

Selected Topics in Economics 4491G 550

Course: Urban Economics Instructor: Dr. Ian Herzog

This seminar course will introduce students to specialized topics in urban and regional economics. We will begin by reviewing canonical models and concepts before moving on to reading and discussing contemporary empirical research in urban economics. Topics include local labour and housing markets, urban transportation, place-based policies, and relevant empirical tools. The goal is to develop skills needed to apply economic analysis to urban policy problems, pursue our own research, and communicate economic ideas and research findings.