School of Distance Education (SDE), University of Kerala

MA Economics (Semester II, 2018-19 Admission)

Assignment Topics

EC 221. Micro Economics II

Evaluate various criteria of social welfare.

EC 222 Economics of Social Sector and Environment

Discuss some policy interventions for environment management.

EC 223 Indian Economic Policy (Kerala's Economy) II

Critically examine the economic growth and structural changes of Kerala Economy during the Post-liberalisation period.

EC 224 Research Methodology and Econometrics

Explain the causes, consequences and remedies of multicollinearity problem.

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Case Analysis

EC 221 Micro Economics II

Different people have different views, perspectives, and preferences about risk. Some people enjoy a risky situation and others do not. This gives rise to three alternative risk preferences:

(a) How can we classify people on the basis of their risk preferences?

(b) Write a note on economics of insurance

EC 222 Economics of Social Sector and Environment

Human Capital in its broadest sense encompasses the levels of education, health, and nutrition of the population. Governments of developing countries increasingly concern themselves with the underinvestment by the poor in both health and education. In this context,

(a) Examine the role of health and education in the process of economic development

(b) Discuss various measures taken by developing countries to promote health and education

EC 223 Indian Economic Policy (Kerala's Economy) II

Kerala has made spectacular achievements in land reforms, education, and health since its formation. But the contributions of industry and agriculture to the state's income growth have been marginal.

(a) Examine the roots of Kerala's Industrial Backwardness

(b) Discuss the services sector and structural transformation in Kerala

EC 224 Research Methodology and Econometrics

Sampling is the statistical process of selecting a subset of a population of interest for purposes of making observations and statistical inferences about that population.

(a) Explain different sampling methods

(b) Write a note on need for sampling