Tamkang University Academic Year 110, 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	Blended CourseSelectiveOne Semester3 Credits
Relevance to SDGs	SDG9 Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure		

Departmental Aim of Education

- I . Familiar with the use of the theory and practice of International Relations and Strategic Studies.
- II. Familiar with the development of the current international and cross-strait situation.
- III. Independent writing and presentation of the academic and policy analysis.
- IV. Independent teaching of International Affairs and Strategic related courses.

Subject Departmental core competences

- A. The ability of analysis, evaluating and prediction of international situation.(ratio:25.00)
- B. The ability of analysis, evaluating and prediction of international strategic situation. (ratio:25.00)
- C. The ability of comparison and analysis of major national defense policy and military strategy.(ratio:25.00)
- D. The ability of analysis and planning of major states' foreign policy.(ratio:25.00)

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

- 1. A global perspective. (ratio:40.00)
- 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:30.00)
- 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)

Course Introduction

This course is offered to provide graduate students with new and important concepts and thoughts related to future strategic studies, and foreign & 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.

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	AB	5	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	BC	3	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	ACD	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".

Date	Course Contents	Note
110/09/22 ~ 110/09/28	Introduction 課程說明	
110/09/29 ~ 110/10/05	Evolution of strategic concepts 戰略概念演進	
110/10/06 ~ 110/10/12	Populism in Europe and United States 歐美民粹主義	
110/10/13 ~ 110/10/19	Populism in Asia 亞洲民粹主義	Online Asynchronous Instruction
110/10/20 ~ 110/10/26	Russia's geopolitical dilemma 俄羅斯地緣困境	
110/10/27 ~ 110/11/02	China's one belt one road 中國一帶一路計畫	
110/11/03 ~ 110/11/09	Maritime common 海洋公域	Online Asynchronous Instruction
110/11/10 ~ 110/11/16	Aerospace common 空間公域	
110/11/17 ~ 110/11/23	Cyberspace common 網路公域	
110/11/24 ~ 110/11/30	Midterm Exam Week 期中考試週	
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11	110/12/01 ~ 110/12/07	US-Russia-China triangle in the Cold War era 冷戰時期美蘇中三角		
12	110/12/08 ~ 110/12/14	US-Russia-China triangle in the 21st century 21世紀美俄 中三角		
13	110/12/15 ~ 110/12/21	Modern warfare and technologies 現代戰爭與技術	Online Asynchronous Instruction	
14	110/12/22 ~ 110/12/28	Economic, trade and currency wars 經貿與貨幣戰		
15	110/12/29 ~ 111/01/04	Humanity and globalism 人道與全球主義	Online Asynchronous Instruction	
16	111/01/05 ~ 111/01/11	Concluding presentations 期末課堂報告		
17	111/01/12 ~ 111/01/18	Wrap-up 課程總結		
18	111/01/19 ~ 111/01/25	Final Exam Week 期末考時週		
Re	equirement			
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 http://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp TKU Office of Academic Affairs at http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/index.asp.		
References				
Number of Assignment(s)		(Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy		 ↑ Attendance: %		

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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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