COURSE DETAIL

NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN POLICY

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Yonsei University

Program(s)

Yonsei University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

128

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN POLICY

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course analyzes Kim Jong Un's summit diplomacy with South Korea and the United States as an approach to simultaneously pursue security and economic development. North Korea's nuclear diplomacy with regard to the United States will be the core part of this course. The first half of the course focuses on Kremlinology, leadership analysis, and the succession of the Kim dynasty. In the latter half, historical reviews on North Korea's foreign policy during the Cold War period as well as post-Cold War period will demonstrate how North Korea's threat perception influences its provocative foreign policy. Then, the course moves to discuss influences of surrounding countries, namely, China, Japan, and Russia. Lastly, class discussions will be held on the future of North Korea, unification, and inter-Korean relations.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POL3111

Host Institution Course Title

NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN POLICY

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Science

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