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International Economic Geography - Syllabus

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Course structure

- **Introduction**
- **Location theory I** – from Ricardo to von Thunen
- **Location theory II** – industrial location theory (Weber)
- **Location theory III** – central place theory
- **New economic geography I** – core periphery model
- **New economic geography II** – other NEG models
- **Regional economic growth**
- **Labor market**
- **Migration**
- **Infrastructure investment policy**
- **Social systems and regional business cycles**

Assessment rules

- The grading will be based on one in-class presentation and one final paper.
- The paper may be a critical literature review, or an original contribution to the literature. Both theoretical and empirical papers are allowed.
- The seminar grade is based on the following formula: in-class presentation (20%), final paper (80%). Each paper is evaluated on the basis of:
 - o Clarity of exposition - 20%
 - o Academic writing quality - 30%
 - o Substantive quality - 50%.

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