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A HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT

PART II

BOOK: HISTORY OF ECONOMIC IDEAS
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OUTLINE OF COURSE

Session I- SUMMARY of Part I & Brief Introduction to Part II (New Economics from 1870 to Contemporary Americana) economists

Session 2- MARX & SOCIALISM
a)Dialectic Materialism
b)Communist Manifesto
c)Marxist Economics & its influence in shaping world politics

Sessions3) Parallel between Marx &H.George (if any...)
(comparison)

Session 4) Marginalism & A.Marshall
a) New Economics of 1870 Vs. Classicist.Eco.

Session 5) Institutional Economics
a) Veblen & the Theory of Leisure Class
b) John Commons

Session 6) Revolution in conception of Money (John Maynard Keynes
a) Keynes & his Background
b) GENERAL Theory:Employment,Money,Savings,Investment

Session 7) Keynes, The Economic Innovator
a) Role of Government
b) Impact of Keynes today in U.S.A. and elsewhere

Session 8) BUSINESS Cycle Theories
a) Underconsumption
b) Monetary Theories
c) Overinvestment
d) Land Speculation

Session 9) ANALYSIS of CAPITALISM
a) Old Welfare Economics
b) New Welfare Economics
c) Socialist Economics
d) GEORGIST Economics

Session 10) CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN ECONOMIC THOUGHTS
a) John Keneth Galbraith
b) Milton Friedman
c) Reaganomics
c) Liberalvs.Conservative