

**Brief Syllabus**  
**37:575:363 Labor and the Global Economy**

**Course Description:**

Changes in the global economy and their effects on the living standards and bargaining power of American workers and their unions. Alternative strategies for dealing with globalization.

**Important information:**

This course is suitable for non-majors as well as majors or minors. There are no pre-requisites. This course counts toward the Core Curriculum 21C requirement.

**Learning Objectives. The student is able to:**

***Core Curriculum: 21C***

- Analyze issues of social justice across local and global contexts. (Goal d).

***Labor Studies and Employment Relations Department:***

- Analyze issues of social justice related to work across local and global contexts (Goal 8).

***School of Management and Labor Relations:***

- Evaluate the context of workplace issues, public policies, and management decisions (Goal V).

**Assessment of student success in meeting learning objectives:**

Typically a rubric is applied to particular short answer items on the final exam and/or on written assignments.

In addition, grades are also based on student performance in exercises, discussions, and other assignments.