COURSE DETAIL

UNDERSTANDING CHINESE POLITICS
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 108
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title UNDERSTANDING CHINESE POLITICS
UCEAP Transcript Title CHINESE POLITICS
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course is an undergraduate-level seminar on politics of contemporary China. Understanding politics, economy, society, and their complex relations of our neighbor, People's Republic of China becomes indispensable for everyone no matter what you study and pursue in this globalized era. In this vein, surveying politics of China would be a priority. We try to systematically (not randomly) analyze and understand those objects through applying some theoretical frameworks of political science such as regime type, political institution, participation, contentious politics, clientelism, developmentalism, nationalism, and interactions between domestic and international politics, to them. More specifically, this course aims at (1) understanding basic political history of contemporary China; (2) theoretically and empirically exposing students to major issues and debates in the study of reform-era Chinese politics and helping students understand major characteristics of the Chinese Communist Party regime; (3) In addition to the conventional contents of "Chinese Politics" course, letting students do a "problem-solving" project from creative and multi-disciplinary perspectives of political interactions as well as politics of things; (4) and finally, encouraging students to pursue their own agendas related to contemporary China in further studies in schools and job market (and beyond).

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
Host Institution Department Political Science
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