COURSE DETAIL

CIVIL-MILITARY RELATIONS
Country Singapore
Host Institution National University of Singapore
Program(s) National University of Singapore
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) South & SE Asian Studies Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 137
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CIVIL-MILITARY RELATIONS
UCEAP Transcript Title CIVIL-MILITARY RELA
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
This course provides an understanding of the military's role in modern state and society. The focus is on the political role of the armed forces in Southeast Asia. The course examines important issues in the study civil-military relations, such as why is civilian control of the military important, what causes the military officers' intervention and political domination via the coup d'état, what is the armed forces' role in political development and decay in non-Western societies, and what is the most desirable civil-military relations in post-democratization political settings. The class begins with the survey on classical literature on civil-military relations, comparative politics and then, looks into civil-military relations of individual countries in Southeast Asia, namely, Burma, Indonesia, the Philippines, Singapore and Thailand.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Political Science

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