

University of Birmingham

Department of Political Science and International Studies

POLS G11

INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY

(MA/Diploma module)

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International Political Economy

Introduction

The main aims of this course are to introduce students to the core theoretical debates and empirical issue-areas and to develop your research and analytical skills in the study of IPE. The course is divided into three sections. In the first term it introduces students to the historical and theoretical foundations of IPE. The second section then looks at recent changes to the global order and how the subject is adapting. The second term turns to issues in IPE; including: poverty and inequality, gender and development, economic growth and environmental sustainability, intellectual property and food security.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, students should:

- Be able to develop their understanding of theoretical debates and issues such that they can engage these questions independently.
- Be able to build a theoretically informed and comprehensive understanding of the origins, structure, and politics of the contemporary global market economy.
- Have developed their research skills.

Course Guidelines

1. This is a seminar course, although in most weeks part of the two hours will be devoted to a lecture element, in which the major points, issues or debates relating to a the topic under discussion will be outlined. During the second half of the seminar, students are expected to play a much more **active** role by testing ideas and arguments pertinent to IPE, through critical engagement and discussion with their peers. The success of this course depends in a good part on you reading for classes, your readiness to participate in discussion, and the quality of your oral and written work. A grasp of the core theoretical debates is particularly important for the preparation of essays for assessment.
2. Attend **ALL** sessions. Not only is this required of you by University regulations, but it is also in your own interest if you hope to complete the course successfully.
3. Plagiarism is considered a serious offence. This occurs when a student tries to pass off someone else's work as his or her own. This applies not only to books and articles but also to the work of other students. You must make it clear by using references whose work you are drawing on.

Assessment

The course will be assessed by a combination of examination and coursework. The coursework will consist of two essays that count in total for 40% of the overall marks for the course. The examination will contribute the remaining 60%.

The essay deadline for the list for the first term is **Wednesday 8 December 2004** that for the list for the second term is **Wednesday 23 March 2005** Essays should be handed in to the Graduate Office in the Department between 9.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. on these days. There will be *no* extensions without medical certification. Under the terms of Departmental policy, late essays will not be assessed and will therefore be awarded a mark of *zero*.

Lists of essays will be distributed separately. Students are able to select any of the essays, which relate to topics covered in the first term for their first essay, and any of the essays, which relate to topics covered in the second term for their second essay.

The word limit for essays is 3000 – 4000 words.

Core Readings:

Given the breadth of the topics that will be covered on the course, there is no single text that can be used as a “text-book”. Instead you should start by referring to the recommended reading for each week. However, a number of useful collections do exist:

1. Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.) 2000, *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press. This is a useful up-to-date text for the course and should be purchased if possible. The first edition of this book is completely different, only the odd chapter appears in both, and is also useful. There are copies of both editions in the library.
2. David Held and Tony McGrew, David Goldblatt and Jonathan Perraton 1999, *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics, Culture*, Oxford: Polity. This is still the most comprehensive treatment of globalisation available. It usefully divides the question of globalisation over a variety of issue areas.
3. Joan E. Spero and Jeffrey A. Hart 1997, *The Politics of International Economic Relations* (5th Edition), London: Routledge. Spero is a well-written account of the development of international economic relations in the post-war period; it should be seen as a starting point for your understanding of the empirical parts of the course.
4. You should also consult the most important journals regularly and treat them as a research resource.

The journals that you may find to be the most directly relevant include:

<i>British Journal of Industrial Relations</i>	<i>Comparative Politics</i>
<i>Global Governance</i>	<i>Global Society</i>
<i>IMF Survey</i>	<i>International Organization</i>
<i>Journal of Development Economics</i>	<i>Journal of Development Studies</i>
<i>Journal of International Economics</i>	<i>Journal of Social Policy</i>
<i>Journal of World Trade</i>	<i>Millennium</i>
<i>New Economy</i>	<i>New Left Review</i>
<i>New Political Economy</i>	<i>Oxford Review of Economic Policy</i>
<i>Politics and Society</i>	<i>Review of International Political Economy</i>
<i>Review of International Studies</i>	<i>The Economist</i>
<i>The World Economy</i>	<i>Third World Quarterly</i>
<i>World Development</i>	<i>World Politics</i>

Summary of Sessions

TERM ONE

(1) Historical and Theoretical Foundations

Week 2 – Introduction to IPE

Week 3 – The Emergence of Economic Liberalism/Realism, Mercantilism and Power in IPE

Week 4 – Neorealism and Hegemonic Stability Theory versus Neoliberal Institutionalism

Week 5 – NeoGramscian IPE

Week 6 – Feminist IPE

Week 7 – Study Week (no class)

(2) A Changing Global Order?

Week 8 – IPE from Interwar crisis to Bretton Woods.

Week 9 – The Breakdown of the BWS

Week 10 – Global Trade and Global Finance

Week 11 – Globalisation and the State

TERM ONE

(3) Issues in IPE: (a) Development

Week 12 – The International Context of Development: the Post-War Years

Week 13 – The Debt Crisis

Week 14 – Brussels Trip (no class)

Week 15 – The Legacy of the Debt Crisis

Week 16 – Poverty in IPE

Week 17 – Gender in IPE and Development

Week 18 – Study Week (no class)

Week 19 – Environmental Sustainability

Week 20 – Intellectual Property Rights and IPE: The Case of TRIPS and the HIV/AIDS Pandemic in Africa

Week 21 – Food Security

Week 22 – Revision

Reading List

Please Note:

1. "In providing the student with this general reading list or access to the books, journals, articles or photocopies of the articles on the list, there is no requirement nor intention on behalf of the course leader or tutor that students should copy any item on the list. The reading list is provided as additional material."
2. This reading list is by no means exhaustive. It is expected that in preparation for coursework you will supplement the readings listed here.

TERM ONE

Week 2: Introduction to IPE

Discussion:

- *Why did economic issues achieve greater prominence in the study of IR in the 1970s and 1980s?*
- *What was the most important development in altering the direction of the academic study of IPE?*
- *What is IPE?*

Ngaire Woods 2001 'International Political Economy in an Age of Globalization', in John Bayliss and Steve Smith (eds.) *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations* (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Editorial 1994 'Forum for Heterodox International Political Economy', *Review of International Political Economy*, 1 (1), 1-12.

Robert Gilpin 1996 'The Nature of Political Economy', in C. Roe Goddard, John Passé-Smith and John Conklin (eds.) *International Political Economy: State-Market Relations in the Changing Global Order*, London: Lynne Rienner.

Susan Strange 1994 'Prologue: Some Desert Island Tales', in *States and Markets* (2nd Edition), London: Pinter.

Robert Denemark and Robert O'Brien 1997 'Contesting the Canon: International Political Economy at UK and US Universities', *Review of International Political Economy*, 4 (1), 214-238.

Andrew Gamble 1995 'The New Political Economy', *Political Studies*, 43 (3), 516-530. [Short Loan photocopies]

Joan E. Spero and Jeffrey A. Hart 1997, *The Politics of International Economic Relations* (5th Edition), London: Routledge, Chapter 1.

Richard Higgott 1994 'International Political Economy', in A.J.R. Groom and Margot Light (eds.) *Contemporary International Relations: A Guide to Theory*, London: Pinter.

Chris Brown 1997, *Understanding International Relations*, Basingstoke: Macmillan, Chapter 8.

Stephen Gill and David Law 1988, *The Global Political Economy: Perspectives, Problems and Policies*, London: Harvester Wheatsheaf, Chapter 1.

Thomas Biersteker 1993 'Evolving Perspectives on International Political Economy', *International Political Science Review*, 14 (1), 7-33.

Craig N. Murphy and Roger Tooze (eds.) 1991, *The New International Political Economy*, Boulder, Colo.: Lynne Rienner, Introduction and Chapter 1.

Week 3: Mercantilism and Economic Liberalism

Discussion:

- *What are the major assumptions of economic liberalism?*
- *What are the major assumptions of realist IPE?*
- *Which position, if either, captures the reality of the world better?*

Economic Liberalism

Mark Zacher and Richard A. Matthew 1994 'Liberal International Theory: Common Threads, Divergent Strands', in Charles Kegley (ed.), *Controversies in International Relations Theory: realism and the neoliberal challenge*, New York: St. Martin's Press.

Robert Keohane 1990 'International Liberalism Reconsidered', in J. Dunn (ed.) *The Economic Limits to Modern Politics*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Adam Smith 1776, *Wealth of Nations*, London: Pelican, Introduction by Skinner and Book I, Chapters 1-4.

Stephen Gill 1994 'Knowledge, Politics, and Neo-Liberal Political Economy', in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.) *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan.

Stephen Gill and David Law 1988, *The Global Political Economy: Perspectives, Problems and Policies*, London: Harvester Wheatsheaf, Chapter 4.

Robert Gilpin 1987, *The Political Economy of International Relations*, Princeton: Princeton University Press, Chapter 2, 25-31, 43-46.

Paul Krugman 1994 'Competitiveness: A Dangerous Obsession', *Foreign Affairs* 73 (2), 28-44.

Realism, Mercantilism

Susan Strange 1994, *States and Markets* (2nd Edition), London: Pinter, Chapters 2 and 3.

Barry Buzan 1994 'The Interdependence of Security and Economic Issues in the "New World Order"', in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.) *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan.

Stephen Gill and David Law 1988, *The Global Political Economy: Perspectives, Problems and Policies*, London: Harvester Wheatsheaf, Chapter 3.

Michael Mastanduno, David Lake and John Ikenberry 1989 'Towards a Realist Theory of State Action', *International Studies Quarterly* 33, 457-474. [Short Loan photocopies]

Stephen J. Krasner 1978, *Defending the National Interest*, Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Klaus Knorr 1973, *Power and Wealth: the political economy of international power*, London: Macmillan.

Stephen Krasner 1994 'International Political Economy: abiding Discord' and Susan Strange 1994 'Wake Up Krasner! The World has Changed', *Review of International Political Economy* 1 (1) and 1 (2).

Robert Gilpin 1987, *The Political Economy of International Relations*, Princeton: Princeton University Press, Chapter 2, 31-34, 46-50.

Week 4: Hegemonic Stability Theory/Neoliberal Institutionalism

Discussion:

- Did the US act as an enlightened hegemon throughout the post-war era?
- Outline and evaluate Hegemonic Stability Theory.
- Why is the debate between neorealists and neoliberals a narrow one?

Neorealism and Hegemonic Stability Theory

Robert O. Keohane (ed.) 1986, *Neorealism and its Critics*, New York: Columbia University Press, Chapters 1 and 4-5.

Robert Gilpin 1987, *The Political Economy of International Relations*, Princeton: Princeton University Press, Chapter 3.

Charles Kindleberger 1986, *The World in Depression, 1929-1939*, London: University of California Press, Last Chapter.

Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.) 1994, *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan, 29-33.

Stephen Krasner 1979 'The Tokyo Round: Particularistic Interests and the Prospects for Stability in the Global Trading System', *International Studies Quarterly* 23 (4), 491-531. [Short Loan photocopies]

Critique of HST

Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill 1994 'Introduction: Global Issues in Historical Perspective' in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan, 145-163.

Isabelle Grunberg 1990 'Exploring the "Myth" of Hegemonic Stability', *International Organization*, 44 (4), 431-478.

Robert O. Keohane 1984, *After Hegemony: Co-operation and Discord in the World Political Economy*, Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Robert O. Keohane 1996 'The Theory of Hegemonic Stability and Changes in International Economic Regimes, 1967-1977' in C. Roe Goddard, John Passé-Smith and John Conklin (eds.) *International Political Economy: State-Market Relations in the Changing Global Order*, London: Lynne Rienner.

Susan Strange 1987 'The Persistent Myth of Lost Hegemony', *International Organization*, 41 (4), 551-574.

Geoffrey R.D. Underhill 1990 'Industrial Crisis and International Regimes', *Millennium*, 19 (2), 185-206. [Short Loan photocopies]

Duncan Snidal 1985 'The Limits of Hegemonic Stability Theory', *International Organization*, 39 (4), 579-614.

Michael Cox 2001 'Whatever Happened to American Decline? International Relations and the New United States Hegemony', *New Political Economy*, 6 (3), 311-340.

Neoliberal Institutionalism and International Regimes

Stephen Krasner 1983, *International Regimes*, London: Cornell University Press.

Andreas Hasenclever, Peter Mayer and Volker Rittberger (eds.) 1997, *Theories of International Regimes*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Stephan Haggard and Beth Simmons 1987 'Theories of International Regimes', *International Organization*, 41 (3), 491-517.

Critique of Neoliberal Institutionalism

Robert Cox 1992 'Multilateralism and World Order', *Review of International Studies*, 18 (2), 161-180.

Joseph Grieco 1990 'Anarchy and the Limits of Co-operation: a realist critique of the newest liberal institutionalism', *International Organization*, 42 (3), 485-507.

F. Kratochwil and J.G. Ruggie 1986 'International Organization: a state of the art on an art of the state', *International Organization*, 40 (4), 753-775.

Andrew Hurrell 1993 'International Society and the Study of Regimes: a reflective approach' in Volker Rittberger (ed.), *Regime Theory and International Relations*, Oxford: Clarendon.

Week 5: Gramscian IPE

Discussion:

- *What are the main ideas in neoGramscian IPE?*
- *How useful is neoGramscian approach to the study of IPE?*

Stephen Gill and David Law 1988, *The Global Political Economy: Perspectives, Problems and Policies*, London: Harvester Wheatsheaf, Chapter 5.

André Drainville 1994 'International Political Economy in the Age of Open Marxism', *Review of International Political Economy*, 1 (1), 105-132.

Peter Burnham 1994 'Open Marxism and Vulgar Political Economy', *Review of International Political Economy*, 1 (2), 221-232.

Robert Cox 1996 'Social Forces, States and World Orders', in Robert Cox with Timothy Sinclair (eds.), *Approaches to World Order*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Robert Cox 1987, *Production, Power, And World Order: Social Forces in the Making of History*, New York: Colombia University Press.

Stephen Gill (ed.) 1993, *Gramsci, Historical Materialism and International Relations*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Randall Germain and Michael Kenny 1998 'Engaging Gramsci: International Relations Theory and the New Gramscians', *Review of International Studies*, 24 (1), 3-22.

Mark Rupert 1998 '(Re-)Engaging Gramsci: A Response to Germain and Kenny', *Review of International Studies*, 24 (3), 427-434.

Craig Murphy 1998 'Understanding IR: Understanding Gramsci', *Review of International Studies*, 24 (3), 417-426.

Stephen Gill 1991 'Historical Materialism, Gramsci and International Political Economy', in Craig N. Murphy and Roger Tooze (eds.), *The New International Political Economy*, Boulder, Colo.: Lynne Rienner.

Robert Cox 1996 'Gramsci, Hegemony and International Relations', in Robert Cox with Timothy Sinclair (eds.), *Approaches to World Order*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

James Mittelman 1998 'Coxian Historicism as an Alternative Perspective in International Studies', *Alternatives*, 23 (1), 63-92.

Mark Rupert 1995, *Producing Hegemony: the politics of mass production and American global power*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Week 6: Feminist Approaches

Discussion:

- *Why is gender an issue for IPE?*
- *Is there more to taking feminism seriously than just 'add women and stir'?*
- *How does feminism add to the study of IPE?*

Sandra Whitworth 2000 'Theory and Exclusion: Gender, Masculinity, and International Political Economy' in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 145-163.

J. Ann Tickner 1991 'On the Fringes of the World Economy' in Craig N. Murphy and Roger Tooze (eds.), *The New International Political Economy*, Boulder, Colo.: Lynne Rienner.

V. Spike Peterson and Anne Sisson Runyan 1999, *Global Gender Issues*, (2nd Edition), Boulder, Col.: Westview Press.

Lise Ostergaard 1992, *Gender and Development: a practical guide*, London: Routledge.

Marianne Marchand and Anne Sisson Runyan (eds.) 2000, *Gender and Global Restructuring*, London: Routledge.

Jill Steans 1998, *Gender and International Relations: an introduction*, Cambridge: Polity, Chapter Six.

Georgina Waylen 1997 'Gender, Feminism and Political Economy', *New Political Economy*, 2 (2), 205-220.

Robert O'Brien, Anne Marie Goetz, Jan Aart Scholte and Marc Williams 2000, *Contesting Global Governance: Multilateral Economic Institutions and Global Social Movements*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Chapter Two.

Joanne Cook, Jennifer Roberts and Georgina Waylen (eds.) 2000, *Towards a Gendered Political Economy*, Basingstoke: Palgrave.

Week 7: Reading Week

No session this week.

Week 8: From Interwar Crisis to Bretton Woods

Discussion:

- *Why did the world economy that had developed prior to 1914 fall into disorder and conflict?*
- *What role did the Bretton Woods agreement play in the rebuilding of a postwar international economy?*

Lawrence Harris. *Governing the World Economy: Bretton Woods and the IMF*, Milton Keynes: Open University Press.

Kenen, P.B. (ed.) (1994) *Managing the World Economy: Fifty Years after Bretton Woods*, Washington, D.C : Institute for International Economics.

Barry J. Eichengreen, (1993) *A Retrospective on the Bretton Woods System: Lessons for International Monetary Reform*, Chicago: Chicago University Press.

M. ul Haq (ed.) (1995) *The UN and the Bretton Woods Institutions: New Challenges for the Twenty-first Century*, Macmillan: Basingstoke.

Harold James, (1996) *International Monetary Co-operation since Bretton Woods*, Oxford U.P.: New York.

Carlo Cottarelli and Curzio Giannini, (1997) *Credibility Without Rules? Monetary Frameworks in the Post-Bretton Woods Era*, Banca d'Italia: Rome.

Week 9 : The Breakdown of the BWS

Discussion:

- *Why did the Bretton Woods System breakdown?*
- *What have been the consequences of the breakdown of the Bretton Woods System?*
- *Why do the Bretton Woods institutions continue to exist? Do they have a role?*

Eric Helleiner 1994 'From Bretton Woods to Global Finance: A World Turned Upside Down', in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan.

David Held and Anthony McGrew, David Goldblatt and Jonathon Perraton (1999) *Global Transformations*, Oxford: Polity Press.

McGrew et al (eds) (2000) *The Global Transformations Reader*, Oxford: Polity Press, 2000

Laurence Harris *Governing the World Economy: Bretton Woods and the IMF*, Milton Keynes: Open University Press.

Peter Bain Kenen (ed.) (1994) *Managing the World Economy: Fifty Years after Bretton Woods*, Washington: Institute for International Economics.

Barry J. Eichengreen (1993) *A Retrospective on the Bretton Woods System: Lessons for International Monetary Reform*, Chicago: Chicago University Press.

M. ul Haq (ed.) (1995) *The UN and the Bretton Woods Institutions: New Challenges for the Twenty-first Century*, Macmillan: Basingstoke.

Bayne, N. (1995) 'The G7 Summit and the Reform of Global Institutions', *Government and Opposition*, 30, 4: 492-509.

Harold James, (1996) *International Monetary Co-operation since Bretton Woods*, Oxford U.P.: New York.

Carlo Cottarelli and Curzio Giannini, (1997) *Credibility Without Rules? Monetary Frameworks in the Post-Bretton Woods Era*, Banca d'Italia: Rome.

On the hegemonic stability/ hegemonic decline debate

Robert Keohane (1984) *After Hegemony: Order and Discord in World Politics*, Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Krasner, Stephen D. (1983) *International Regimes*, Ithaca NY: Cornell University Press.

Milner, H & J Snyder, 'Lost Hegemony', *International Organization*, 42:4 1988, pp.749-750.

Russett, Bruce (1985) 'The Mysterious Case of Vanishing Hegemony; or is Mark Twain Really Dead?' *International Organization*, 39, 2:207-231.

Snidal, Duncan (1985) 'The Limits to Hegemonic Stability Theory', *International Organization*, 39:479-614.

Strange, Susan (1987) 'The Persistent Myth of Lost Hegemony', *International Organization*, 41, 4, pp.551-574.

Grunberg, I 'Exploring the Myth of Hegemonic Stability', *International Organization*, 44:4 1990, pp.431-477

Week 10: What is Globalisation?: The Debates

Discussion:

- *What is globalisation?*
- *Is globalisation happening?*
- *Is globalisation something to be encouraged or discouraged, indeed can we affect it at all?*

Malcolm Waters 2001, *Globalization*, (2nd Edition), London: Routledge.

David Held and Antony McGrew, David Goldblatt and Jonathan Perraton 1999, *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics, Culture*, Oxford: Polity.

Paul Hirst and Grahame Thompson 1996, *Globalization in Question*, Cambridge: Polity Press.

Jan Aart Scholte 2000, *Globalisation: a critical introduction*, London: Macmillan.

Peter Dicken 1998, *Global Shift: Transforming the World Economy*, (3rd Edition), London: Paul Chapman.

Robert Cox 1994 'Global Restructuring: Making Sense of the Changing International Political Economy' in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.) *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, Basingstoke: Macmillan.

Roger Tooze 1997 'IPE in an Age of Globalization' in John Bayliss and Steve Smith (eds.), *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Ohmae, K. (1995) *The End of the Nation State*, New York: Free Press.

Eleonore Kofman and Gillian Youngs (eds) 1996 *Globalization: Theory and Practice*, London: Pinter.

Ahmad Seyf (1997) 'Globalisation and the Crisis in the International Economy', *Global Society*, 11, 3: 299-324.

Hans Henrik Holm and Georg Sorensen (1995) *Whose World Order? Uneven Globalization and the End of the Gulf War*, Boulder: Westview Press.

Week 11: Globalisation: The State, Trade and Finance

Discussion:

- *What does the literature tell us about the impact on states? What it is, how it happens, etc.?*
- *Which of these views do you think is the most convincing?*
- *What has been the impact of globalisation on your home state?*

The State

Richard Stubbs 2000 'Introduction: Globalization and State Policies', in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 297-299.

Philip G. Cerny 2000 'Political Globalization and the Competition State', in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 300-309.

- Robert Wade 1996 'Globalization and Its Limits: Reports of the Death of the National Economy are Greatly Exaggerated' in Suzanne Berger and Ronald Dore (eds.), *National Diversity and Global Capitalism*, Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- Ian Douglas 1997 'Globalisation and the End of the State?', *New Political Economy*, 2 (1), 165-179.
- Kenichi Ohmae 1995, *The End of the Nation State*, New York: Free Press.
- David Armstrong 1998 'Globalization and the Social State', *Review of International Studies*, 24 (4), 461-478.
- Kenichi Ohmae 1990, *The Borderless World*, London: Harper Collins.
- Susan Strange 1996, *The Retreat of the State: The Diffusion of Power in the World Economy*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Linda Weiss 1998, *The Myth of the Powerless State*, Cambridge: Polity.
- Stephen Gill 1995 'Globalisation, Market Civilisation and Disciplinary Neoliberalism', *Millennium*, 24 (3), 399-423. [Short Loan photocopies]
- Peter Evans 1997 'The Eclipse of the State? Reflections on Stateness in an Era of Globalization', *World Politics*, 50, 62-87.
- Jan Aart Scholte 1997 'Global Capitalism and the State', *International Affairs*, 73 (3), 427-452.
- Malcolm Waters 2001, *Globalization*, (2nd Edition), London: Routledge, Chapter 5.

Global Restructuring

- Dicken, P (1994) *Global Shift*
- Amin, A. (ed) (1994) *Post-Fordism: A Reader*, Cambridge: Blackwells.
- Bernard, M. (1994) 'Postfordism, Transnational Production and the Changing Political Economy,' in Stubbs, R. And Underhill, G. *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*.
- F Froebel, J Heinrichs, and O Kreye (1980) *The New International Division of Labour*, Cambridge: CUP.
- Kolko, J. (1988), *Restructuring the World Economy*, London: Random House.
- Marchand, M. and Runyan, A. (eds) (1999) *Gender and Global Restructuring*, London: Routledge.
- R.E. Rowthorn and JR Wells (1987) *De-Industrialization and Foreign Trade*, Cambridge: CUP.
- C Stevens and JV van Themaat, (eds) (1987) *Europe and the International Division of Labour*, London: Hodder & Stoughton.
- Lipietz, Alain (1984) 'How Monetarism Choked Third World Industrialization', *New Left Review* 145.
- Lipietz, A. (1987) 'The Globalization of the General Crisis of Fordism 1967-84, in Holmes, J. And Ley, C (eds) *Frontyard, Backyard*, Toronto: Between the Lines Press.
- Pellerin, H. (1996) 'Global Restructuring and International Migration', in Youngs, G. and Kofman, E. *Globalization: Theory and Practice*, London: Pinter.
- J.K.Gibson-Graham (1996) *The End of Capitalism (As We Knew It): a Feminist Critique of Political Economy*, Oxford: Blackwell.
- Elson, D. (1990) *Male Bias in the Development Process*, Manchester: Manchester University Press.

Finance

- David Held and Antony McGrew, David Goldblatt and Jonathan Perraton 1999, *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics, Culture*, Oxford: Polity.
- Susan Strange 2000 'World Order, Non-State Actors, and the Global Casino: The Retreat of the State?' in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 82-90.
- Jonathan Story 2000 'The Emerging World Financial Order and Different Forms of Capitalism' in Richard Stubbs and Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (eds.), *Political Economy and the Changing Global Order*, (2nd Edition), Oxford: Oxford University Press, 129-140.
- Barry Eichengreen 1996, *Globalizing Capital: A History of the International Monetary System*, Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.
- Graham Bird (ed.) 1996 'The Bretton Woods Institutions and the Political Economy of International Monetary Reform, Special issue of *World Economy*, 19 (2).
- Eric Helleiner 1995 'Explaining the Globalisation of Financial Markets: Bringing States Back In', *Review of International Political Economy*, 2 (2), 315-341.
- Jan Aart Scholte 2000, *Globalisation: a critical introduction*, London: Macmillan.
- Nigel Thrift 1996 'A Phantom State? International Money, Electronic Networks and Global Cities' in Nigel Thrift, *Spatial Formations*, London: Sage.
- Susan Strange 1998, *Mad Money*, Manchester: Manchester University Press
- Susan Strange 1986, *Casino Capitalism*, Oxford: Blackwell.
- Geoffrey R.D. Underhill (ed.) 1997, *The New World Order in International Finance*, Basingstoke: Macmillan.
- Geoffrey R.D. Underhill 1991 'Markets beyond Politics?': the State and the Internationalisation of Finance, *European Journal of Political Research*, 19 (2 and 3), 197-225.
- Yilmaz Akyüz 1995 'Taming International Finance' in Jonathan Michie & John Grieve Smith (eds.), *Managing the Global Economy*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Susan Strange 1990 'Finance Information and Power', *Review of International Studies*, 16 (3), 259-274.
- Eric Helleiner 1994, *States and the Reemergence of Global Finance: From Bretton Woods to the 1990s*, London: Cornell University Press.
- Howard Wachtel 2000 'Tobin and other global taxes', *Review of International Political Economy*, 7 (2), 335-352.
- Jan Aart Scholte with Albrecht Schnabel (eds.) 2002, *Civil Society and Global Finance*, London: Routledge.

World Trade

- Paul Krugman 1994 'Competitiveness: A Dangerous Obsession', *Foreign Affairs* 73 (2), 28-44.
- David Held and Tony McGrew, David Goldblatt and Jonathan Perraton 1999, *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics, Culture*, Oxford: Polity.
- Lake, D. *The International Political Economy of Trade, Volumes 1 and 2*
- Tussie, Diana (1991) 'Trading in Fear? US Hegemony and the Open World Economy in Perspective', in Murphy, Craig and Roger Tooze, *The New International Political Economy*, pp79-96.
- Arndt, S. (ed) (1997) 'Globalization and Trade: A Symposium', *World Economy*, 20, 5.
- Anderson, K. (1993) *Regional Integration and the Global Trading System*, NY: Harvester Wheatsheaf.

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Week 22: Revision

Essay Questions

TERM ONE

1. What is IPE?
2. How should we understand the relationship between the political and the economic?
3. How important is hegemony in explaining the establishment of the post-war BWS?
4. In what ways might we argue that international economy is 'gendered'?
5. Does globalisation have any significant implications for how we study international political economy? If so, what are these?

TERM TWO

1. What is meant by 'sustainable development'? How can the concept of sustainable development be criticised?
2. Is it meaningful to speak of a 'Global South'? If so, why? If not, why not?
3. The key goals of the World Bank have been the promotion of development and the reduction of poverty. How would you evaluate the performance of the World Bank?
4. What is neo-classical (liberal) economic theory and why did it become popular again among elites in the 1980s?
5. Has the debt crisis been managed effectively?
6. What explanations have been offered for the problem of global hunger and famine? Which one do you find most convincing and why?