

Report on Course Bidding at JHU-SAIS Spring 2017

This report presents summary data regarding bidding for numerically imbalanced and oversubscribed courses at JHU – SAIS for the Spring 2017 semester.

The course bidding process was introduced to provide a fair structure through which students would gain access to a class when it was oversubscribed, and in the case of the foundation economics courses of Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, International Trade Theory and International Monetary Theory, to balance attendance in various sections of the same course.

Courses eligible to go to bid in round one included limited enrollment foundation economics courses (Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, International Trade Theory and International Monetary Theory), courses per instructor request, and heavily oversubscribed courses that went to bid before the first class session (Round One). Limited enrollment courses that became oversubscribed during the first week of classes went to bid (Round Two) at the end of that week.

Correspondence was sent to students via email prior to and at the start of the semester regarding bidding. The information sent to the students via email (to their JHU accounts) included their degree status, advisor, points available to bid, primary concentration and semester standing. For bidding purposes, only one concentration is considered for MA students with multiple concentrations. International Economics is not considered for bidding preference. Students were asked to reply with any discrepancies in their records by a set deadline before the start of the semester. The emails also included directions on how to bid, a link to the bidding website, and important bidding dates and deadlines. Students were also informed that it was their responsibility to view the bidding website to check the latest list of the courses that would go to bid. If possible students were notified by email if they were registered for courses that went to bid, and whether they did or did not need to bid.

Spring 2017 was the 14th academic period where MIPP students had the opportunity to affiliate with an Academic Program. Some programs offer priority seating in all of their courses for MIPP affiliates, while some programs limit their MIPP students to a priority seat in ONE course.

No classes went to bid in Round 1 for the Spring 2017 semester. Fifteen classes went to bid during Round 2.

Spring 2017 Bidding Special Rules

- SA.400.774 *Financial Crises, Emerging Markets and Policy Dilemmas* with Professor de Bolle, no bidding priority.
- SA.400.819 *Financial Sector Developments and Reform in Emerging Markets* with Professor Sobol, no bidding priority.
- SA.660.779 *American Intelligence: Role Practice and Impact* with Professor McLaughlin, priority seating for 2nd year Strat Studies and MIPP Strat affiliates.
- SA.680.697 *Global Energy Fundamentals* with Professor Bleviss, priority to 1st and 2nd year ERE MA concentrators.
- SA.680.698 *Global Environment Fundamentals* with Professor Haskett, priority to 1st and 2nd year ERE MA concentrators.

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Round 2

<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Sect</u>	<u>Faculty</u>	<u>Enrollments</u>	<u>Limit</u>	<u>MIPP Enrolled</u>	<u>Priority Enrolled</u>	<u>Seats Available</u>	<u>Need To Bid</u>	<u>Actually Bid</u>	<u>Clearing Price</u>	<u>Bid Range</u>	<u>Notes</u>
SA.200.701	Conduct of Foreign Policy	01	Stevenson, Charles A	27	20	12	8	12	19	18	599	320-1300	
SA.200.701	Conduct of Foreign Policy	02	Stevenson, Charles A	24	20	7	3	17	21	20	325	100-1300	
SA.200.734	Issues in U.S. Foreign Policy and Grand Strategy	01	Brands, Henry S	25	20	3	2	18	23	19	75	5-1300	
SA.310.101	Business Strategies for Global Financial Institutions	01	Kocjan, John	27	20	1	13	7	14	13	303	2-900	MIEF Priority
SA.320.731	Microeconomics of Development	01	Joshi, Shareen	32	20	2	0	20	32	27	510	200-1300	
SA.340.713	Risk Analysis and Modeling	01	White, Mark R	37	25	0	0	25	37	31	800	226-1300	
SA.400.774	Financial Crises, Emerging Markets and Policy Dilemmas	01	Baumgarten de Bolle, Monica	30	22	1	0	22	30	27	147	1-1300	No Priority
SA.610.701	Political Economy of Inequality	01	Suryanarayan, Pavithra	28	20	3	14	6	14	10	417	100-1295	
SA.660.744	The Nature and Character of Cyber Conflict	01	Andres, Richard B	27	20	6	13	7	14	13	600	100-1300	
SA.660.779	Am Intelligence: Role Practice and Impact	01	McLaughlin, John E	47	30	8	28	2	19	15	1300	100-1300	Strat 2nd Yr & MIPP Affiliates

SA.660.779	Am Intelligence: Role Practice and Impact	02	McLaughlin, John E	44	30	8	28	2	16	15	1300	100-1300	Strat 2nd Yr & MIPP Affiliates
SA.680.738	International Water: Issues and Policies	01	Yu, Winston H	23	20	3	15	5	8	7	450	150-1300	
SA.680.793	Natural Gas Markets	01	Tsafos, Nikolaos Eleftherios	30	24	4	14	10	16	14	260	50-1300	
SA.810.705	Public Opinion as a Driver for Policymakers: Analytical Tools and Illustrative Case Studies	01	Young, Clifford A	25	20	7	7	13	18	18	247	20-1300	
SA.860.781	States, Revolutionaries & Terrorism	01	Pecastaing, Camille	23	20	6	4	16	19	18	52	50-1300	MES 2nd Yr & MIPP Affiliates

Closed Sections

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SA.340.709	Statistical Methods for Business & Economics	02	Harrington, John M	36	36	0	0	36	36	CLOSED
SA.340.710	Econometrics	02	Harrington, John M	40	40	2	0	40	40	CLOSED
SA.340.731	Applied Econometrics	01	Zia, Bilal H	31	31	0	0	31	31	CLOSED
SA.380.725	Credit Markets & Credit Risk	01	Glen, Jack Dean	23	20	0	0	20	23	CLOSED
SA.380.787	Infrastructure Finance and Modeling	01	Cabrera, Jase J	27	27	1	0	27	27	CLOSED
SA.400.700	Practical Research Methods for International Development	01	Roman, Raul	20	20	1	2	18	18	CLOSED

SA.400.750	Social Entrepreneurship: Driving Innovation in Development	01	Dornsife, N Cinnamon	15	15	3	2	13	13	CLOSED
SA.640.742	International Mediation	01	Vukovic, Sinisa	20	20	5	4	16	16	CLOSED
SA.660.777	The Art of Strategic Decision	01	Cohen, Eliot	28	28	5	21	7	7	CLOSED