

Tamkang University Academic Year 111, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	CROSS-TAIWAN STRAIT RELATIONS	Instructor	
Course Class	TRDXB4A DEPARTMENT OF DIPLOMACY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 4A	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ General Course ◆ Selective ◆ One Semester
Relevance to SDGs	SDG16 Peace, justice and strong institutions		
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:30.00)</p> <p>B. Every student will have primary perception of current international issues.(ratio:30.00)</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:10.00)</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:25.00)</p> <p>2. Information literacy. (ratio:10.00)</p> <p>3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)</p> <p>4. Moral integrity. (ratio:5.00)</p> <p>5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)</p> <p>6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:5.00)</p> <p>7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:10.00)</p> <p>8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:5.00)</p>			

Course Introduction	<p>This course examines the relationship between Taiwan and China, focusing on the fundamental role of Taiwan's evolving national identity in shaping its political policy while facing a serious military threat from China. We will then examine the history of cross-Strait relations emphasizing the linkage between identity and political policy in Taiwan. Meanwhile, the US has a strong connection with cross strait relations, therefore, the triangle relationship among the three parties is a issue which is inevitably be discussed in this course.</p>
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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	To understand cross-Strait relations through past, present and future perspectives	Cognitive

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

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCDE	12345678	Lecture, Discussion	Report(including oral and written)

Course Schedule

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	111/09/05 ~ 111/09/11	Introduction, Expectation, Requirement	
2	111/09/12 ~ 111/09/18	Looking Back: History Review	
3	111/09/19 ~ 111/09/25	The Chinese economic reform -- reform and opening-up	
4	111/09/26 ~ 111/10/02	First touch : the consensus of 1992	
5	111/10/03 ~ 111/10/09	Taiwan's National Identity and Nationalism	

6	111/10/10 ~ 111/10/16	China's action against Taiwan's democracy : the PLA missile tests of 1995-96	
7	111/10/17 ~ 111/10/23	Taiwan Relations Act and Three Joint Communiqués	
8	111/10/24 ~ 111/10/30	US's strategic ambiguity policy	
9	111/10/31 ~ 111/11/06	US arms sale to Taiwan	
10	111/11/07 ~ 111/11/13	Midterm Exam Week	
11	111/11/14 ~ 111/11/20	US-China-Taiwan Triangle Relations	
12	111/11/21 ~ 111/11/27	The transition of Taiwan's defense policy	
13	111/11/28 ~ 111/12/04	China's military reform	
14	111/12/05 ~ 111/12/11	China's gray zone operations	
15	111/12/12 ~ 111/12/18	The possible scenarios of China's invasion of Taiwan	
16	111/12/19 ~ 111/12/25	The competition between US and China since Trump administration	
17	111/12/26 ~ 112/01/01	The US- China relationship in Biden's administration	
18	112/01/02 ~ 112/01/08	Final Exam Week	
Requirement	According to school regulation, if a student' s class absence reaches one-third of the total class hours (in a semester) for a particular course, the course instructor will notify the Office of Academic Affairs, and the student will not be allowed to take part in the remaining course examinations and will receive a semester grade (for that course) of zero.		
Teaching Facility	Computer, Projector		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Reading material will be announced accordingly throughout the semester.		
References	Additional reading list will be made available throughout the semester.		
Number of Assignment(s)	(Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 20.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 40.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 40.0 % ◆ Other < > : %		

Note	<p>This syllabus may be uploaded at the website of Course Syllabus Management System at http://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp or through the link of Course Syllabus Upload posted on the home page of TKU Office of Academic Affairs at http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/CS/main.php .</p> <p>※ Unauthorized photocopying is illegal. Using original textbooks is advised. It is a crime to improperly photocopy others' publications.</p>
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