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Hanyang International Winter School

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Course Information	Class No.	TBA	Course Code	DIS2068	Credits	3
	Course Name	International Security				
	Lecture Schedule	Mon-Fri / 09~15:00				
	Course Description	This course provides an in-depth exploration of international security, focusing on the theoretical frameworks, key concepts, institutional mechanisms, and contemporary issues shaping global security dynamics. This course explores international security through four main dimensions: a.Theories: Neorealism, Neoliberalism, Constructivism, Securitization, and Peace Studies. b.Key Concepts: self-defense, alliances, military diplomacy, arms control, collective and cooperative security. c.Institutions: the UN, peacekeeping operations, arms control agreements, nuclear strategy, and non-proliferation. d.Contemporary Issues: arms trade, counter-terrorism, counter-insurgency, the responsibility to protect (R2P), climate change, technological change, and cybersecurity. Through case studies and theoretical analysis, students gain a comprehensive understanding of global security challenges and responses.				
	Course Objective	A. Awareness and understanding of non-traditional military threats in addition to traditional military threats B. Review of security cooperation measures with the international community, transnational, and non-state organizations C. Analysis of recent key issues in national security and measures for security cooperation				
	Prerequisite	-				
	Materials/Textbooks	Course Reading Package will be provided.				
Evaluation	Attendance	40%	Quiz	%		
	Assignment	%	Mid-term Exam	25%		



	Presentation	%	Final Exam	25%
	Group Project	%	Participation	10%
	Etc.	Evaluation Item		Ratio
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Daily Lecture Plan	Day 1	1) Course Introduction 2) Main Actors of International Security		
	Day 2	1) IR Theories 2) Main Concepts for International Security		
	Day 3	1) Strategies and formats for International Security 2) WMD and Arms Control		
	Day 4	1) A. Great Power Politics: U.S.-China Conflict and Instability 2) B. Role of Middle Power: Switzerland, Singapore, South Korea		
	Day 5	A. Great Power Politics: U.S.-China Conflict and Instability - Power Transition Theory vs. Balance of Power Theory B. Role of Middle Power: Switzerland, Singapore, South Korea C. Midterm Exam		
	Day 6	A. Terrorism B. Civil War		
	Day 7	A. Coup: Insurgency and Counter-insurgency B. Non-traditional Security Issues		
	Day 8	A. International Security Policy Making: Two-level Game Theory, audience cost, and Selectorate Theory		
	Day 9	Final Exam		