

# COURSE DETAIL

## TOPICS IN INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE

**Country**

Korea, South

**Host Institution**

Seoul National University

**Program(s)**

Seoul National University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science International Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

183

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

TPCS INTL COMMERCE

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This advanced topics course covers international trade institutions, trade law, and trade policy. Students explore trade policies, how they are implemented by the United States and other countries, and how their use is constrained by international trade agreements.

The Fall 2025 offering of this course covers fundamental principles of international trade rules established by the World Trade Organization (WTO), including the principles of non-discrimination, trade remedy measures, SPS, TBT, and exceptions to trade obligations.

In addition, students examine newly emerging issues in trade, such as environmental concerns, digital trade and e-commerce, intellectual property rights, and trade in services, and delve into the most frequently used methods of dispute resolution: mediation, arbitration, and litigation. Through lectures, simulations, and student presentations, students learn the procedures and actual workings of these three methods at various settings such as WTO, WIPO, and LCIA, inter alia.

Students should expect to present a substantial case study and produce a final paper.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

8751.518A

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<https://sugang.snu.ac.kr/>

### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

**Course Last Reviewed**

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