

## Tamkang University Academic Year 108, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	TOPICS ON INTERNATIONAL TRENDS	Instructor	HUANG,ALEXANDER C.
Course Class	TRTXD1A DOCTORAL PROGRAM, GRADUATE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AND STRATEGIC STUDIES, 1A	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Blended Course</li> <li>◆ Selective</li> <li>◆ One Semester</li> <li>◆ 3 Credits</li> </ul>
Departmental Aim of Education			
<p>I. Familiar with the use of the theory and practice of International Relations and Strategic Studies.</p> <p>II. Familiar with the development of the current international and cross-strait situation.</p> <p>III. Independent writing and presentation of the academic and policy analysis.</p> <p>IV. Independent teaching of International Affairs and Strategic related courses.</p>			
Subject Departmental core competences			
<p>A. The ability of analysis, evaluating and prediction of international situation.(ratio:25.00)</p> <p>B. The ability of analysis, evaluating and prediction of international strategic situation. (ratio:25.00)</p> <p>C. The ability of comparison and analysis of major national defense policy and military strategy.(ratio:25.00)</p> <p>D. The ability of analysis and planning of major states' foreign policy.(ratio:25.00)</p>			
Subject Schoolwide essential virtues			
<p>1. A global perspective. (ratio:40.00)</p> <p>3. A vision for the future. (ratio:30.00)</p> <p>5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)</p>			
Course Introduction	<p>This course is offered to provide graduate students with new and important concepts and thoughts related to future strategic studies, and foreign &amp; defense policy issues in the 21st century. Government documents, journal articles, academic papers, and policy statements are put into categories to guide students to better inquiry in the field.</p>		

**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.

No.	Teaching Objectives	objective methods
1	Evolution of strategic concepts	Cognitive
2	The rise of populism and beyond	Cognitive
3	New geopolitical landscape	Cognitive
4	The global commons	Cognitive
5	US-Russia-China triangle revisited	Cognitive
6	Modern warfare and technologies	Cognitive
7	Economic, trade and currency wars	Cognitive
8	Humanity and globalism	Cognitive

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

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
2	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
3	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
4	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
5	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)

6	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
7	ABCD	135	Discussion	Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
8	ABCD	135	Discussion	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	Evolution of strategic concepts	
3	108/09/23 ~ 108/09/29	Populism in Europe and United States	
4	108/09/30 ~ 108/10/06	Populism in Asia	
5	108/10/07 ~ 108/10/13	Russia' s geopolitical dilemma	Online Asynchronous Instruction
6	108/10/14 ~ 108/10/20	China' s one belt one road	
7	108/10/21 ~ 108/10/27	Maritime common	Online Asynchronous Instruction
8	108/10/28 ~ 108/11/03	Aerospace common	
9	108/11/04 ~ 108/11/10	Cyberspace common	
10	108/11/11 ~ 108/11/17	Midterm Exam Week	
11	108/11/18 ~ 108/11/24	US-Russia-China triangle in the Cold War era	
12	108/11/25 ~ 108/12/01	US-Russia-China triangle in the 21st century	
13	108/12/02 ~ 108/12/08	Modern warfare and technologies	Online Asynchronous Instruction
14	108/12/09 ~ 108/12/15	Economic, trade and currency wars	
15	108/12/16 ~ 108/12/22	Humanity and globalism	Online Asynchronous Instruction
16	108/12/23 ~ 108/12/29	Concluding presentations	
17	108/12/30 ~ 109/01/05	Wrap-up	

18	109/01/06~ 109/01/12	Final Exam Week	
Requirement			
Teaching Facility	Computer, Projector, Other (Personal Facebook account)		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	This syllabus may be uploaded at the website of Course Syllabus Management System at <a href="http://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp">http://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp</a> TKU Office of Academic Affairs at <a href="http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/index.asp">http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/index.asp</a> .		
References			
Number of Assignment(s)	(Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance :           %   ◆ Mark of Usual : 30.0 %   ◆ Midterm Exam : 40.0 % ◆ Final Exam :   30.0 % ◆ Other <    > :           %		
Note	1. This syllabus may be uploaded at the website of the Course Syllabus Management System at <a href="https://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp">https://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp</a> or through the link of the Course Syllabus Upload posted on the home page of the TKU Office of Academic Affairs <a href="http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/CS/main.php">http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/CS/main.php</a> 2. According to the Implementation regulations of distance education for junior college and above are prescribed pursuant to Article 2, "The distance learning course referred to in these Measures refers to more than one-half of the teaching hours in each subject." 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. <b>※ Unauthorized photocopying is illegal. Using original textbooks is advised. It is a crime to improperly photocopy others' publications.</b>		