## 「專題討論一個體經濟、產業組織與貿易一」課程大綱

Time and Location: Thursday 1:30-3:00pm at Social Science 605 (社科 605 教室)

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### Course Description:

This is the NTU micro seminar that invites speakers to present their current research. The purpose of this course is to expose students to the frontier of microeconomics.

### Grades:

The grades for this course will be assigned according to two criteria: (1) Written Introduction, and (2) Participation and Feedback to Other's Introduction.

- 1. Written Introduction (導讀, 70%): Read *one* of the seminar papers *before* the seminar, write a **one-page report**, and submit it *three days prior* to the seminar (i.e. Monday). On this one-page report, you should write a short summary (less than 500 words) that briefly answers the following questions:
  - a. What is the question (of the paper)?
  - b. Why should we care about it?
  - c. What is your (or the author's) answer?
  - d. How did you (or the author) get there?

In addition, to illustrate "why we should care about it", you should provide <u>one real</u> <u>world example</u> the results of this paper can be applied to on the back page, plus a list of common notation used (theory) or regression variables (empirical study) throughout the paper so people can easily refer to during the talk.

Note: Your introduction need not be in the same language as the paper (and doing it in a different language is the best way to avoid plagiarizing).

2. Participation and Feedback (30%): Students are expected to attend most of the presentations, ask questions or give comments during them. In addition, after reading each week's introduction and attending the seminar, you are to evaluate how helpful the introduction was for understanding the actual talk by giving numerical scores and written feedback.

#### Note:

- 1. Please sign up to write introductions ASAP since it is "first come, first serve." First students who sign up each talk get it; later students have to switch to empty slots.
- 2. Sign up for more than one talk to "exceed instructor's expectations" (criteria for A+).
- 3. Feedback to other's introduction will be conducted using online google surveys.

## Tentative Schedule:

- 9/22 Organization Meeting (No Talk)
- 9/29 Jyun-Ying (Trend) Fu (HKPolytech)
  Not Agreeing Isn't the Same as Disagreeing:
  How Directors Try To Balance Competing Stakeholder Demands
- 11/17 Jingjing Zhang (UTS) TBA
- 12/1 Wei-Shiun Chang (NCKU-IIMBA)
  Other Regarding Preferences: Experiments on Purchasing Behavior

# 研討會論文導讀 Rubrics

一篇論文的導讀,應該要包含四個部分,分別是:「作者的研究問題是什麼」、「我們爲什麼要關心這個問題」、「作者的答案是什麼(研究貢獻)」,以及「作者如何得到這個答案」。每篇導讀應該依據這四個部分來評分,評分標準如下:

評分項目	5分	3分	1分
所問的問題	清楚且精準的描述作者	大致上正確的描述了	無法完整且正確的描
What is the	的問題,讓你在讀完這	作者的問題,但讀完	述作者的問題,讀完
question?	部份後便能完全了解研	這部份後並不能完全	這部份對了解研究議
1	究議題。	了解研究議題。	題沒有幫助。
評分項目	10 分	7分	4分
為什麼要關心這個問題	清楚且精準的描述該研	大致上正確的描述該	無法完整且正確的描
Why should we care	究問題的重要性與普遍	研究問題的重要性與	述該研究問題的重要
about this?	適用性,讓你在讀完後	普遍適用性,但讀完	性與普遍適用性,對
	能理解論文的價值。	後仍不能完全理解論	理解論文的價值完全
		文的價值。	沒有幫助。
評分項目	5分	3分	1分
問題的答案	能清楚掌握論文的研究	大致能掌握論文的研	無法掌握論文的研究
What is the answer?	貢獻與主要結論,並簡	究貢獻與結論,但不	貢獻與結論,無助於
	潔扼要。	夠精準扼要。	了解研究結果。
評分項目	10 分	7分	4分
如何得到這個答案	清楚解釋作者的研究方	大致解釋作者的研究	無法解釋清楚作者的
How did you get	法及過程,適當摘要讓	方法及過程,但有點	研究方法及過程,對
there?	讀者不須閱讀原論文即	精簡使人必須回去參	讀者理解原論文完全
	可掌握精要。	考原論文才完全懂。	沒有幫助。

# 其他評分項目:

評分項目	10 分	5分	1分
這篇導讀對你了解演講	這篇導讀對我了解演講	這篇導讀對我了解演	這篇導讀對我了解演
有沒有幫助? 有否增加	非常有幫助,並且大幅	講有一點幫助,也有	講完全沒有幫助,也
你對演講的期待?	增加我對演講的期待。	稍微增加我對演講的	沒有增加我對演講的
		期待。	期待(甚至減少)。
評分項目	10 分	7分	4分
文後的實例是否讓你發	非常有幫助。	有一點幫助。	完全沒有幫助。
現論文的重要性?			