



# GEOG214/374 Geographies of Global Economic Change



## COURSE DELIVERY

### Lectures

2 1-hr lectures  
*In-person and online*  
(Mon, Thu)

### Project Work

Geog374 students  
undertake a group  
project.

This course examines contemporary global economic and development realities, and local and community responses to the challenges which have arisen. The changing nature of work, AI, recurring crises, the role of multi-national corporations and that of nation states all feature in this study of evolving economic geography.

Study key factors which shape the evolving global economy and New Zealand's place in it.

**How is the global economy changing?**

**What have the been the impacts of recent crises?**

**What role do communities and locals places play in times of change?**

**How is technology and AI shaping the world of work?**

Admission to Geog214: 108 points or Geog102

Admission to Geog 374: 54 Geog points

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The paper provides an in-depth and critical overview of how the global economy has changed in recent years, drawing on national and global evidence and relevant theory.

Examples are drawn from around the world to explain the changing role of the nation state, local places and communities and the changing nature of work. The impacts of recent crises feature prominently in the course.

## Learning Outcomes:

- To identify and describe the key forces and crises which have shaped and are shaping the global economy since World War Two.
- To demonstrate that you can discuss the nature, focus and effects of globalization and associated forces and practise at a variety of spatial scales: global, national, regional and local.



## Assessment

GEOG214 Assessment is 50% internal (on-going during the semester) and 50% external (final examination)

GEOG374 Assessment is 60% internal (on-going during the semester) and 40% external (final examination)

## WHERE CAN I GO WITH A CAREER IN GEOGRAPHY?

Our graduates go into so many different jobs there is no single answer! They are global citizens working in environmental issues in non-government organisations, environmental consultancies, NGOs, and local and central government agencies.

Geographers develop policy for sustainable development, environmental planning, monitoring and regulation. Geographers are consultants, planners, water resource managers, environmental modellers, and so much more!