

Tamkang University Academic Year 110, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	FUTURES STUDIES IN ENVIRONMENT	Instructor	AI, CHI-HAN
Course Class	TNURB0F FUTURES STUDIES, 0F	Details	◆ General Course ◆ Required ◆ One Semester
Relevance to SDGs	SDG6 Clean water and sanitation SDG11 Sustainable cities and communities SDG12 Responsible consumption and production		
D e p a r t m e n t a l A i m o f E d u c a t i o n			
I . To introduce basic knowledge on futures studies. II. To raise awareness and to foster positive attitude towards the future of humanities. III. To cultivate critical thinking skills with a foresight perspective. IV. To cultivate the ability to explore futures issues with interdisciplinary perspectives. V . To develop skills for spotting emerging issues.			
Subject Schoolwide essential virtues			
1. A global perspective. (ratio:25.00) 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:50.00) 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:25.00)			
Course Introduction	Environmental pollution and ecological destroy are increasingly severe. All the countries are paying more attention to environmental and ecological protection. The concept of ‘sustainable development’ has deeply taken root into people’ s mind. Therefore, in this course, we will thematically discuss ecology, population, food and water resources, minerals and energy, air, water environment and waste, transportation, natural resources, regional environment, noise, etc..so as to arouse the students' consciousness upon the green earth.		

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	Through this course, the student will understand and become familiar with the following themes: ecology, population, food and water resources etc.	Cognitive
2	We will discuss about the following points: 1. Why these themes are important? 2. When these themes become important, their past, present and future? 3. What need to do when we know all these themes? 4. What kind of moves that other countries have adopted upon these environmental related themes?	Cognitive

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

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1		135	Lecture, Discussion, Publication	Testing, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
2		135	Lecture, Discussion, Publication	Testing, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)

Course Schedule

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	111/02/21 ~ 111/02/25	Introduction	
2	111/02/28 ~ 111/03/04	Grouping	
3	111/03/07 ~ 111/03/11	Grouping	
4	111/03/14 ~ 111/03/18	Population	

5	111/03/21 ~ 111/03/25	Ecology	
6	111/03/28 ~ 111/04/01	Mineral and Energy	
7	111/04/04 ~ 111/04/08	Food and Water	
8	111/04/11 ~ 111/04/15	Air	
9	111/04/18 ~ 111/04/22	Review	
10	111/04/25 ~ 111/04/29	Midterm Exam Week	
11	111/05/02 ~ 111/05/06	Water Environment and Waste	
12	111/05/09 ~ 111/05/13	Transportation	
13	111/05/16 ~ 111/05/20	Natural Resources	
14	111/05/23 ~ 111/05/27	Regional Environment	
15	111/05/30 ~ 111/06/03	Noise	
16	111/06/06 ~ 111/06/10	Coal	
17	111/06/13 ~ 111/06/17	Review	
18	111/06/20 ~ 111/06/24	Final Exam Week	
Requirement	In this course, the students need to report upon future environment related topics. The presentation should include the following elements: 1. Why is this topic important? 2. When does this topic become important? past, present and future 3. What measures need to be taken? 4. What kind of measures have other countries taken? 5. What kind of measures have Taiwan taken? 6. In order to solve the problem, what will you propose? There will be no midterm exam, nor final exam. Student's grades will be formed in several ways: 1. Attendance 2. Classroom assignments 3. Midterm report (personal report - case study) 4. Presentation 5. Final report (personal report - case study)		
Teaching Facility	Computer, Projector		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Teaching materials will be found on iclass		
References			

Number of Assignment(s)	2 (Filled in by assignment instructor only)
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 20.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 20.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 20.0 % ◆ Other 〈Theme analysis〉 : 40.0 %
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