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University of Calcutta

Masters in Economics
2016-18

Department of Economics

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Welcome to the Department of Economics,
Calcutta University.

On behalf of the present Head, Professor Sudakshina Gupta, Interim Head Dr. Kumarjit Mandal, I would like to initiate you to one of the prestigious departments of the University, which has just completed one hundred years of glorious existence.

I hope you will have very fruitful two years journey with us – that is a beginning of a life-long association.

Know Your Teachers



Anindita Sen (AS)
Environmental Economics
Industrial Organisation



Anirban Mukherjee (AM)
Development Economics
Economic History
Economics of Institutions

Know Your Teachers



Anjan Chakrabarti (ACh)
Marxian Economics, Indian
Economics, Development
Economics



Arijita Dutta (ArD)
Development Economics
Economics of Social Sector

Know Your Teachers



Biswajit Roy (BR)
Environment and Resource
Economics, Experimental
Economics, Social Economics



Ishita Mukhopadhyay (IM)
Political Economy of Development,
Gender and Development

Know Your Teachers



Kausik Gupta (KG)
International Trade Theory
Resource and Environmental
Economics



Kumarjit Mandal (KM)
Macroeconomics, Monetary
Economics, Econometrics

Know Your Teachers



Mahalaya Chatterjee (MC)
Urban Economics, Managerial
Economics, Urban Planning



Panchanan Das (PD)
Econometrics, Growth Economics,
Poverty

Know Your Teachers



Rabindranath Mukhopadhyay (RNM)
Labour Economics, Economics of
Education, Human Rights



Saibal Kar (SK)
Labour Economics, Applied
Microeconomics, International
Trade

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Sankar Kumar Bhaumik (SkB)
Econometrics, Agricultural
Economics



Sarbajit Chaudhuri (SC)
Labour Economics, Development
Economics, International Trade

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Sudakshina Gupta (SG)
Microeconomics, Transportation
Economics, Indian Economics



Sukanta Bhattacharya (SBh)
Development Economics, Public
Economics, Information
Economics

And lastly



Sarmila Banerjee (SB)

Quantitative Economics, Development Economics,
Resource and Environmental Economics

Masters Course Structure

- 4 Semesters
- 5 papers (of 50 marks) in each semester
- Semester I and II
 - Compulsory papers only
- Semester III
 - 1 compulsory, 3 optional, 1 comprehensive
- Semester IV
 - 1 group project, 3 optional, 1 comprehensive

Semester I

- Paper I: Microeconomics I (Theory)
- Paper II: Macroeconomics I (Theory)
- Paper III: Mathematical Methods in Economics (Theory)
- Paper IV: Econometrics I (Theory)
- Paper V: Indian Economic Development (Theory)

Semester II

- Paper VI: Microeconomics II (Theory)
- Paper VII: Macroeconomics II (Theory)
- Paper VIII: Econometrics II (Group A: Theory; Group B: Practical)
- Paper IX: Development Economics (Theory)
- Paper X: History of Economic Ideas (Theory)

Semester III

- Paper XI: Globalization and Economic Order (Theory)
- Paper XII: Optional A – I
- Paper XIII: Optional B – I
- Paper XIV: Optional C – I
- Paper XV: Comprehensive I

(Based on the contents of Paper I, Paper II, Paper III of Semester I and Paper VI & Paper VII of Semester II)

Semester IV

- Paper XVI: Group Project
- Paper XVII: Optional A – II
- Paper XVIII: Optional B – II
- Paper XIX: Optional C – II
- Paper XX: Comprehensive II

(Based on the contents of Paper IV, Paper V of Semester I, Paper VIII, Paper IX & Paper X of Semester II and Paper XI of Semester III)

Optional Papers

- Special areas are bundled in three groups – A, B and C
- Each student has to choose one special area from each group.
- Each special area consists of two separate papers taught in Semesters III and IV.

Group A

- Advanced Macroeconomics
- Game Theory and Information
- International Economics
- Urban Economics
- **Public Economics**
- Economics of Industry

Group B

- Advanced Econometrics
- Operations Research
- Economics of Money and Finance
- Economics of Institution
- Development Management
- **Political Economy of Development**
- Experimental Economics

Group C

- Labour Economics
- Economics of Agriculture
- Urban Planning
- **Health Economics**
- Resource & Environmental Economics
- Economics of Marx

Examination and Grading

- For all Theory papers the final grade will be 20% internal assessment and 80% end-semester examination.
- For each Practical paper and the Group Project the final grade will be 40% internal assessment and 60% end-semester evaluation.
- All comprehensive papers will be of MCQ (Multiple-Choice-Question)-Type and for them there will be no internal assessment component in the final grade.

Requirements for degree

- It shall be compulsory for candidates to pass each paper of the program to qualify for the degree.
- To pass a paper a candidate shall have to get at least 40% marks.
- If a paper of 50 marks contains both theory (25 marks) and practical (25 marks) then a candidate has to secure at least 40% marks in both the parts separately.

Time limit

- A candidate must pass the entire M.A./M.Sc. examination consisting of four semesters within a maximum of four consecutive years with reference to the date of first admission

Supplementary Examination

- If unsuccessful in maximum of two papers in a semester, eligible to appear in the supplementary examination but can continue in the next semester.
- If unsuccessful in more than two papers, cannot proceed to the higher semester without clearing the required number of papers.
- Maximum three chances in each paper including the original one.

Re-examination

- The students can avail re-examination facility for the theoretical papers (i.e. except practical papers and group project), provided he/she fulfills other conditions laid down by the Controller of Examination of the University.

Semester I - 2016

Paper	Instructor
Microeconomics I	Saibal Kar (SK) Sarbajit Chaudhuri (SC)
Macroeconomics I	Anjan Chakraborty (ACh)
Mathematical Methods in Economics	Biswajit Roy (BR) Sukanta Bhattacharya (SBH)
Econometrics I	Kaushik Gupta (KG) Panchanan Das (PD)
Indian Economic Development	Rabindranath Mukhopadhyay (RNM) Sudakshina Gupta (SG)



Class Time Table for the Academic Session 2016 (July- December)

Day	Sem	Sec	10:30-11:30	11:30-12:30	12:30-13:30	13:30-14:30	14:30-15:30	15:30-16:30	16:30-17:30
M	I	A	Matheco- SBh	Macro-I ACh	Ind. Ec- RNM	Recess	Micro I -SK/SC	Comp Lab (Gr.A ₁ , Gr.A ₂)-Ecotrix-I	
		B	Macro-I ACh	Matheco - SBh	Micro I -SK/SC		Ind. Ec- RNM		
TU	I	A	Math Eco- BR	MacroI: ACh	Ecotrix-IPD	Recess	Micro I -SK		
		B	MacroI: ACh	Math Eco- BR	Micro I -SK		Ecotrix-IPD		
W	I	A	Ind. Ec- RNM	Ind. Ec- SG	Micro I -SK/SC		Ecotrix-I KG	Comp Lab (Gr.A ₁ , Gr.B ₁)-Ecotrix-I	
		B	Ind. Ec- SG	Ind. Ec- RNM	/ Ecotrix-I KG	Recess	Micro I -SK/SC		
TH	I	A	Micro I -SK	Ecotrix-I PD	Math Eco- BR	Recess	Macro-I ACh		
		B	Ecotrix-I PD	Micro I -SK	Macro-I ACh		Math Eco- BR		
F	I	A	Macro-I ACh	Matheco- SBh	Ind. Ec- SG	Recess	Ecotrix-I KG	Comp Lab (Gr. B ₂ , Gr.B ₃)-Ecotrix-I	
		B	Matheco- SBh	Macro-I ACh	Ecotrix-I KG		Ind. Ec- SG		

*To be effective from 31.08.2016 (Semester III), 05.09.2016 (Semester I)

Teachers' initials:

ACh: Anjan Chakrabarti; BR: Biswajit Ray; KG :Kausik Gupta; PD: Panchanan Das; RNM: Rabindranath Mukhopadhyay; SC: Sarbajit Chaudhuri ; SK: Saibal Kar; SG: Sudakshina Gupta; SBh: Sukanta Bhattacharya;

Section A; Room No. 1 (Ground Floor)

Section B: Room No. 31 (2nd Floor)

Joint classes are held in the Auditorium

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ACADEMIC CALENDER 2016-2017

5.09.16: Semester I classes begin.

7.10.16 –16.10.16: Puja Vacation.

23.12.16: Classes get dissolved for Semester I.

05.01.17: Semester I examinations begin

Tentative dates: January 4, 6, 8, 11, 13;

30.01.17: Semester II classes begin.

28.04.17: Classes get dissolved for Semesters II.

05.05.17: Semester I supplementary examinations begin.

Tentative dates: May 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

17.05.17: Semester II examinations begin.

Tentative dates: Theory - May, 17, 19, 24, 26, 30.

Practical: June 06, 07.

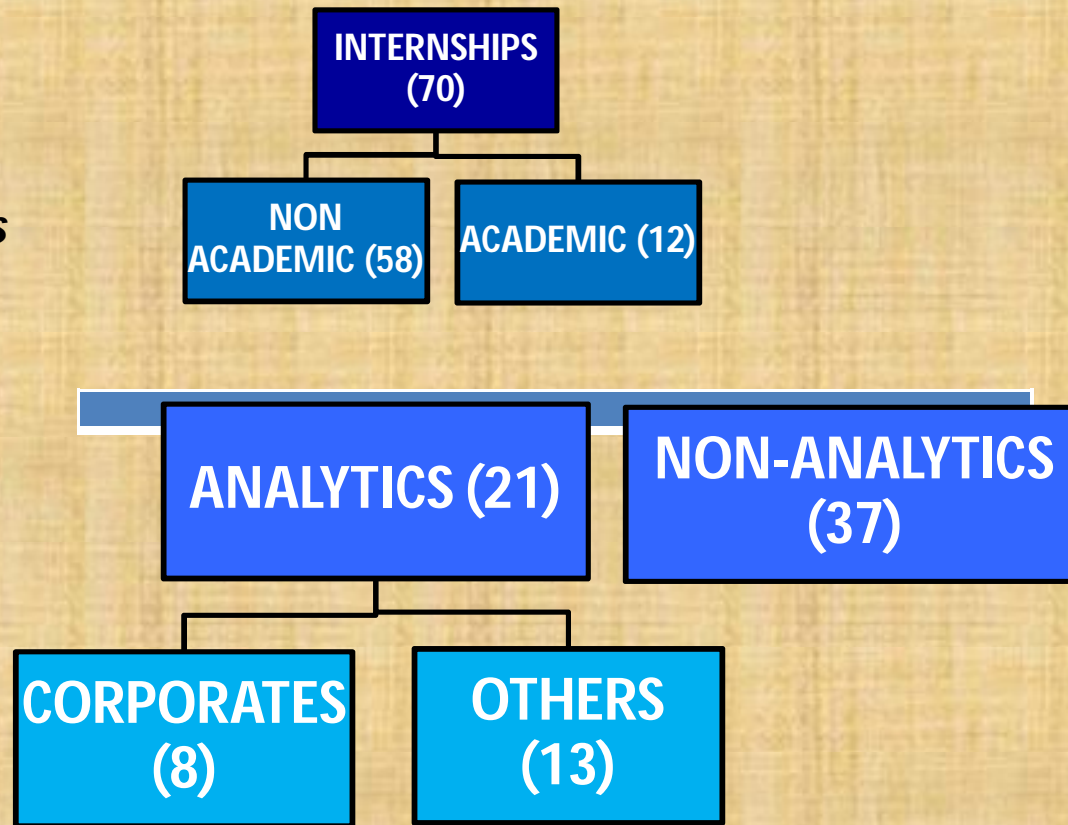
Our Placement Team



- Placement Coordinator:
Professor Rabindranath
Mukhopadhyay
- Student coordinators:
Ananya Das, Avisekh
Singh, Debasmita Mitra,
Tuhina Basu and Suvam
Chatterjee

Our students have interned at corporates like Genpact, ICRA as well as PSU banks like SBI, Indian Overseas Bank, Bank of India etc. Academic Internships included projects at NSSO, ISI, IIM C.

INTERNSHIP SUMMARY REPORT 2016



PLACEMENT REPORT CARD

2016	
Total Placed	64
Analytics	57
Placed In Kolkata	19
Per Student Compensation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4.97l pa (Analytics)• 2.90l pa (Non-Analytics)

2014-2016	
Total Placed	177
Analytics	132
Placed In Kolkata	90
Per Student Compensation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4.63l pa (Analytics)• 2.79l pa (Non-Analytics)

Social Support

- Student Facility Fund
- Two means-cum-merit freeship for needy students:
 - Radharani Studentship instituted by Professor Santosh Bhattacharya (implemented by the Departmental Committee)
 - Radharani Freeship instituted by Sri Hiren Singharay (implemented by AACUED)
- In both of these, the selected students get help for four semesters.

Departmental Infrastructure



- **Library**

- About 50000 books and journals
- E-journals and e-books
- Copying facility for reference books

- **Computing**

- Computer lab with 30 terminals
- 8 terminals in the library for web browsing
- Practice lab with 8 terminals

Canteen

- Basu rules!!!



Thank You!!