COURSE DETAIL

ORIENTAL PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE

Country

Taiwan

Host Institution National Taiwan University

Program(s) National Taiwan University

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number 114

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title ORIENTAL PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE

UCEAP Transcript Title ORIENTAL PHIL/LIFE

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

Oriental philosophy of life is mainly based on Confucianism, Taoism and Buddhism. Other than those well known classics in its tradition, there are still other less well known texts. They are very popular and influential in the Chinese society. Such as: Figures in the full translation: a book talking about personnel management; The Chinese Code of Success-Maxims by Zhu Zi: a paper Zhu Zi wrote for his family as life guiding; Records of Reflections on Things at Hand: a selected works or writings from four main philosophers at North Song Dynasty by Zhu Zi; The Roots of Wisdom: an aphorism writings expressing deep understandings of life; Liao-Fan's Four Lessons: four reminders for life and fate from the point of view of life circle theory. Standards for Being a Good Student and Child: rules for kids in terms of traditional Confucianism; The Family Instructions of Zeng Guofan: letters from Zeng Guofan for family about learning and behavior. This course aims to introduce the above papers and books.

Language(s) of Instruction

Chinese

Host Institution Course Number PhI2401

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department Philosophy

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