

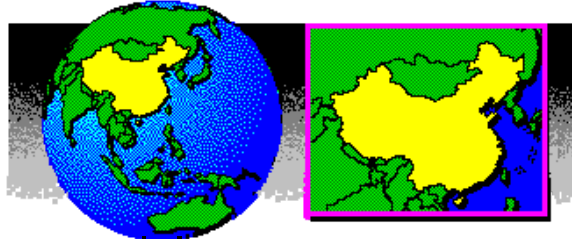
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The Chinese Economy

Econ 416

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As an emerging economic power of the 21st century, China has gained more and more attention from the rest of the world. This course is specifically designed to introduce students to the story behind the Chinese growth miracle.

- **Focus on the economic development of China after the 1978 reform.**
- **Analyze the transition from a command economy to a market economy.**
- **Discuss economic problems and policy responses during the reform.**
- **Review China’s economic relationships with other countries.**

Lectures will be story-telling/case-studying style, and analysis more qualitative than quantitative. Students are expected to acquire basic knowledge of the Chinese economy, and be able to talk intellectually about economic issues in China.

The designated textbook is “The Chinese Economy” by Barry Naughton (2007, MIT Press).

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