

## **EXAM TOPICS**

**Position no. 4 –PROFESSOR** with the disciplines:

- Economics I
- Economics II
- The labour market within the European context

### **Discipline: Economics I**

- Economics as science. Object, methods and laws of economics. The fundamental problem of economics.
- The consumer theory. Economic utility. Demand. Demand elasticity.
- The producer theory. The production factors and their combination. The productivity of the production factors. The production cost. Supply.
- The competitive economic environment. Markets and prices in the market economy. Perfect competition. The forms of imperfect competition. Forming the price on different types of markets.

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### **Discipline: Economics II**

- National economy and macroeconomics. Macroeconomic indicators. Economic growth and development.
- Income, consumption and investments in the national economy.
- Monetary market. Currency offer and supply. The equilibrium of the monetary market. Monetary policy. Inflation: Concept, measurement, factors, ways, effects and antiinflationist policies.
- The financial market. Company’s shares and bonds. Spot and futures transactions. The stock market.
- The labour market and unemployment. Labour force demand and supply. The market equilibrium. Unemployment: concept, causes, forms, consequences and costs, anti-unemployment economic policies.
- Fluctuations of the economic activity. The business cycle. Macroeconomic policies: concept, tools, objectives. The budgetary policy. Anti-cycle policies. The macroeconomic equilibrium and the economic policy.
- Open macroeconomics. The currency market: currency demand and supply. International trade. Balance of international payments.

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### **Discipline: The labour market within the European context**

- The labour market. Concept, content and role. Theories on the equilibrium creation on the labour market. The main control mechanisms of the labour market.
- Employment: conceptual delimitations. Employment indicators of labour resources. The labour market in Romania within a European context: processes and tendencies. Structural analysis of the employment model in the European Union.
- Unemployment – fundamental disequilibrium of the labour market. Conceptual problems. The measurement and forms of unemployment. Unemployment causes, consequences, and costs in the European Union. The inflation-unemployment correlation. Employment growth – fundamental tool in reducing economic poverty.
- The macroeconomics of employment within the European context. Full employment and macroeconomics policies. The implications of aggregated demand on employment. Economic growth – cause and effect of employment. The employment – productivity correlation. The employment – economic growth-economic and human development correlation.
- Employment strategies in EU. Strategic elements on the labour market in Romania.

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