

## Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences



### ECON3420 Industrial Organization

[30h] 3.5 credits

**Teacher(s):** Pierre Picard  
**Language:** English  
**Level:** Third cycle

#### Aims

This course provides an introduction to the models and methods of modern industrial organization, and is intended to give a broad coverage of the field. It aims to provide students with an understanding of the basic tools and models of analysis in industrial organization so as to equip them with the ability to conduct research in this field.

#### Main themes

The course covers most classical problems of industrial economics: pricing, product specification, barriers to entry, collusion, research and development.

#### Other information (prerequisite, evaluation (assessment methods), course materials recommended readings, ...)

Prerequisite : To be defined

Evaluation: Written or oral exam, closed book

Support : Tirole, J. (1988) Theory of Industrial Organization (MIT Press), + reading list.

#### Programmes in which this activity is taught

**ECGE3DA/EC** Diplôme d'études approfondies en économie et gestion - Master of Arts in Economics (sciences économiques)  
**ECGE3DS/SC** Diplôme d'études spécialisées en économie et gestion (Master in business administration) (Supply Chain Management)

#### Other credits in programs

**ECGE3DA/EC** Diplôme d'études approfondies en économie et gestion - Master(3.5 credits) of Arts in Economics (sciences économiques)  
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