
Revised Reading List for Midterm (Monday, February 9)

Part 1 – The Role of Public Policy

- 1.1 Introduction
- 1.2 Efficiency and Equity – Welfare Economics
 - 1.2.1 Partial Equilibrium and Efficiency
Katz, Michael L. and Harvey S. Rosen, *Microeconomics*, Second Edition, Burr Ridge, Ill.: Irwin, 1994, pp. 377-385. (<http://oregonstate.edu/~tremblac/katzandrosen.pdf>)
 - 1.2.2 General Equilibrium and Efficiency
 - ▶ Pindyck, Robert S. and Daniel L. Rubinfeld, *Microeconomics*, Sixth edition, Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson Prentice Hall, 2005, pp. 579-584, 590, 604-607.
 - 1.2.3 Equity
Katz and Rosen, pp. 422-426.
 - ▶ Pindyck and Rubinfeld, pp. 591-593.
 - 1.2.4 When Should the Government Intervene?
 - ▶ Pindyck and Rubinfeld, pp. 607-610.
- 1.3 Behavioral Economics and Neuroeconomics
 - 1.3.1 Behavioral Economics
 - ▶ B. Douglas Bernheim and Michael D. Whinston, *Microeconomics*, Chapter 13, Behavioral Economics, Boston: McGraw-Hill, 2008.
 - 1.3.2 Neuroeconomics
Camerer, Colin F., George Loewenstein, and Drazen Prelec, "Neuroeconomics: Why Economics Needs Brains," *Scandinavian Journal of Economics* 106(3), 2004, pp. 555-579, <http://proxy.library.oregonstate.edu/login?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=ecn&AN=0762506&loginpage=Login.asp&site=ehost-live>

Part 2 – Tools of Analysis

- 2.1 Cost-Benefit Analysis (skip for now)
- 2.2 Introduction to Regression Analysis
 - ▶ Wooldridge, Jeffrey M., *Introductory Econometrics*, South-Western, 2000, Chapter 1.
 - ▶ Stock, James H. and Mark W. Watson, *Introduction to Econometrics*, Brief Edition, Boston: Pearson, 2008, pp. 109-119.

Note: You will not be tested on "Are Idle Hands the Devil's Workshop? Incapacitation, Concentration and Juvenile Crime" by Brian A. Jacob and Lars Lefgren until the final.