

**Economics 100B: Microeconomics**  
**Spring 2009**  
**TTh 8:00-9:20, Solís 107**

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**or by appointment**

## **SYLLABUS**

This course is the second third of the microeconomics sequence.

**Text:** Perloff, Jeffrey M., *Microeconomics: Theory & Applications with Calculus*, 2008. You are responsible for all the material in the assigned parts of the text.

**Lectures and Problem Sets:** You are responsible for all the material and announcements in the lectures. If you miss one, borrow someone's notes. There will be seven or eight problem sets. Discussion sections are scheduled in Solís 107 on Monday, 7:00-7:50 pm and 8:00-8:50 pm, to help with the problem sets and practice exams. Students are permitted to work together on problem sets. No late problem sets will be accepted. Answers to the problem sets will be available on the class web site (<http://webct.ucsd.edu>) after each due date.

**Grading:** Your grade will be determined on the basis of a midterm exam (32%), a final exam (48%), and the problem sets (20%). The midterm will cover the first half of the course and the final will cover the second half. No makeup exams will be given.

## **COURSE OUTLINE**

<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>CHAPTER IN TEXT</b>
Firms and Production	6
Costs	7
Competitive Firms and Markets	8

## **MIDTERM EXAM**

Properties and Applications of the Competitive Model	9
General Equilibrium and Economic Welfare (with two and three markets)	10
General Equilibrium and Economic Welfare (with four markets)	10

## **FINAL EXAM**