



COURSE: Topics in Industrial Organisation

DEGREE: Economics

YEAR: 3

TERM: 2

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

we e k	s e s s i o n	DESCRIPTION	GROUP		Room	WEEKLY SCHEDULE FOR STUDENTS		
			LECT URE	TUTO RIAL		DESCRIPTION	# CLASS HOURS	# WORK HOURS
1	1	Introduction to the course, basic notions	X			Course description, recap of basic Industrial Organization models and concepts.	1.5	5 H
1	2	Basic instruments	X			Discrimination, concentration, market definition	1.5	
2	3	Abuse of dominance: general principles, Art. 102 TFEU	X			Abuse of dominance: general principles, Art. 102 TFEU	1.5	5 H
2	4	Resolution of exercises.		X		Resolution of exercises	1.5	
3	5	Industry standards: use and abuse, FRAND	X			Resolution of exercise set	1.5	5 H
3	6	Resolution of exercises.		X		Resolution of exercises	1.5	
4	7	Contracts as entry barriers, rebates	X			Contracts as entry barriers, rebates	1.5	5 H
4	8	Resolution of exercises.		X		Resolution of exercises	1.5	
5	9	The economics of civilian airports.	X			Economic analysis of airport hubs.	1.5	5 H
5	10	Civilian airports: analysis of the Spanish case		X		Economic analysis of airport privatization	1.5	
6	11	Anticompetitive discounts	X			Anticompetitive discounts	1.5	5 H
6	12	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	
7	13	Predation strategies	X			Predation strategies	1.5	5 H
7	14	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	
8	15	Cost raising strategies	X			Cost raising strategies	1.5	5 H
8	16	Mid-term exam		X		Mid-term exam	1.5	
9	17	Empirical analysis of mergers	X			Empirical analysis of mergers	1.5	5 H
9	18	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	
10	19	State aid: general principles, Art. 107 TFEU	X			State aid: general principles, Art. 107 TFEU	1.5	5 H
10	20	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	

11	21	Market Economy Investor Principle	X			Market Economy Investor Principle	1.5	5 H
11	22	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	
12	23	Competition in the pharmaceutical industry	X			Competition in the pharmaceutical industry	1.5	5 H
12	24	Case presentations by students, debate		X		Case presentations by students, debate	1.5	
13	25	The economics of the civilian aircraft industry.	X			The economics of the civilian aircraft industry.	1.5	5 H
13	26	Bank holiday				Bank holiday		
14	27	Bailing out the banks		X		Bailing out the banks	1.5	
14	28	Mid term exam	X			Mid term exam	1.5	5 H
SUBTOTAL							40,5	+ 70 = 110,5
15		Tutorials, Bailing out the banks for Group 60 (recovery of April 22)						
16-18		Exams					3	
TOTAL							115	