CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course is an analysis of the factors influencing bank reserves and the money supply. The ability of the Federal Reserve System to shape these factors; monetary policy and the determination of national income are discussed.

PREREQUISITE: ECO 102

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:
Upon completion of this course students will be able to:
- Understand the role of money and banks in the broader economy
- Comprehend the unique role of banks in the financial system
- Understand the relevance of the Federal Reserve and related central banking

ASSESSMENT METHODS:
Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:
90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E