## Course content

This course is equivalent with ECON4220 – Microeconomics 3.

- General equilibrium with state-dependent goods
- Incomplete markets and Analyzing consumer and producer behavior using duality theory
- General equilibrium with application to taxation
- <u>d</u>Decisions under uncertainty
- Games of incomplete information
- Economics of information

# Learning outcome

### Knowledge

You should know

- how to derive the basic results in production and consumer theory using duality theory
- how to apply duality theory to derive basic results of optimal taxation in a general equilibrium setting
- the theory of choice under uncertainty, including the expected utility theorem
- different form of non-cooperative games both with and without complete information and solution (both equilibrium and non-equilibrium) concepts for each of these classes of games
- the implication of moral hazard problems and adverse selection.

#### Skills

You should be able to

- do basic microeconomic analysis based on techniques from duality theory
- analyze taxation in general equilibrium

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- understand basic concept of decision theory
- formulate economic problems that involve strategic interaction as noncooperative games
- use the appropriate solution concepts in such games
- formulate economic problems that involve asymmetric information

### Competence

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You should be able to

• follow economic reasoning related to the course, for instance when reading professional reports

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