## Tamkang University Academic Year 109, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

| Course Title         | MULTIFACETED SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF TAIWAN   | Instructor | CHEN HSINCHIH   |
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| Course Class         | TRDXB3A  DEPARTMENT OF DIPLOMACY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 3A | Details    | <ul><li>◆ General Course</li><li>◆ Selective</li><li>◆ One Semester</li></ul> |
| Relevance<br>to SDGs | SDG3 Good health and well-being for people SDG10 Reducing inequalities                    |            |   |

### 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

- B. Every student will have primary perception of current international issues.(ratio:30.00)
- C. Every student will become capable of Independent thinking and information processing to further improve international relations.(ratio:40.00)
- D. Every student will process essential knowledge of participation in governmental & non-governmental affairs.(ratio:30.00)

#### Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

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

## Course Introduction

The goal of this course is to help students get a better understanding on how an individual well-being is shaped by the contemporary social arrangement, the historical background of the arrangement, and thus, what collected efforts can be done to improve our well-being. This course is composed of 3 parts including introducing some theoretical frameworks to study the subject of social development, some important issues for the social development of Taiwan, and how to conduct a well-being study.

# 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   | introducing some theories and concepts related to the issue of social development | Cognitive         |
| 2   | Finding out the well-being of students in TKU campus                              | Affective         |
| 3   | Introducing the social development of Taiwan for the past several decades         | Affective         |

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

| No. | Core Competences | Essential Virtues | Teaching Methods    | Assessment  |
|-----|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---|
| 1   | BCD              | 1235              | Lecture, Discussion | Testing, Discussion(including classroom and online)   |
| 2   | BCD              | 1235              | Lecture, Discussion | Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written) |
| 3   | BCD              | 1235              | Lecture, Discussion | Discussion(including<br>classroom and online),<br>Report(including oral and<br>written)           |

| /eek | Date                     | Course Contents  | Note                               |  |  |
|------|--------------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1    | 110/02/22 ~<br>110/02/28 | A brief introduction about the course  |                                    |  |  |
| 2    | 110/03/01 ~<br>110/03/07 | Part 1: Relationship between individuals and society: Socialization  |                                    |  |  |
| 3    | 110/03/08 ~<br>110/03/14 | Micro-level and Macro-level studies //What is well-being?  |                                    |  |  |
| 4    | 110/03/15 ~<br>110/03/21 | Part 2: What is social development?//How to conduct a research?  | turn in the group name             |  |  |
| 5    | 110/03/22 ~<br>110/03/28 | the history of social development // Design a questionnaire1   | Start the well-being group project |  |  |
| 6    | 110/03/29 ~<br>110/04/04 | holiday  |                                    |  |  |
| 7    | 110/04/05 ~<br>110/04/11 | defining the social development // Design a questionnaire2   |                                    |  |  |
| 8    | 110/04/12 ~<br>110/04/18 | Theories of social change // Design a questionnaire3   |                                    |  |  |
| 9    | 110/04/19 ~<br>110/04/25 | Part 3:Social development of Taiwan Population and brief history of Taiwan // Finalizing the questionnaire wording |                                    |  |  |
| 10   | 110/04/26 ~<br>110/05/02 | Midterm Exam Week  |                                    |  |  |
| 11   | 110/05/03 ~<br>110/05/09 | Ethnic groups & New residents // Statistics needed for the project   | Send out the questionnaires        |  |  |
| 12   | 110/05/10 ~<br>110/05/16 | Demographic aging // Introducing statistics package  |                                    |  |  |
| 13   | 110/05/17 ~<br>110/05/23 | Data entry & Data analysis,  | Go to the special computer room    |  |  |
| 14   | 110/05/24 ~<br>110/05/30 | Group oral presentation Well-being project, each group 6 min. presentation   | each group 6 min.<br>presentation  |  |  |
| 15   | 110/05/31 ~<br>110/06/06 | Family and marriage //Foreign workers & foreign domestic helpers   |                                    |  |  |
| 16   | 110/06/07 ~<br>110/06/13 | Pollution & health (or environmental issues)   |                                    |  |  |
| 17   | 110/06/14 ~<br>110/06/20 | Conclusion   | Turn in the social issue paper     |  |  |
| 18   | 110/06/21 ~<br>110/06/27 | Final Exam Week  |                                    |  |  |

| Requirement  | well-being project 30% social issue project 25% personal thoughts 25%  |  |  |
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| Teaching Facility  | Computer, Projector  |  |  |
| the teacher will prepare the hand-out material for each class.  Teaching Materials  the teacher will prepare the hand-out material for each class. |  |  |  |
| References   | Midgley, James 2014. Social development: Theory & Practice. London: Sage Publications.  Hemerijck, Anto 2013. Changing Welfare States. Oxford: Oxford University Press.  Noble, Trevor 2000. Social theory and Social Change. New York: St Martin's Press.   |  |  |
| Number of<br>Assignment(s)   | 2 (Filled in by assignment instructor only)  |  |  |
| Grading<br>Policy  | <ul> <li>◆ Attendance: % ◆ Mark of Usual: % ◆ Midterm Exam: 20.0 %</li> <li>◆ Final Exam: %</li> <li>◆ Other ⟨group projects &amp;⟩: 80.0 %</li> </ul>   |  |  |
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