Tamkang University Academic Year 114, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	GLOBAL GOVERNANCE	Instructor	RUDAKOWSKA, ANNA
Course Class	TRUXB4A DEPARTMENT OF GLOBAL POLITICS AND ECONOMICS (ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAM), 4A	Details	Blended CourseSelectiveOne Semester2 Credits
Relevance to SDGs	SDG4 Quality education		

Departmental Aim of Education

To be equipped with a basic knowledge of economics and political science, to develop confidence in communicating professionally and academically in English in matters related to the global political economy; to acquire the capability to conduct further research individually and collectively with others; and ultimately to prepare oneself to become professionals and leaders with a global perspective for the international arena.

Subject Departmental core competences

- A. Provide essential analytical abilities in the area of politics and economics(ratio:20.00)
- B. Provide knowledge and skills to understand the current global issues(ratio:20.00)
- C. Develop a high level of proficiency in verbal and written English required in the course of study and for communication purposes(ratio:20.00)
- D. Develop ability to pursue research independently as well as in teams(ratio:20.00)
- E. Provide basic knowledge on Taiwan's political and economic development(ratio:20.00)

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

- 1. A global perspective. (ratio:15.00)
- 2. Information literacy. (ratio:10.00)
- 3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)
- 4. Moral integrity. (ratio:10.00)
- 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:15.00)
- 6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:10.00)
- 7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:15.00)
- 8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:15.00)

Course Introduction

The course has two main objectives: first, to equip students with a foundational understanding of how global governance operates and evolves; and second, to analyze how these mechanisms impact the participation of Taiwan's non-state actors (NSAs) in the international arena.

A distinctive feature of this course is its emphasis on student agency. Students will have the opportunity to select a non-state actor of their choice and define their own learning focus, fostering deeper engagement and independent inquiry into real-world global governance challenges.

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 the background of global/transnational governance, its causes, and related problems, how and why the non-state actors are important, and the role, contribution and limitations of Taiwanese actors in global affairs.	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, Publication	Testing, Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation

Course Schedule

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	114/09/15 ~ 114/09/21	Introduction to the course: goals, expectations and grading policy.	

2	114/09/22 ~ 114/09/28	What are global problems? What are the international regimes? Who are global actors? How can we categorize them? What are non-state actors (NSAs)? How are they involved in global and transnational governance? How is their involvement limited?	
3	114/09/29 ~ 114/10/05	How can we categorize NSAs (regime, level, relationship to the central government) What are Taiwan's international state and non-state actors?	
4	114/10/06 ~ 114/10/12	'Online Asynchronous Instruction' (no in-person class, instead students should watch a video): Different areas of global governance: health, human rights, the environmental protection	'Online Asynchronous Instruction'
5	114/10/13 ~ 114/10/19	Taiwan's participation in various areas of global governance	
6	114/10/20 ~ 114/10/26	Taiwanese NSAs in global and transnational governance - E-book project	
7	114/10/27 ~ 114/11/02	Guest speaker	
8	114/11/03 ~ 114/11/09	Midterm Presentations	
9	114/11/10 ~ 114/11/16	Midterm Exam/Midterm Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)	
10	114/11/17 ~ 114/11/23	Sources of power and connections made by the selected NSAs	
11	114/11/24 ~ 114/11/30	1.'Online Asynchronous Instruction': Data collection methods, interviews; 2. Time for students' interviews and data collection	'Online Asynchronous Instruction'
12	114/12/01 ~ 114/12/07	Discussion on final presentations	
13	114/12/08 ~ 114/12/14	Guest speaker	
14	114/12/15 ~ 114/12/21	Non-state actors - summary, controversies, problems.	
15	114/12/22 ~ 114/12/28	Graduate Exam/Graduate Assessment Week: Final Presentations Part I	
16	114/12/29 ~ 115/01/04	Final Week of Diverse Assessments: presentations Part II	
17	115/01/05 ~ 115/01/11	No in-person class, Assignment	
18	115/01/12 ~ 115/01/18	No class	

Key capabilities	self-directed learning International mobility Information Technology Problem solving
Interdisciplinary	In addition to teaching content of the teacher's professional field, integrate other subjects or invite experts and scholars in other fields to share knowledge or teaching
Distinctive teaching	Blended learning
Course Content	Logical Thinking
Requirement	Attendance is not the same as participation. Participation (mark of usual) is when you contribute to the class by answering or asking questions. Attendance is when you come to the class.
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Self-made teaching materials:Presentations, Handouts, Videos, Worksheets Using teaching materials from other writers:Textbooks, Journal Articles
References	D. Pendery (2022) Taiwan and Transnational Governance, in: D. Pendery, Transnational Taiwan, Palgrave Macmillan.
Grading Policy	 ↑ Attendance: 10.0 %
Note	This syllabus may be uploaded at the website of Course Syllabus Management System at https://web2.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 . **"Adhere to the concept of intellectual property rights" and "Do not illegally photocopy, download, or distribute." Using original textbooks is advised. It is a crime to improperly photocopy others' publications.

TRJXB4I0664 0A Page:4/4 2025/9/25 23:10:14