Syllabus Econ 201 5108 Microeconomics Summer 2013

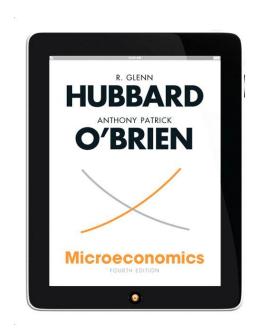
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TEXT AND MATERIAL:

R. Glenn Hubbard, **Anthony P. O'Brien**, <u>Microeconomics</u>, Prentice Hall, 4th Edition, ISBN-10: 0132962047 and ISBN-13: 9780132962049

You can buy the book if you want but we will be using the e-text on my econlab.



I. OBJECTIVES AND PHILOSOPHY

The course is designed to introduce students to basic principles of microeconomics. We will learn about strengths and weaknesses of market based systems and about different types of market structures. In a nutshell, this course will teach you the important issues to be aware of as a participating agent in a market economy.

II. GRADING

All the assignments, quizzes and exams dates as well as their weight (percentage of your final grade) are posted on myeconlab. Even though it is an online class all assignments, quizzes and exams will be individual efforts and no collaboration among students will be permitted.

Grading Policy:

The usual grading rule applies.

90 and above	A
80 to 89	В
70 to 79	C
60 to 69	D
59 and below	\mathbf{F}

You are expected to submit the assignments, quizzes and all exams on the scheduled dates. No makeup exams will be given. Missed exams will receive a score of zero. You should check all dates to verify that you will be able to take each one.

III. Assignments, Quizzes and Exams

We will be using myeconlab an online tool for the assignments, quizzes and exams. An instruction document explaining how to register and log in into myeconlab is provided and further instructions will be given once you are registered. The dates for the assignments, quizzes and exams will be announced in myeconlab. Assignments, quizzes and exams are due on the date specified. No sharing of information between students is permissible. NO LATE ASSIGNMENT, QUIZ OR EXAM WILL BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. Evidence of sharing will result in the assignment, quiz or exam being assigned a grade of zero. No make-up assignments, exams or quizzes will be offered under any circumstances [With a valid university excuse, alternative homework problems or quizzes may be assigned at the **discretion** of the instructor.] If the student misses an exam, he or she should inform the faculty by 24 hrs after the exam in writing. Giving **Incomplete** is solely the faculty's discretion.

IV. Students with Disabilities

If you are a person with a disability and require accommodations in this class you must contact and register with the Office of Disability Services.

V. Social Justice

Bellevue College is committed to social justice. I concur with BC's commitment to social justice and expect to maintain a positive learning environment based on open communication and mutual respect. Any suggestions as to how to further such an environment are appreciated and will be given serious consideration.

VI. Policy on Academic Dishonesty

Bellevue College expects every member of its academic community to share the historic and traditional commitment to honesty and integrity. Academic dishonesty is defined to include but is not limited to the following: plagiarism, cheating and dishonest practices in connection with examinations, papers and projects; forgery, misrepresentation and fraud.

Such behavior will not be tolerated and will be handled according to university guidelines (please refer to your Student Handbook for details).

VII. E-MAIL AND INTERNET ACCESS

I <u>must</u> be able to communicate with you via your <u>e-mail account</u> on short notice. As a registered BC student you are automatically assigned an e-mail account. Please make it a habit to read your BC e-mail on a regular basis.

Since we will be using myeconlab as a platform for online quizzes you will need to have access to internet.

VIII. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

You will find the schedule for this class under the calendar tab on my econlab. The schedule outlined there is tentative. It is your responsibility to keep informed of any changes especially that of the exam date.