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Submission deadline: noon on Friday 20th January 2006.

1. Anti-Dumping: Causes, Forms, Effects

References for getting started:

(a) Jackson, John and Vermulst, Edwin, eds. (1999) "Antidumping Law and Practice: A Comparative Study", Harvester Wheatsheaf, New York.

(b) Dale, Richard (1980), Anti-Dumping in a Liberal Trade Order, Macmillan Press, London, 1980.

2. Was, and Is, Preferential Trade of Benefit to Developing Countries?

References for getting started:

(a) Hoekman, Bernard and Özden, Çaglar (2005), "Trade Preferences and Differential Treatment of Developing Countries: A Selective Survey", World Bank Policy Research Working Paper 3566 (April).

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(b) Panagariya, Arvind (2002), "EU Preferential Trade Policies and Developing Countries", Economics Working Paper Archive at WUSTL (August).

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3. The Uruguay Round as a Watershed between GATT and WTO: Key Achievements of Multilateralism and Unresolved Problems

References for getting started:

(a) Srinivasan, T. N., "Developing Countries and the Multilateral Trading System: From the GATT to the Uruguay Round and the Future", Westview Press, 1998.

(b) Faini, Riccardo and Grilli, Enzo, eds. (1997), "Multilateralism and Regionalism after the Uruguay Round", Macmillan Press Ltd., London and St. Martin's Press, New York.

4. Doha and the Role of Economists: What Could (Should) Be Done?

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(a) Anderson, Kym (2005), "Setting the Trade Policy Agenda: What Roles for Economists?", World Bank Policy Research Working Paper 3560 (April).

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(b) OECD (2003), "The Doha Development Agenda: Welfare Gains from Further Multilateral Liberalization with Respect to Tariffs", Trade Directorate, Working Party of the Trade Committee, Report TD/TC/WP(2003)10/FINAL (June).

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