



Please note that this is not your admissions letter.

Welcome to the University of Gävle and the Course Emerging Markets, 7,5 credits!

This course is half time between weeks 35-44. I, **Akmal Hyder**, am your course coordinator. Contact me on e-mail first Akmal.hyder@hig if you have any questions about this course.

Syllabus and Timetable

- [Syllabus with course literature](#)
- [Course timetable](#)

Get Started with Your Studies!

To get started with your studies please follow these three steps. More information at hig.se/newstudent

- ### 1 Collect Your Computer Account

You can collect your computer account at hig.se/computeraccount two weeks before the semester starts. Your computer account consists of a username and a password and gives you access to the University web services.
- ### 2 Register for your courses

You must be registered on the course to attend lectures and sit exams. You will lose your place on the course if you do not register in time. Please register for your course via the Student Portal: studentportal.hig.se

Period for self-registration: 2017-08-21—2017-08-27
 Are you conditionally admitted? [This is what applies to you](#)
- ### 3 Log in to Blackboard

The Blackboard platform is a web-based learning management system where you find your course material. You can access Blackboard the day after you register for your course. [Log in to Blackboard](#).

Course	Emerging Markets
Course code	FEA270
Application Code	11107
Faculty	Faculty of Education and Business Studies
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Dear course participants,

Welcome to the course on EMERGING MARKETS!

The course starts on Monday, 28 August 2017 with an introductory lecture between 10.00-12.00 hours in room number 51:221. You are very welcome!

This is a half-time course with a weight of 7, 5 ECTS credits. The course will run between week 35 and week 44. Grading is calculated on a total of 50 marks. The major elements of this course are divided into three parts:

- *Article Seminar* based on selected/assigned articles giving 7 marks
- *Country Report Writing and seminar* giving 18 marks
- *Written Examination on the literature* giving 25 marks

As most contacts, assignment submissions and result announcement will be done through **BLACKBOARD**, it is recommended that you get yourself enrolled as a course participant on the BLACKBOARD. You are automatically enrolled when you open the course on the BLACKBOARD. Please check the course schedule often as there may be changes in the planning from time to time.

Good luck!

Dr Akmal Hyder
Course coordinator

Registration for Written Exams

Registration for exams, including retakes, via KronoX is mandatory. You can register no earlier than five weeks before and no later than ten days before the exam. Please note that registrations will not be accepted beyond this time frame. If you are a distance study student and are unable to sit the exam on campus you can apply to sit the exam at another location. Applications must be submitted no later than three weeks prior to the exam. Contact your faculty for more information.

Course Evaluation

After completion of your course a web-based course evaluation questionnaire will be sent to your e-mail address. Your answers in the course evaluation are very valuable and your comments will help us improve and develop the course for the future. All students registered on the course will receive a course evaluation report with all answers compiled.

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General Information

Library

The library is located in the middle of the campus and is open to everybody. Welcome to the library to activate your entrance card as a library card. You can reach all digital resources such as e-books and e-journals after logging in with your computer account. You can read more about the library services at hig.se/biblioteket

Campus

A map of the campus area is available at hig.se/newstudent

HIG Card

This card works as an entrance card and gives you access to doors and computer rooms. The card also works as a library card as well as a copy card. You can get the card at the reception desk at the Student Centre.

IT Support

This is where you turn if you encounter any problems regarding your computer account or any other IT related problems. The IT support is open for visits 09.00-15.00 in building 22, Monday to Friday. You can also contact them by telephone +46 (0)26 64 88 00 or email itsupport@hig.se

Course syllabus and Reading List

Find your syllabus at hig.se/syllabuses

Course Timetable

Registered students at the University of Gävle can find the course timetables in the Student Portal. If you are not registered, you may find course timetables through our online timetable search service at schema.hig.se

Student Accommodation

You need to apply for accommodation yourself. Please remember to do so in good time before your arrival. You can find information about how to apply for student accommodation at hig.se/newstudent

The Student Centre

At the Student Centre you will meet knowledgeable staff who can assist you in just about anything regarding your studies at the University of Gävle. The Student Centre is located in building 22. You can also find a café in the area and a TV display showing the daily timetabling. You can contact the Student Centre by email at studentcentrum@hig.se

Student support

Sometimes you need help to manage your studies and student life. At the University of Gävle we have several support functions to help you deal with various study-related situations, such as, for example, student health care and support for disabled students. For more information about student support at the University of Gävle, please visit hig.se/studiestod

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