



[AGST #1 RURAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES: LECTURE SERIES NO.8]

COMPARATIVE DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

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This course will provide students with an overview of the theoretical development in Development Studies leading up to, and including a review of the concept of Sustainable Development. Throughout the course, students will review the main theoretical traditions of Development Sociology, especially Modernization theory, Dependency theory, and World System theory. As part of this review, the students will also review some of the main empirical examples used to debate these theories, especially under the globalization and financialisation of agri-food system.



Dr. Raymond Jussaume is a Professor and the Chair of the Department of Sociology at Michigan State University. His academic training at Cornell University and research interests fit within the broad area of Development Sociology, but he has taught a wide variety of courses, including research methods, community sociology, society and natural resources, rural sociology, global citizenship, and modern Japanese society.

2 credits available for EA course students who have already registered this course, including the first round given by Prof. Maria Fonte in December



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January

[TIME & VENUE]

- ① Jan 25, Mon, 13:30-16:30
@ Mizuho Hall (B1F)
- ② Jan 26, Tue, 9:00-12:00
@ Meeting Room (8F)
- ③ Jan 27, Wed, 13:30-16:30
@ Meeting Room (8F)
- ④ Jan 28, Thu, 9:00-12:00
@ Meeting Room (8F)
- ⑤ Jan 29, Fri, 9:00-12:00
@ Meeting Room (8F)

Faculty of Law & Economics East Building

[OUTLINE]

Session① **Introduction: Situating Sustainability within Development**

Session② **Classical Approaches to Conceptualizing Development**

Session③ **Why does "Underdevelopment" Persist?**

Session④ **Planning and Evaluating Development Strategies**

Session⑤ **Reprise: Situating Sustainability within Development**

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