

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Country

Japan

Host Institution

International Christian University

Program(s)

International Christian University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

52

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO INTL RELATNS

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

This course introduces the key issues underlying the interaction of states and transnational actors in the international system, particularly the problems of international peace and cooperation, regionalism, democratization, nationalism and cultural conflict. Unlike conventional foundation courses in International Relations (IR), this course approaches the field from a student-centered approach. The course begins with an introduction to the main theories of International Relations, then an introduction to critical perspectives in IR. After students' understanding of the theories covered are examined through the midterm, the course discusses a series of empirical case studies and global issues. The goal is to integrate theory and practice, by presenting theoretical ideas and concepts in conjunction with a global range of historical and contemporary case studies.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

IRL102E

Host Institution Course Title

INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

International Relations

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