COURSE OUTLINE

Week Beginning Topic and Reading Assignment:

September 5 THE DISCIPLINE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:
CONCEPTS, PROBLEMS, AND MEASUREMENT
R Kindleberger: Chapters 1 and 6.

September 12 PROBLEMS IN INDUSTRIALIZATION, AGRICULTURE, AND DEVELOPMENT
R Kindleberger: Chapters 12, 16, and 20.

September 19 CURRENT ECONOMIC THOUGHT/THEORIES OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

(1) THE CLASSICAL SCHOOL OF THOUGHT
R Kindleberger: Chapters 2 and 3.

(2) THE NEOCLASSICAL SYSTEM
R Kindleberger: Chapters 2 and 3.

October 3 (3) STAGNATIONISTS AND POST-KEYNESIAN GROWTH THEORISTS
R Kindleberger: Chapters 2, 3, and 4.
O W. J. Baumol, Economic Dynamics (1959), Chapter 4,
October 10
INNOVATION, TECHNOLOGY, AND ORGANIZATION
R Kindleberger: Chapters 11 and 13.
Ο J. A. Schumpeter, Capitalism, Socialism and Democracy (1950), Part II, Chapter XI and Part III, Chapter XVII "The Civilization of Capitalism" and "Comparison of Blueprints."

October 17
NATURAL RESOURCES IN DEVELOPMENT
R Kindleberger: Chapter 7.

October 24
MIDTERM EXAM

October 26
NO CLASS

October 31
THE ROLE OF CAPITAL
R Kindleberger: Chapter 8.

November 7
PROBLEMS OF LABOR AND POPULATION
R Kindleberger: Chapters 9, 10, and 18.
Ο Kindleberger: Chapters 5 and 19.

November 14
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING
R Kindleberger: Chapters 14 and 15.

November 21
MONETARY AND FISCAL ASPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT
R Kindleberger: Chapter 17.

November 24
THANKSGIVING BREAK

November 28
INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT
R Kindleberger: Chapters 21, 22, and 23.

December 5
REVIEW
December 12  FINAL EXAM scheduled at 11:30 until 2:30.

R: REQUIRED TEXTS


O: OPTIONAL TEXTS
   Obtainable (not on reserve) in Norlin Library.

NOTE: Term papers are due two weeks before the final examination. Papers will not be returned so please keep a copy for yourself.