

## Tamkang University Academic Year 113, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	U.S.-SINO RELATIONS	Instructor	FRANCES LEE
Course Class	TRDXB2A DEPARTMENT OF DIPLOMACY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 2A	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ General Course</li> <li>◆ Selective</li> <li>◆ One Semester</li> <li>◆ 2 Credits</li> </ul>
Relevance to SDGs	SDG6 Clean water and sanitation SDG7 Affordable and clean energy SDG11 Sustainable cities and communities SDG13 Climate action		
<b>Departmental Aim of Education</b>			
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.			
<b>Subject Departmental core competences</b>			
A. Every student will process essential understanding of theories of international relations. (ratio:20.00) 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:30.00) D. Every student will process essential knowledge of participation in governmental & non-governmental affairs.(ratio:10.00) E. Every student will display high-level competence in English.(ratio:10.00)			
<b>Subject Schoolwide essential virtues</b>			
1. A global perspective. (ratio:20.00) 2. Information literacy. (ratio:20.00) 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00) 4. Moral integrity. (ratio:5.00) 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00) 6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:5.00) 7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:5.00) 8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:5.00)			

<b>Course Introduction</b>	<p>This course aims at providing in-depth perspectives on critical development and offering pragmatic policy analysis on the relations between the Republic of China(Taiwan) and the United States from 1949 to the present.</p> <p>The course highlights efforts made by the ROC(Taiwan) Government and its People to navigate the complex international environments and places its focus on national strength building so as to consolidate the standing in Asia and the world through our New Southbound Policy, coordinating with US Indo-Pacific Strategy, coping with the pressure from PRC's Belt and Road Initiative</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 equip the students with the background knowledge and critical capability to analyze current issues independently in Asia and the world.	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	Testing, Report(including oral and written)

**Course Schedule**

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	113/09/09 ~ 113/09/15	Orientation and introduction	
2	113/09/16 ~ 113/09/22	Main international relations theories from the diplomatic perspectives	
3	113/09/23 ~ 113/09/29	Part One: ROC(Taiwan) and US bilateral relations: US containment policy and ROC(Taiwan) withdrawal from the United Nations(1949-1971)	

4	113/09/30 ~ 113/10/06	US switched diplomatic ties from ROC(Taiwan) to PRC(1972-1979)	
5	113/10/07 ~ 113/10/13	US' Taiwan Relations Act and its Six Assurances to Taiwan(1980-1991)	
6	113/10/14 ~ 113/10/20	US first Taiwan Policy Review in 1994 and President Lee Teng-hui visited the US(1992-2000) after post-Cold War	
7	113/10/21 ~ 113/10/27	US' War on Terror and its relations with ROC(Taiwan) under President Bush,Jr, (2001-2008)	
8	113/10/28 ~ 113/11/03	US' Pivot to Asia policy and Indo-Pacific Strategy and its relations with ROC(Taiwan) (2009-2024)	
9	113/11/04 ~ 113/11/10	Midterm Exam Week(presentation of term papers)	
10	113/11/11 ~ 113/11/17	Part Two: Relations among ROC(Taiwan), US, and PRC: ROC(Taiwan) New Southbound Policy	
11	113/11/18 ~ 113/11/24	US Indo-Pacific Strategy,QUAD, and AUKUS	
12	113/11/25 ~ 113/12/01	PRC's Belt and Road Initiative	
13	113/12/02 ~ 113/12/08	Primary Concepts and Strategies of Geopolitics Analysis	
14	113/12/09 ~ 113/12/15	Major powers' political competition in Northeast Asia via geopolitical perspectives	
15	113/12/16 ~ 113/12/22	Major powers' political competition in South Asia via geopolitical perspectives	
16	113/12/23 ~ 113/12/29	Major powers' political competition in Southeast Asia via geopolitical perspectives	
17	113/12/30 ~ 114/01/05	Final Exam Week	
18	114/01/06 ~ 114/01/12	Conclusion: ROC(Taiwan)'s value-sharing and rock-solid relations with US and its decision to be a responsible stakeholder in the world will continue to strengthen	
Key capabilities		self-directed learning Humanistic Caring Problem solving Interdisciplinary	
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Distinctive teaching	
Course Content	Logical Thinking
Requirement	
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Self-made teaching materials:Textbooks, Presentations Using teaching materials from other writers:Presentations
References	
Grading Policy	<p>◆ Attendance : 40.0 %    ◆ Mark of Usual :        %    ◆ Midterm Exam : 30.0 %</p> <p>◆ Final Exam : 30.0 %</p> <p>◆ Other ( ) :        %</p>
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