

## Tamkang University Academic Year 103, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ASIA-PACIFIC SECURITY	Instructor	WANG KAO-CHENG
Course Class	TIPXM1A INTERNATIONAL MASTER'S PROGRAM IN TAIWAN AND ASIA-PACIFIC STUDIES, 1A	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Selective</li> <li>◆ One Semester</li> <li>◆ 2 Credits</li> </ul>
D e p a r t m e n t a l   A i m   o f   E d u c a t i o n			
<p>I. To nurture talented researchers proficient in Taiwan and Asia-Pacific affairs.</p> <p>II. To cultivate professionals specializing in Taiwan and Asia-Pacific affairs.</p>			
D e p a r t m e n t a l   c o r e   c o m p e t e n c e s			
<p>A. Empower students with basic academic skills.</p> <p>B. Promote understanding of basic theories of international relations.</p> <p>C. Bolster independent thinking and judgment.</p> <p>D. Develop a comprehensive understanding of Taiwan affairs.</p> <p>E. Cultivate a heightened awareness of Asian affairs.</p> <p>F. Ensure advanced knowledge of the political transition process in Taiwan and Asian democracies.</p> <p>G. Provide comprehensive understanding of cross-strait relations and Asian security.</p> <p>H. Foster appreciation for Taiwan and Asia-Pacific economic development.</p>			
Course Introduction	<p>This course is to introduce the security situation in Asia-Pacific including the major states' security strategies and important security issues.</p>		

**The Relevance among Teaching Objectives, Objective Levels and Departmental core competences**

I.Objective Levels (select applicable ones) :

- (i) Cognitive Domain : C1-Remembering, C2-Understanding, C3-Applying,  
C4-Analyzing, C5-Evaluating, C6-Creating
- (ii) Psychomotor Domain : P1-Imitation, P2-Mechanism, P3-Independent Operation,  
P4-Linked Operation, P5-Automation, P6-Origination
- (iii) Affective Domain : A1-Receiving, A2-Responding, A3-Valuing,  
A4-Organizing, A5-Charaterizing, A6-Implementing

II.The Relevance among Teaching Objectives, Objective Levels and Departmental core competences :

- (i) Determine the objective level(s) in any one of the three learning domains (cognitive, psychomotor, and affective) corresponding to the teaching objective. Each objective should correspond to the objective level(s) of ONLY ONE of the three domains.
- (ii) If more than one objective levels are applicable for each learning domain, select the highest one only. (For example, if the objective levels for Cognitive Domain include C3,C5,and C6, select C6 only and fill it in the boxes below. The same rule applies to Psychomotor Domain and Affective Domain.)
- (iii) Determine the Departmental core competences that correspond to each teaching objective. Each objective may correspond to one or more Departmental core competences at a time. (For example, if one objective corresponds to three Departmental core competences: A,AD, and BEF, list all of the three in the box.)

No.	Teaching Objectives	Relevance	
		Objective Levels	Departmental core competences
1	Enable the students to understand the current security situation in the Asia-Pacific region.	C4	ABCDE

**Teaching Objectives, Teaching Methods and Assessment**

No.	Teaching Objectives	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	Enable the students to understand the current security situation in the Asia-Pacific region.	Lecture, Discussion	Report, Participation

This course has been designed to cultivate the following essential qualities in TKU students

Essential Qualities of TKU Students	Description
◆ A global perspective	Helping students develop a broader perspective from which to understand international affairs and global development.
◇ Information literacy	Becoming adept at using information technology and learning the proper way to process information.
◆ A vision for the future	Understanding self-growth, social change, and technological development so as to gain the skills necessary to bring about one's future vision.
◇ Moral integrity	Learning how to interact with others, practicing empathy and caring for others, and constructing moral principles with which to solve ethical problems.
◆ Independent thinking	Encouraging students to keenly observe and seek out the source of their problems, and to think logically and critically.
◇ A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle	Raising an awareness of the fine balance between one's body and soul and the environment; helping students live a meaningful life.
◇ A spirit of teamwork and dedication	Improving one's ability to communicate and cooperate so as to integrate resources, collaborate with others, and solve problems.
◇ A sense of aesthetic appreciation	Equipping students with the ability to sense and appreciate aesthetic beauty, to express themselves clearly, and to enjoy the creative process.

#### Course Schedule

Week	Date	Subject/Topics	Note
1	104/02/24 ~ 104/03/01	Introduction	
2	104/03/02 ~ 104/03/08	The Asia-Pacific Security Environment	
3	104/03/09 ~ 104/03/15	Information gathering training	
4	104/03/16 ~ 104/03/22	The U. S. Asia-Pacific Security Strategy I	
5	104/03/23 ~ 104/03/29	The U. S. Asia-Pacific Security Strategy II	
6	104/03/30 ~ 104/04/05	spring break	
7	104/04/06 ~ 104/04/12	The U. S. Asia-Pacific Security Strategy III	
8	104/04/13 ~ 104/04/19	China' s Asia-Pacific Security Strategy I	
9	104/04/20 ~ 104/04/26	China' s Asia-Pacific Security Strategy II	
10	104/04/27 ~ 104/05/03	mid-term report	
11	104/05/04 ~ 104/05/10	The Sino- US Relations I	
12	104/05/11 ~ 104/05/17	The Sino- US Relations II	

13	104/05/18 ~ 104/05/24	The Sino- Japan Relations	
14	104/05/25 ~ 104/05/31	The South China Sea Situation	
15	104/06/01 ~ 104/06/07	The Cross-Strait Relations I	
16	104/06/08 ~ 104/06/14	The Cross-Strait Relations II	
17	104/06/15 ~ 104/06/21	Review	
18	104/06/22 ~ 104/06/28	Final Report	
Requirement	participation and discussion		
Teaching Facility	Computer, Projector		
Textbook(s)	David Shambaugh, ed., Power Shift: China and Asia' s New Dynamics (Berkeley : University of California Press, 2005)		
Reference(s)	articles and newspapers on Asia-Pacific security		
Number of Assignment(s)	2 (Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 10.0 %   ◆ Mark of Usual :   %   ◆ Midterm Exam : 30.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 60.0 % ◆ Other < > :   %		
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