COURSE DETAIL

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES
Country China
Host Institution Peking University, Beijing
Program(s) Peking University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science International Studies
UCEAP Course Number 133
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTERNATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES
UCEAP Transcript Title INTL SECURITY STUDY
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course is designed to familiarize students with important concepts and theories of international security studies as well as prominent security issues in the contemporary world. The first part of the course introduces the basic analytical concepts and theoretical frameworks as regards direct and indirect use of force in international politics; the second part explores strategic policy during the Cold War and the lessons that scholars have drawn from that historical period; the third part examines several security challenges at the dawn of the 21st century such as nuclear proliferation, terrorism and insurgency, and the security implications of technological change; the last part focuses on the rise of China and international security, with particular attention paid to the relationship between China and the United States, the Taiwan issue, and maritime disputes in East Asia. It is worth noting that the course will not touch upon most non-traditional security issues such as energy security, climate change, food safety, etc.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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