

TUTORIAL COURSE FORM

2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR

Name of the tutorial course (incoming Erasmus/exchange students)	Public Finance
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Semester(s) in which the tutorial course is available	2
No. of ECTS credits	5
Level of study (bachelor/master/PhD)	bachelor
Short description/Contents	The course focuses on the fiscal functions, the role of the government in modern contemporary economies, government expenditures and taxation and their impact on the economy. Topics include government activities, externalities, public goods, government expenditures, principles of taxation, fiscal deficits and public debt.
Assessment/Evaluation	Attendance (10%); Class participation (10%); Case Study (30%); Written Exam (50%)
Bibliography	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. BACKHAUS, Jürgen G. <i>Handbook of public finance</i>. 2005 2. GRUBER, Jonathan. <i>Public finance and public policy</i>. Macmillan, 2005 3. HARVEY S.. ROSEN; GAYER, Ted. <i>Public finance</i>. McGraw-Hill Higher Education, 2010. 4. MUSGRAVE, RA-Musgrave. PB (1989): Public finance in theory and practice. <i>International Edition McGraw-Hill Book Company</i> 5. WINER, Stanley L.; SHIBATA, Hirofumi (ed.). <i>Political economy and public finance: The role of political economy in the theory and practice of public economics</i>. Edward Elgar Publishing, 2002
Observations	