INTS 320-3: Spring 2007

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Selected Problems of the International Economy

Textbook: Philip King and Sharmila King, <u>International</u> Economics and <u>International Economics Policy: A Reader</u> McGraw Hill, 4th edition (2005) 456 pp.

In addition, students are expected to have the textbook that they used for INTS 220 or Economics 342 or Economics 345.

Grading: there will be a midterm examination, 30%; a term paper, 30%; and a final exam, 40%. If time permits, term papers will be presented in class and subjected to student critiques. There may be a diminished final examination if the papers become more extensive.

- Week 1: Overview and begin short Review of International Trade
- Week 2: Continue the Review of International Trade and the Costs of Impediments to Trade to national development and growth
- Week 3: The consequences of factor mobility
- Week 4: Review of Mundell-Flemming
- Week 5: Continue review of international finance
- Week 6: Debt and consequences in the international community
- Week 7: mid-term exam
- Week 8: Doha: What went wrong?
- Week 9: Problems in trade in Agricultural products and textiles
- Week 10: World Subsidies
- Week 11: Currency crises
- Week 12: International Debt Crises
- Week 13: Review