Tamkang University Academic Year 108, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ENERGY POLITICS AND DIPLOMACY	Instructor	CHENG CHIN-MO
Course Class	TRDXB3A DEPARTMENT OF DIPLOMACY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 3A	Details	Blended CourseSelectiveOne Semester2 Credits

Departmental Aim of Education

To provide students with an understanding of the major theories in diplomacy & international relations and to equip students with practical skills and help them become outstanding members of the diplomatic and international relations community.

Subject Departmental core competences

- A. Every student will process essential understanding of theories of international relations. (ratio:40.00)
- B. Every student will have primary perception of current international issues.(ratio:20.00)
- C. Every student will become capable of Independent thinking and information processing to further improve international relations.(ratio:20.00)
- D. Every student will process essential knowledge of participation in governmental & non-governmental affairs.(ratio:10.00)
- E. Every student will display high-level competence in English.(ratio:10.00)

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

- 1. A global perspective. (ratio:30.00)
- 2. Information literacy. (ratio:30.00)
- 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)
- 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)

Course Introduction

Energy and politics are intrinsically interlinked. A state's ability to access energy supplies and the ways it uses energy crucially determine the state of its economy, its national security, and the quality and sustainability of its environment. For energy exporters and important energy transit states, energy supply policy is as much a part of the policy arsenal as other economic tools, military power, and diplomatic tactics.

The correspondences between the course's instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives.

Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives.

I. Cognitive: Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc.

II. Affective: Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc.

III.Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.

N	Teaching Objectives	objective methods
	This course provides a broad introduction to the ways in which energy affects domestic and regional political developments and foreign policy. It includes the increasingly important role of natural	Cognitive
	gas and alternative energy sources as well as emerging concerns such as climate change, the global energy divide, and the coordinated international policy-making required to combat them.	

The correspondences of teaching objectives: core competences, essential virtues, teaching methods, and assessment

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCDE	1235	Lecture, Discussion	Testing, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)

Course Schedule

Note for Blended Course: When utilizing weekly digital instruction, please fill in "Online Asynchronous Instruction".

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	108/09/09 ~ 108/09/15	Introduction	
2	108/09/16 ~ 108/09/22	The Nexus Between Energy and Politics	
3	108/09/23 ~ 108/09/29	Energy in International Relations and Political Science	
4	108/09/30 ~ 108/10/06	Energy and Regime Type	
5	108/10/07 ~ 108/10/13	The Political Regimes of Energy Exporters	
6	108/10/14 ~ 108/10/20	The Democracy Deficit and the Energy Exporters of the Former Soviet Union	Online Asynchronous Instruction
7	108/10/21 ~ 108/10/27	Energy and Foreign Policy	
8	108/10/28 ~ 108/11/03	The Gas Weapon	

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9	108/11/04 ~ 108/11/10	Lessons for Energy Security	
10	108/11/11 ~ 108/11/17	Midterm Exam Week	
11	108/11/18 ~ 108/11/24	Pipeline Stories	Online Asynchronous Instruction
12 108/11/25 ~ 108/12/01		Landlocked States: Multi-state Energy Transport Projects	
13 108/12/02 ~ 108/12/08		Case Studies of Two Pipelines	
14	108/12/09 ~ 108/12/15	Energy and International Conflict	
15	108/12/16 ~ 108/12/22	Energy and International Security	
16	108/12/23 ~ 108/12/29	Energy and Climate Change	
17	108/12/30 ~ 109/01/05	Oil & US Dollars	Online Asynchronous Instruction
18	109/01/06 ~ 109/01/12	Final Exam Week (Date:109/1/3-109/1/9)	
Requirement		The prerequisites subjects of this course are Politics I, II and International Relations. Students are supposed to equipped with those basic professional knowledge before considering to take this course. Absent without leave is strictly not allowed. Sickness with document, business, or something accepted would only be permitted when students apply asking off from the University.	
Teaching Facility Computer, Projector		Computer, Projector	
Textbooks and Teaching Materials		Shaffer, Brenda. (2009) . Energy Politics. Philadelphia : University of Pennsylvania Press.	
References		Paul Kemezis and Ernest J. Wilson III. (1984). The Decade of Energy Policy: Policy Analysis in Oil-Importing Countries. New York: Praeger. Bohi, Douglas R. and Montgomery, W. David (1982). Oil Prices, Energy Security, and Import Policy. Washington, DC.: Resources for the Future.	
Number of Assignment(s)		(Filled in by assignment instructor only)	
Grading Policy		 ◆ Attendance: 30.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual: 10.0 % ◆ Midterm Exam: 20.0 % ◆ Final Exam: % ◆ Other ⟨Final Report⟩: 40.0 % 	

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Note	3. According to the regulations of Tamkang University Enforcement Rules for digital teaching, Paragraph 2 and Article 3, the distance learning course of our school must be "The course of digital teaching with distance learning platform or synchronous video system in our school. Teaching Hours include course lectures, teacher-student interaction discussions, quizzes and other learning activities."
	4. If there are any temporary course changes (including time changes and classroom changes of distance learning courses, blended courses), please make out an application according to regulations to the Office of Academic Affairs.
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