

COURSE DETAIL

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF CHINA

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Program(s)

Hong Kong Summer, CUHK

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

40

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF CHINA

UCEAP Transcript Title

GOV &POLITICS/CHINA

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This introductory course surveys key issues in Chinese politics, including the historical background of the system, the roles of the party/state, the style of leadership, the forms of popular participation, and the distinctive features of Chinese politics. The course specifically focuses on political change. Classic essays by Sun Yatsen, Lu Xun, Mao Zedong and others provide grounding in the key problems modern China has faced, as well as the solutions it has pioneered. It also covers contemporary institutions and intellectual debates over inequality, human rights, and the future shape of political reform in China. Text: Guo, Sujian, CHINESE POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT: POWER, IDEOLOGY AND ORGANIZATION. Assessment: midterm (50%), final exam (50%).

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

UGEC1540

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GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF CHINA

Host Institution Campus

International Summer School

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Chinese Studies

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