科目ナンバリング ECO-206 選択 2単位

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1. 授業の概要(ねらい)

Course outline: This course aims to give students a firm grounding in international economy from a geopolitical viewpoint. Students who take this course are required to study various aspects of real international economy, such as trade, energy, finance and industry, through the prism of issues including regional and global power balances, alliances, and religious and ethnic conflict. By reading the prepared texts and through debate, participants are expected to foster their own points of view with regard to international economy in an era of uncertainty.

2. 授業の到達目標

Participants will seek to understand the conflicts of interest many states face with others, as well as how governments and private organizations strive to resolve problems. In so doing, students who join this course will gain the basic ability to present arguments and the skills required for success in various international arenas. Students are expected to put the material they have learned into discussion. During the autumn term, students are expected to express their own opinions based on the knowledge gained during the spring term.

3. 成績評価の方法および基準

Assessment of academic achievement is based on reports and discussion in the class.

4. 教科書·参考文献

粉科書

Printed texts and articles will be distributed as needed. Articles are selected from the Economist, Financial Times, Foreign Affairs and other media.

参考文献

Gideon Rachman Easternization: Asia's rise and America's decline from Obama to Trump and beyond Other Press

Ian Bremmer Us vs. Them: THE FAILURE OF BLOBALISM Portfolio/Penguin

5. 準備学修の内容

Reading English news media regarding topics related to the next lecture is recommended. Texts will be specified as needed.

6. その他履修上の注意事項

Students are expected to attend each class and express opinion openly.

7. 授業内容

【第1回】	Introduction
【第2回】	U.S. and China: The future of multi-dimension conflict
【第3回】	Emerging states and financial risk: Hike of the Federal Reserve interest rates and risks in Asian, Middle East and Latin American countries
【第4回】	Asia-Pacific trade: comparing with other parts of the world
【第5回】	looking at the global oil market from various angles: Relation of OPEC, Non-OPEC and Shale oil producers
【第6回】	Chinese diplomacy: How do they bargain with US and Europe in economy and politics
【第7回】	Indian diplomacy: The spirit of non-alliance
【第8回】	Building a new order in the Arab world: making of new alignment
【第9回】	ASEAN's role: Emerging companies of the region
【第10回】	Egypt, Iraq and Lebanon: Case studies of the development policy of Arab states
【第11回】	Israel: Hi-tech talents foster new relationships (normalization with Arab states)
【第12回】	Brexit and its influence on Britain's economy
【第13回】	The future of the EU and refugee problem: checking trends in the regional politics
【第14回】	Environment: Global warming and remedies to control it
【第15回】	Summary: How to balance economy and politics in today's world