites
Graduate standing.

Description
This introductory course offers a multi-disciplinary approach to economic development theory. The course seeks to bridge theory with “real world” economic development activities through case study examples.

Objectives
At the conclusion of this course, the student will be able to:

1) identify the characteristics that distinguish developed from developing countries;
2) identify the functions of international organizations that assist developing countries;
3) compare and contrast current theories of economic development;
4) explain the history of, and current problems faced by, developing and recently developed nations;
5) identify sources of economic data for developing countries; and
6) explain the policy choices and tools that governments in developing countries face.

Purpose
Introductory course for the international economic development concentration.

Approved Texts

Supplements