

# Virtual Exchange with York University, Canada



## Virtual Journal Club



In the winter term 2020/21, we offer a virtual exchange with the economics department of York University, Canada (<https://econ.laps.yorku.ca>). During the virtual journal club, students complete weekly academic and general-audience readings on topics rotating across different subfields of microeconomics. Students get exposure to a wide range of economic inquiries and methodological approaches. Students will exchange ideas and reflections on the readings through an online discussion forum and in joint video conferences. Students should have a broad interest in microeconomics and should be willing to actively discuss the provided readings.

Preliminary list of topics:

1. Theory of the Firm
2. Public Policy
3. Behavioral Economics
4. Economics of Information and Incentives
5. Fields: Economics of Trade
6. Developmental Economics
7. Economics of Health and Education
8. Political Economy
9. A Meta-Perspective on Economics

**Participants:** 10 economics bachelor students of each institution

**Application:** via the Economics Exchange Office  
<https://www.efv.verwaltung.uni-muenchen.de/EconExchangeBSc>  
Application deadline: October 11<sup>th</sup> 2020, 11:00 pm

**Credit:** 6 ECTS as Wahlpflichtkurs  
(Application for credit transfer needed after successful participation in the course  
<https://www.isc.uni-muenchen.de/studiengaenge/vwl/allgemein/anerkennungen/index.html>)

**Contact:** If you are interested and have further questions regarding the course, please contact Prof. Matthias Lang ([Matthias.Lang@econ.lmu.de](mailto:Matthias.Lang@econ.lmu.de)).

If you have any questions regarding the application or credit transfer etc., please contact Dr. Sarah Weise ([exchange@econ.lmu.de](mailto:exchange@econ.lmu.de)).