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History of Economic Thought

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Code: **03YH03** ECTS: **6** Type of Course: **Compulsory** Teaching Hours per week: **4**

Aim of the Course:

To help students realize and understand that economics, as a social science, is strongly related with the socioeconomic conditions and affairs of the era in which different theories and proposals of economic practices were developed.

Contents:

The beginning of economic thought Smith and his Wealth of Nations Ricardo and his Principles Marx and his Capital The structure of classical economic theory The structure of neoclassical economic theory Sraffa, Between Competition and Monopoly Keynes and his General Theory Current developments in economic theory

Reading List:

- Tsoulfidis L., *Competing Schools of Economic Thought*, Berlin: Springer, 2010
- Heilbroner R. *The Worldly Philosophers,* New York:Simon, 1972