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2022-08-09

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[The Economics of Social Determinants of Health and Health Inequalities](#) - World Health Organization 2013

"This resource book discusses the economic arguments that could (and could not) be put forth to support the case for investing in the social determinants of health on average and in the reduction in socially determined health inequalities. It provides an overview and introduction into how economists would approach the assessment of the economic motivation to invest in the social determinants of health and socially determined health inequities, including what the major challenges are in this assessment. It illustrates the extent to which an economic argument can be made in favour of investment in 3 major social determinants of health areas: education, social protection, and urban development and infrastructure. It describes whether education policy, social protection, and urban development, housing and transport policy can act as health policy"--
Principles of Economics 2e - Steven A. Greenlaw
2017-10-11

[Holt Economics](#) - Robert Leroy Pennington
2001-12-01

Holt Economics examines the way in which economics affects the lives of individuals and how individuals, through their economic choices, shape their world. Throughout Holt Economics, you are asked to think critically about the events and processes that shape your global, national, and local economy. - Publisher.

Principles of Economics - Timothy Taylor
2014-03-15

"Principles of Economics is designed for a two-semester principles of economics sequence."--
Page 6.

Hive Mind - Garrett Jones 2015-11-11

Over the last few decades, economists and psychologists have quietly documented the many ways in which a person's IQ matters. But, research suggests that a nation's IQ matters so much more. As Garrett Jones argues in *Hive Mind*, modest differences in national IQ can explain most cross-country inequalities. Whereas IQ scores do a moderately good job of predicting individual wages, information processing power, and brain size, a country's average score is a much stronger bellwether of its overall prosperity. Drawing on an expansive array of research from psychology, economics, management, and political science, Jones argues

that intelligence and cognitive skill are significantly more important on a national level than on an individual one because they have "positive spillovers." On average, people who do better on standardized tests are more patient, more cooperative, and have better memories. As a result, these qualities—and others necessary to take on the complexity of a modern economy—become more prevalent in a society as national test scores rise. What's more, when we are surrounded by slightly more patient, informed, and cooperative neighbors we take on these qualities a bit more ourselves. In other words, the worker bees in every nation create a "hive mind" with a power all its own. Once the hive is established, each individual has only a tiny impact on his or her own life. Jones makes the case that, through better nutrition and schooling, we can raise IQ, thereby fostering higher savings rates, more productive teams, and more effective bureaucracies. After demonstrating how test scores that matter little for individuals can mean a world of difference for nations, the book leaves readers with policy-oriented conclusions and hopeful speculation: Whether we lift up the bottom through changing the nature of work, institutional improvements, or freer immigration, it is possible that this period of massive global inequality will be a short season by the standards of human history if we raise our global IQ.

Tan Print's Economics (309) (Section II: Domain-Specific) for NTA CUET (UG) 2022 - Exhaustive coverage in a student-friendly manner featuring conceptual clarity, revision of concepts, MCQs - Chandan Dubey 2022-05-24

This book intends to cater to the principal needs of all the students preparing for the Common University Entrance Test (CUET) at the Undergraduate Level in the Economics Domain. This book contains the practice material in a highly student-friendly and thorough manner. The Present Publication is the Latest 2022 Edition, authored by Chandan Dubey, with the following noteworthy features: • [As per the Latest Syllabus] released by the National Testing Agency (NTA) • [Chapter-wise/Topic-wise MCQs] with hints and answers • [Chapter-wise Video Solutions via QR Codes] for conceptual understanding • [Chapter-wise 'Mind

Maps/Quick Review'] for complete revision of concepts • [Mock Tests based on Official Mock Test Pattern] are provided in the book to gauge the students' knowledge & understanding. It also enables the students to get acquainted with the pattern of examination before appearing for the final exam The structure of the book is as follows: • Chapter 1 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'Microeconomics' with sufficient practice questions • Chapter 2 offers a complete conceptual understanding of 'Macroeconomics' with sufficient practice questions • Chapter 3 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'National Income and Related Aggregates' with sufficient practice questions • Chapter 4 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'Determination of Income and Employment' with practice questions along with an explanation • Chapter 5 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'Money and Banking', 'Theory of Money', 'Function of Central Bank' and 'commercial bank' with assessment and solution • Chapter 6 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'Government Budget and Economy' with assessment and solution • Chapter 7 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'Balance of Payments' with sufficient practice questions • Chapter 8 provides a complete conceptual understanding of 'India Economic Development' with sufficient practice questions. The assessment of these chapters is based on Agriculture, Industry and Foreign Trade of India • Chapter 9 provides a complete conceptual understanding of the Current Challenge being faced by the Indian Economy like Poverty, Unemployment, Infrastructure and Sustainable Development with objective questions and explanation. Question-related to Global Warming is based on the current report of UNEP and NGT • Chapter 10 provides a complete conceptual understanding of the 'Development Experience of India'. This chapter is new and based on international relationships. Questions of the chapters are based on India Pakistan relations, India China relations and HDI *Essays on Labor Economics* - Cheuk-Yin Ho 2013 "Chapter 1 estimates the compensating differential with moral hazard. I show that, in an environment of asymmetric information, the wage premium of an unpleasant job attribute not

only includes the compensating differential but also the economic rent that stimulates worker effort. The wage premium is equal to the compensating differential if and only if workers are perfectly monitored. Estimates of a structural model using data from the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth find that the wage premium of risky jobs is 6.6%, which is decomposed into a compensating differential that accounts for 2.8% and an efficiency wage premium that accounts for 3.8%. Since the wage premium is interpreted as the compensating differential in a hedonic wage regression, the results show that the reduced-form estimate of the compensating differential has upward bias. Chapters 2 and 3 examine the problem of racial segregation in friendships. Chapter 2 estimates the effect of friendship segregation on educational achievement. Estimating models with data from the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health, I find that a higher exposure to minority friends lowers the standardized test scores of minorities, but do not have significant effects on whites. Specifically, a 10% increase in the proportion of minority friends lowers 4.8% of a standard deviation in the standardized test scores of minorities. The effect is large enough to conclude that friendship segregation increases the minority-white achievement gap. Completely integrating friendships can close 30% of the gap. Chapter 3 evaluates the effectiveness of busing policy on friendship integration. Policymakers can affect students' friendship opportunities by relocating students across schools, but they cannot manipulate students' preferences to achieve desired friendship outcomes. Simulation results show that, by relocating students across schools, the percentage changes in the proportion of minority friends are much smaller than the percentage changes in the proportion of minority schoolmates of students. The intuition is that even though the friendship opportunities of students change, they self-segregate by making friends with their own race. Because of students' racial sorting, integration policy cannot completely integrate friendships and thus about 70% of the potential achievement gains are forgone"--Page iv-v.

Macroeconomics - Campbell R. McConnell 2002
The major goals of this revision have been to

streamline the text and to present more student oriented examples. We are also providing a new design with enhanced four colour graphics. Much fine tuning and trimming has gone into almost every chapter resulting in a more approachable textbook for your students. Several chapters that are rarely used will now appear on the book's website. The 9th edition will be much better integrated with the book's website where students can get additional information and/or current events associated with many major topics in the text. Also, the website will have "Want to see the Math Notes" for those instructors that choose a more sophisticated math treatment of the major topics in both Micro and Macro. Another commitment to Instructor Support will be the annual updating of time sensitive PowerPoint slides.

Essays on Model Selection - Eric H. Schulman 2022

This dissertation discusses model selection and evaluation in economics from a variety of perspectives, and techniques. Chapter 1 approaches model selection from the perspective of non-nested hypothesis testing. I explore how bootstrapping can improve inference for the Vuong test. I establish that the suggested bootstrap has uniformly valid asymptotic size control in the case of both non-overlapping and overlapping models. I also show that the new test achieves an asymptotic refinement for non-overlapping models. The suggested test is easy to implement and similar to bootstrapping the standard Vuong test. When compared with other existing Vuong tests in Monte Carlo simulations, the suggested test controls size equally well and achieves higher power. Finally, I illustrate selecting models with the bootstrap in four stylized empirical examples from various fields of economics. The new test selects a model at lower significance levels in all examples. Chapter 2 is joint work with Sukjin Han, Kristen Grauman and Santosh Ramakrishnan. This chapter focuses on model evaluation in the presence of high-dimensional unstructured data on product attributes (e.g., design, text). Quantifying these attributes is important for economic analyses. We consider one of the simplest design products, fonts, and quantify their shapes by constructing embeddings using a modern convolutional neural network. The

embedding maps a font's shape onto a low-dimensional vector. Importantly, we verify the resulting embedding is economically meaningful by showing that the mutual information is large between the embedding and descriptions assigned to each font by font designers and consumers. This paper then conducts two economic analyses of the font market. We first illustrate the usefulness of the embeddings by a simple trend analysis of font style. We then study the causal effect of a merger on the merging firm's creative product differentiation decisions by using the embeddings in a synthetic control method. We find that the merger causes the merging firm temporarily to increase the visual variety of font design. Chapter 3 is joint work with David Sibley. This chapter considers model selection in the context of Nash-in-Nash bargaining model with one hospital, two competing insurers, and linear demand. We find an externality related to the entry of a second insurer. This externality is directly proportional to the hospital's profit in the event of a disagreement with an insurer. We explore how different assumptions about the hospital's disagreement profit, such as passive beliefs, influence the extent of this externality thereby increasing prices and premiums. Additionally, we explore how the hospital can benefit from the externality associated with the entry of another insurer by bargaining sequentially -- one insurer before the other. We show the hospital has higher profit in a sequential negotiation. Sequential bargaining creates a second mover advantage among the insurers compared to simultaneous bargaining. Lastly, we derive empirical implications of beliefs and timing in our model, to help evaluate whether insurer competition may increase prices in practice

Economics - Richard G. Lipsey 2015

"Written to engage you with real world issues and questions in economics, this book provides up-to-date coverage of the financial crisis and its many subsequent implications, which are vital to understanding today's economic climate. Case studies help you to understand how economics works in practice, and to think critically"--Back cover.

Maritime Economics - Alan Branch 2013-04-15
Now in its second edition Maritime Economics provides a valuable introduction to the

organisation and workings of the global shipping industry. The author outlines the economic theory as well as many of the operational practicalities involved. Extensively revised for the new edition, the book has many clear illustrations and tables. Topics covered include:
* an overview of international trade * Maritime Law * economic organisation and principles * financing ships and shipping companies * market research and forecasting.

Cracking the AP Economics Macro & Micro Exams, 2017 Edition - Princeton Review
2016-09-27

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Everything You Need to Know for a High Score. • Comprehensive content review for all test topics • Up-to-date information on the 2017 AP Economics Macro & Micro Exams • Engaging activities to help you critically assess your progress • Access to AP Connect, our online portal for helpful pre-college information and exam updates
Practice That Gets You to Excellence. • 2 full-length practice tests (1 Macro and 1 Micro) with detailed answer explanations • Practice drills at the end of each content chapter • Step-by-step walk-throughs of sample questions

CFA Exam Study Guide! Level 1 - Best Test Prep Book to Help You Pass the Test Complete Review & Practice Questions to Become a Chartered

Financial Analyst! - Travis Brody 2020-11-27

If you want to pass the CFA Test, but don't have a lot of time for studying keep reading..... You are no doubt a busy student with a lot of things going on! It can be challenging to find the time to read your textbook in preparation for the CFA Exam. However, the truth is that the CFA exam is a challenging test. Thorough preparation cannot be overlooked therefore. That is why the author Travis Brody developed the CFA Study Guide! This Edition is a complete review and practice questions edition! It reviews all essential concepts found on the exam and has practice questions from every category! It comes in text format, so that you can bring it anywhere! It's sections include: Introduction Chapter 1: Ethical and Professional Standards Chapter 2: Quantitative Methods Chapter 3: Economics Chapter 4: Financial Reporting and Analysis Chapter 5: Corporate Finance Chapter 6: Portfolio Management Chapter 7: Equity Chapter 8: Fixed Income Chapter 9: Derivatives Chapter 10: Alternative Investments Conclusion MUCH, MUCH MORE! Each section is divided into further subsections, making sure all aspects of the exam are covered! If you read our study guide, and take the time to really understand the concepts, we are confident you will pass the CFA Exam, and be on your way to a new career as a financial analyst!

5 Steps to a 5: AP Microeconomics 2017 Cross-Platform Prep Course - Eric R. Dodge 2016-08-05

A proven 5-step study guide for today's digital learners preparing for the AP Microeconomics exam The wildly popular test prep guide—updated and enhanced for today's digital learners—AP Microeconomics Cross-Platform Prep Course 2017 provides a proven strategy for achieving high scores on this demanding Advanced Placement exam, as well as access to the whole course in print, online, and on mobile devices. This logical and easy-to-follow instructional guide introduces an effective 5-step study plan to help students build the skills, knowledge, and test-taking confidence they need to reach their full potential. The book helps students master both multiple-choice and free-response questions and offers comprehensive answer explanations and sample responses. Written by a college professor of economics, this

insider's guide reflects the latest course syllabus and includes 4 full-length practice exams, plus the most up-to-date scoring information. With the Cross-Platform edition of this title, students can personalize an AP Microeconomics study plan with daily goals; utilize analytics to track their progress; access flash cards and games for study on the go; and practice answering AP-level questions online or on their smartphones. The 5 Steps to a 5: AP Microeconomics 2017 effective 5-step plan breaks down test preparation into stages: 1. Set Up Your Study Program 2. Determine Your Test Readiness 3. Develop Strategies for Success 4. Develop the Knowledge You Need to Score High 5. Build Your Test-Taking Confidence. · 4 full-length practice exams · The 5 Steps to a 5 series has prepared millions of students for success

Impact Evaluation in Practice, Second Edition - Paul J. Gertler 2016-09-12

The second edition of the Impact Evaluation in Practice handbook is a comprehensive and accessible introduction to impact evaluation for policy makers and development practitioners. First published in 2011, it has been used widely across the development and academic communities. The book incorporates real-world examples to present practical guidelines for designing and implementing impact evaluations. Readers will gain an understanding of impact evaluations and the best ways to use them to design evidence-based policies and programs. The updated version covers the newest techniques for evaluating programs and includes state-of-the-art implementation advice, as well as an expanded set of examples and case studies that draw on recent development challenges. It also includes new material on research ethics and partnerships to conduct impact evaluation. The handbook is divided into four sections: Part One discusses what to evaluate and why; Part Two presents the main impact evaluation methods; Part Three addresses how to manage impact evaluations; Part Four reviews impact evaluation sampling and data collection. Case studies illustrate different applications of impact evaluations. The book links to complementary instructional material available online, including an applied case as well as questions and answers. The updated second edition will be a valuable resource for the international

development community, universities, and policy makers looking to build better evidence around what works in development.

Managerial Economics and Business Strategy - Michael Baye 2002-06-01

Baye's *Managerial Economics and Business Strategy* is one of the best-selling managerial economics textbooks. It is the first textbook to blend tools from intermediate microeconomics, game theory, and industrial organization for a managerial economics text. Baye is known for its balanced coverage of traditional and modern topics, and the fourth edition continues to offer the diverse managerial economics marketplace a flexible and up-to-date textbook. Baye offers coverage of frontier research in his new chapter on advanced topics. The Fourth Edition also offers completely new problem material, data, and much more.

Essentials of Economics - Stanley L. Brue 2013-02

Building on the tremendous success of their best-selling *Economics*, Brue, McConnell, and Flynn have revised their one-semester approach in *Essentials of Economics*, 3e to provide a fresh alternative for the survey course. The result is a patient, substantive treatment of micro and macro topics appropriate for the introductory economics student, and fully integrated in the digital environment to provide instant remediation and feedback through McGraw-Hill's innovative assessment tool Connect Plus *Economics*. McGraw-Hill's adaptive learning component, LearnSmart, provides assignable modules that help students master core concepts in the course.

Microeconometrics - A. Colin Cameron 2005-05-09

This book provides the most comprehensive treatment to date of microeconometrics, the analysis of individual-level data on the economic behavior of individuals or firms using regression methods for cross section and panel data. The book is oriented to the practitioner. A basic understanding of the linear regression model with matrix algebra is assumed. The text can be used for a microeconometrics course, typically a second-year economics PhD course; for data-oriented applied microeconometrics field courses; and as a reference work for graduate students and applied researchers who wish to fill

in gaps in their toolkit. Distinguishing features of the book include emphasis on nonlinear models and robust inference, simulation-based estimation, and problems of complex survey data. The book makes frequent use of numerical examples based on generated data to illustrate the key models and methods. More substantially, it systematically integrates into the text empirical illustrations based on seven large and exceptionally rich data sets.

Econometric Analysis of Cross Section and Panel Data, second edition - Jeffrey M. Wooldridge 2010-10-01

The second edition of a comprehensive state-of-the-art graduate level text on microeconomic methods, substantially revised and updated. The second edition of this acclaimed graduate text provides a unified treatment of two methods used in contemporary econometric research, cross section and data panel methods. By focusing on assumptions that can be given behavioral content, the book maintains an appropriate level of rigor while emphasizing intuitive thinking. The analysis covers both linear and nonlinear models, including models with dynamics and/or individual heterogeneity. In addition to general estimation frameworks (particular methods of moments and maximum likelihood), specific linear and nonlinear methods are covered in detail, including probit and logit models and their multivariate, Tobit models, models for count data, censored and missing data schemes, causal (or treatment) effects, and duration analysis. *Econometric Analysis of Cross Section and Panel Data* was the first graduate econometrics text to focus on microeconomic data structures, allowing assumptions to be separated into population and sampling assumptions. This second edition has been substantially updated and revised. Improvements include a broader class of models for missing data problems; more detailed treatment of cluster problems, an important topic for empirical researchers; expanded discussion of "generalized instrumental variables" (GIV) estimation; new coverage (based on the author's own recent research) of inverse probability weighting; a more complete framework for estimating treatment effects with panel data, and a firmly established link between econometric approaches to nonlinear panel data

and the "generalized estimating equation" literature popular in statistics and other fields. New attention is given to explaining when particular econometric methods can be applied; the goal is not only to tell readers what does work, but why certain "obvious" procedures do not. The numerous included exercises, both theoretical and computer-based, allow the reader to extend methods covered in the text and discover new insights.

My Revision Notes: OCR GCSE (9-1) Economics - Jan Miles-Kingston 2020-03-02

Key content coverage is combined with practical tips to create a revision guide that students can rely on to review, strengthen and test their knowledge. With My Revision Notes, every student can: - Plan and manage a successful revision programme using the topic-by-topic planner - Consolidate their knowledge by working through clear and focused coverage of the OCR GCSE Economics specification - Test understanding and identify areas for improvement with regular 'Check your understanding' activities and answers, plus end-of-topic 'I can' checklists - Improve exam technique through practice questions, expert tips and examples of typical mistakes to avoid - Revise, remember and accurately use key economics terms with definitions throughout for quick and easy reference

Economics - Richard Lipsey 2020-03

An illuminating and robust introduction to economics principles, the fourteenth edition of Lipsey and Chrystal's established textbook continues to provide complete coverage for those new to micro and macroeconomics. The authors help students to understand the subject matter through a combination of lucid explanation and supportive learning features which encourage independent thought. The principles are examined through a theoretical lens before empirical examples demonstrate how the concepts work in practice. The applied nature of the models is further emphasised by case studies from around the world, which encourage students to develop and contextualise their understanding of the key themes. Suitable for beginners, the authors provide in-depth explanations of key theoretical concepts which relate to a wide range of applied material. End-of-chapter questions give students the

opportunity to test their knowledge and advance their critical thinking skills. Economics undergraduates studying a core module on the principles of economics. It may also be suitable for students taking business, management, or finance and accounting degrees who are taking a module which introduces economics. This book is accompanied by online resource to support both students and lecturers. For students:- Self-test questions- Flashcard glossary- Additional chapter material- Web links For lecturers:- PowerPoint slides- Instructor's manual- Test bank- Additional chapters covering Economics of Developing Countries and Macroeconomic Policy in an Open Economy

Foundations of Economics - Andrew Gillespie 2011-03-24

Assuming no prior knowledge, the second edition of *Foundations of Economics* introduces students to both microeconomic and macroeconomic principles. This is the ideal text for foundation degrees and non-specialist courses for first year undergraduates.

Loose-leaf Version for Macroeconomics: Principles for a Changing World - Eric Chiang 2016-10-15

With this edition, Eric Chiang begins a new era for his acclaimed principles of economics textbook. Formerly *Core Economics* and now titled *Economics: Principles for a Changing World*, the new edition is thoroughly contemporary, fully integrated print/technology resource that adapts to the way you want to teach. As always, this concise book focuses on the topics most often covered in the principles course, but with this edition, it offers a stronger emphasis than ever on helping students apply an economic way of thinking to the overwhelming flow of data we face every day. *Economics: Principles for a Changing World* is fully informed by Eric Chiang's experiences teaching thousands of students worldwide, both in person and online. Developing the text, art, media, homework, and ancillaries simultaneously, Chiang translates those experiences into a cohesive approach that embodies the book's founding principles: To use technology as a tool for learning—before lectures, during class, when doing homework, and at exam time To help students harness the data literacy they'll need as consumers of economic information To provide a

truly global perspective, showing the different ways people around the world confront economic problems

Microeconomics in Context - Neva Goodwin
2015-12-07

Microeconomics in Context lays out the principles of microeconomics in a manner that is thorough, up to date, and relevant to students. Like its counterpart, *Macroeconomics in Context*, the book is uniquely attuned to economic realities. The "in Context" books offer affordability, accessible presentation, and engaging coverage of current policy issues from economic inequality and global climate change to taxes. Key features include: --Clear explanation of basic concepts and analytical tools, with advanced models presented in optional chapter appendices; --Presentation of policy issues in historical, institutional, social, political, and ethical context--an approach that fosters critical evaluation of the standard microeconomic models, such as welfare analysis, labor markets, and market competition; --A powerful graphical presentation of various measures of well-being in the United States, from income inequality and educational attainment to home prices; --Broad definition of well-being using both traditional economic metrics and factors such as environmental quality, health, equity, and political inclusion; --New chapters on the economics of the environment, taxes and tax policy, common property and public goods, and welfare analysis; --Expanded coverage of high-interest topics such as behavioral economics, labor markets, and healthcare; --Full complement of instructor and student support materials online, including test banks and grading through Canvas.

Thinking-Driven Testing - Adam Roman
2018-03-20

This book presents a new paradigm of software testing by emphasizing the role of critical thinking, system thinking and rationality as the most important skills for the tester. It thus approaches software testing from a different perspective than in past literature, as the vast majority of books describe testing in the context of specific tools, automation, documentation, particular test design techniques or test management. In addition, the book proposes a novel meta-approach for designing effective test

strategies, which is based on recent advances in psychology, economics, system sciences and logic. Chapter 1 starts by introducing the fundamental ideas underlying software testing. Chapter 2 then describes meta-strategies in software testing, i.e. general approaches that can be adapted to many different situations that a software tester encounters. Next, Chapter 3 presents the concept of Thinking-Driven Testing (TDT). This approach utilizes the concepts discussed in the two previous chapters and introduces the main ideas that underlie a reasonable and optimal approach to software testing. Chapter 4 builds on this basis and proposes a specific approach to testing, called TQED, that makes it possible to increase creativity in the context of delivering effective, optimal test ideas. Chapter 5 provides an overview of different types of testing techniques in order to understand the fundamental concepts of test design, while Chapter 6 details various pitfalls a tester may encounter and that can originate from a wide range of testing process areas. Lastly, Chapter 7 puts all this into practice, as it contains several exercises that will help testers develop a number of crucial skills: logical thinking and reasoning, thinking out of the box, creativity, counting and estimating, and analytical thinking. By promoting critical, rational and creative thinking, this book invites readers to re-examine common assumptions regarding software testing and shows them how to become professional testers who bring added value to their company.

Essays in Economics of Education - Nino Doghonadze 2022

In Chapter 1, I investigate whether learning by college admission exam retakers reduces the initial socio-economic skill gap between applicants. I estimate learning for urban and rural retakers in the country of Georgia using rich administrative panel data and a novel semi-parametric estimator. The proposed three-step estimator is robust to self-selection on latent skills and test measurement error into retaking. Furthermore, the estimator attains much greater precision than conventional two-step correction methods by using data on multiple test scores per applicant. I find no evidence of catch-up, emphasizing the context- and method-dependence of previous conclusions about the

background-neutralizing nature of retaking. The timing of human capital specialization varies considerably across the world. While early specialization leads to depth in field-specific knowledge, late specialization may help students find which field they like by maintaining exposure to a greater breadth of options.

Chapters 2 and 3 quantify the change in student welfare when switching from a depth-oriented to a breadth-oriented system. To do so, in Chapter 2 I leverage a policy experiment in the country of Georgia. The policy imposed generalist high school (HS) graduation exams and forced the students to generalize more than they used to. Compared to the pilot cohort, the cohort that began HS with advance notice of the policy demonstrated broader subject knowledge, applied to more diverse fields in college, and was subject to changing competition for college programs across fields. In Chapter 3, I develop and estimate a dynamic structural model of gradual specialization in HS to quantify the welfare impact of the policy experiment in Chapter 2. The key ingredients of the model are endogenous skill formation, field match uncertainty, and learning by experimentation. Policy simulations with estimated parameters and observed changes in competition across fields indicate that the policy increased average HS graduate welfare by at most an amount equivalent to 0.6% of the present discounted value of average wages. However, policy welfare effects are not uniform: students with higher general academic ability enjoy moderate utility gains, but students with lower general academic ability experience significant losses.

Beliefs and Decision Rules in Public Good Games - Theo Offerman 1997-08-31

Offerman (U. of Amsterdam) discusses and clarifies theories that explain the ways in which people make choices in public-good games. Two experiments are described: one in which he used the decomposed game technique to obtain a measure of the attitudes of 58 undergraduate students of the U. of Amsterdam towards other players, and one in which 311 students played a public good game in either the strangers or the partners mode. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR

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2006 surveys and others were used in developing and trying out the assessment.

Fidelity Rebates in Competition Law -

Miroslava Marinova 2018-11-07

This book examines the treatment of fidelity rebates as one of the most controversial topics in EU competition law. The controversy arose from the lack of clarity as to how to distinguish between rebates that constitute a legitimate business practice and those that might have anticompetitive effects, as the same type of rebates could be pro-competitive or anticompetitive depending on their effects on competition. This book clarifies the appropriate treatment of fidelity rebates under EU competition law by offering original insights on the way in which abusive rebates should be identified, taking into account the wealth of EU case law in this area, the economics' literature and the perspective of US antitrust law. The critical discussion on the case law is centred on the idea as to whether the as efficient competitor (AEC) test is an important part of the assessment of fidelity rebates and in which circumstances it could be used as one tool among others. The analysis treats such issues and topics as the following: - What motivated the EU Courts to treat fidelity rebates as illegal 'by object'? - Why has this case law drawn so much criticism from academics and other commentators? - What can we learn from the economic theories of exclusive dealing and fidelity rebates, and whether the strict approach of the Courts can be supported by economic empirical studies? - What is the meaning attached to the notion of an 'effects-based' approach as an expression of the reform of Article 102? - Why is the controversy regarding the treatment of fidelity rebates still a live issue after the Intel and the Post Danmark II judgments? - In which circumstances the price-cost test can be used as a reliable tool to distinguish between anticompetitive and pro-competitive fidelity rebates? - Can we evaluate the effect of fidelity rebates without necessarily carrying out a price-cost test? - Can we consider the AEC test as a single unifying test for all types of exclusionary abuses? - What can we learn about the application of the AEC test in fidelity rebate cases from the recent US case law? A concluding chapter provides an original

perspective and also policy recommendations on how the abusive character of fidelity rebates should be assessed including an appropriate legal test that is administrable, creates predictability and legal certainty and minimises the risk of errors and the cost of those mistakes. This book takes a giant step towards improving the understanding of the legal treatment of fidelity rebates and understanding as to whether the treatment of fidelity rebates could be effects-based, without necessarily carrying out an AEC test. It will also contribute significantly to the practical work of enforcement agencies, courts and private entities and their advisors. book's parallel study of US and EU competition law.

Foundations of Economics - David K. H. Begg 2003

Foundations of Economics, Second Edition, is a concise text for non-specialist students taking one semester economics modules. This new edition offers the proven consistency, quality, and clarity of the parent text, Economics Seventh Edition, the "student bible" (BBC Radio Four) in the discipline.

Principles of Economics - Libby Rittenberg 2011-07

Macroeconomics for Professionals - Leslie Lipschitz 2019-01-23

Understanding macroeconomic developments and policies in the twenty-first century is daunting: policy-makers face the combined challenges of supporting economic activity and employment, keeping inflation low and risks of financial crises at bay, and navigating the ever-tighter linkages of globalization. Many professionals face demands to evaluate the implications of developments and policies for their business, financial, or public policy decisions. Macroeconomics for Professionals provides a concise, rigorous, yet intuitive framework for assessing a country's macroeconomic outlook and policies. Drawing on years of experience at the International Monetary Fund, Leslie Lipschitz and Susan Schadler have created an operating manual for professional applied economists and all those required to evaluate economic analysis.

Econophysics and Financial Economics - Franck Jovanovic 2017

This work provides an extensive analytic

comparison between models and results from econophysics and financial economics in an accessible and common vocabulary. Unlike other publications dedicated to econophysics, it situates this field in the evolution of financial economics by laying the foundations for common theoretical framework and models.

Communities in Action - National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine
2017-04-27

In the United States, some populations suffer from far greater disparities in health than others. Those disparities are caused not only by fundamental differences in health status across segments of the population, but also because of inequities in factors that impact health status, so-called determinants of health. Only part of an individual's health status depends on his or her behavior and choice; community-wide problems

like poverty, unemployment, poor education, inadequate housing, poor public transportation, interpersonal violence, and decaying neighborhoods also contribute to health inequities, as well as the historic and ongoing interplay of structures, policies, and norms that shape lives. When these factors are not optimal in a community, it does not mean they are intractable: such inequities can be mitigated by social policies that can shape health in powerful ways. *Communities in Action: Pathways to Health Equity* seeks to delineate the causes of and the solutions to health inequities in the United States. This report focuses on what communities can do to promote health equity, what actions are needed by the many and varied stakeholders that are part of communities or support them, as well as the root causes and structural barriers that need to be overcome.