COURSE DETAIL

JAPAN'S FOREIGN POLICY
Country Japan
Host Institution Meiji Gakuin University
Program(s) Global Studies, Japan
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science International Studies Asian Studies
UCEAP Course Number 102
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title JAPAN'S FOREIGN POLICY
UCEAP Transcript Title JAPAN FOREIGN POLCY
UCEAP Quarter Units 3.00
UCEAP Semester Units 2.00

Course Description

This course introduces Japan’s global political and security role, starting with the pre-1945 and Cold War era legacies, and then focuses on the Post-Cold-War era. It examines Japan’s shift from security isolationism during the Cold War to security engagement, its championing of regional multilateralism in East Asia, its emergence as a global power in development aid, its contributions to UN peacekeeping and non-traditional security in areas such as humanitarian and disaster relief (HaDR), counter-piracy, maritime security, and counter-pandemic measures. It focuses on Japan’s relationships with the US, China, Korea, ASEAN, and Europe, and considers how Japan’s foreign policy institutions, including those making security and development aid policy, have changed during the Abe administration. The course concludes with a summary looking at Japan’s trajectory as a middle power.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
KCPOL209

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Yokohama

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International Studies

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