AGEC 69000-012 Topical Research in International Trade

**Instructors** Russell Hillberry

**Location** KRAN 564

**Time:** Weekly meetings, time TBD

**Course Description**

This course will cover topics in structural estimation, focusing in particular on models of international trade and trade policy. The mode of instruction is guided readings. The purpose of the course is to generate a paper that can be submitted to a leading journal in the field of international trade.

**Credits and Grades**

The primary deliverable will be a draft research paper, that is approximately ready for submission to a leading journal in the field of international trade. Student understanding of relevant reading materials will be subject to evaluation in the course meetings.

**Reading list**

*Gravity Models of Trade – history of thought*


**Structural interpretation and estimation**


**Structural Gravity using Mathematical Programs with Equilibrium Constraints (MPECs)**


**Non-homothetic models of bilateral trade**


Other work using MPECs


