

Tamkang University Academic Year 109, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	POLITICAL SYSTEM OF TAIWAN	Instructor	YU, YA-WEN
Course Class	TRDXB3A DEPARTMENT OF DIPLOMACY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 3A	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ General Course ◆ Selective ◆ One Semester
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			
<p>A. Every student will process essential understanding of theories of international relations. (ratio:10.00)</p> <p>B. Every student will have primary perception of current international issues.(ratio:20.00)</p> <p>C. Every student will become capable of Independent thinking and information processing to further improve international relations.(ratio:20.00)</p> <p>D. Every student will process essential knowledge of participation in governmental & non-governmental affairs.(ratio:40.00)</p> <p>E. Every student will display high-level competence in English.(ratio:10.00)</p>			
Subject Schoolwide essential virtues			
<p>1. A global perspective. (ratio:30.00)</p> <p>2. Information literacy. (ratio:30.00)</p> <p>3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)</p> <p>5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)</p>			
Course Introduction	The content of this course includes the introduction to Taiwanese politics and cross-strait relations; Taiwan' s governmental systems from the martial law period to democratization era; nation building and competing for national identities, and party politics and electoral politics under Democracy.		

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	Students are expected to obtain a basic understanding about political system of Taiwan by the end of this semester, and will be able to apply analytical frameworks, use political science concepts, and collect data sources to discuss the current major issues, problems, challenges facing Taiwanese government and politics.	Cognitive

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

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	109/09/14 ~ 109/09/20	Introduction	
2	109/09/21 ~ 109/09/27	History of Taiwan	
3	109/09/28 ~ 109/10/04	Authoritarian rule: the politics of Martial Law Taiwan and its cold war external relations	
4	109/10/05 ~ 109/10/11	Democratization in Taiwan	
5	109/10/12 ~ 109/10/18	Taiwan Politics Movie	
6	109/10/19 ~ 109/10/25	Taiwanese governments and political parties	
7	109/10/26 ~ 109/11/01	Taiwanese governments and political parties (2)	
8	109/11/02 ~ 109/11/08	National building and competing national identities	

9	109/11/09 ~ 109/11/15	Midterm Exam; National building and competing national identities (2)	
10	109/11/16 ~ 109/11/22	Midterm Exam Week	
11	109/11/23 ~ 109/11/29	Taiwan' s external relations after democratization: cross-strait relations	
12	109/11/30 ~ 109/12/06	Taiwan Politics Movie	
13	109/12/07 ~ 109/12/13	Electoral politics and voting behavior	
14	109/12/14 ~ 109/12/20	Electoral politics and voting behavior (2)	
15	109/12/21 ~ 109/12/27	Political corruption under democracy and social movements	
16	109/12/28 ~ 110/01/03	Presentations	
17	110/01/04 ~ 110/01/10	Final Exam	
18	110/01/11 ~ 110/01/17	Final Exam Week	
Requirement			
Teaching Facility	Computer		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Dafydd Fell (2011). Government and Politics in Taiwan (London: Routledge)		
References			
Number of Assignment(s)	(Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 10.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 30.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 30.0 % ◆ Other 〈Presentation〉 : 30.0 %		
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