

| <b>Subject Number: (GS)POL528E</b>  |  |
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| <b>Name of Subject</b>  | <b>Name of Professor</b>                 |
| Governance Studies  | Omnibus<br>(Coordinator: TANAKA Hideaki) |
| <b>Course description and Attainment target</b>   |  |
| <p>The purpose of this course is to take a basic view of governance in international context. The last thirty years have witnessed a transformation of the state in many industrial democracies. This transformation is described as one from government to governance, that is, bureaucracy to markets and non-profit private networks. The term governance is not new, but now it is used to capture this new pattern of governing.</p> <p>This course will examine governance by looking at some different aspects of it, although the concept is still slippery. The course will begin to deal with factors caused to change government's role. The class will also discuss the impact of a New Public Management and its implication for the society. Upon completion of this course, students will be able to understand what is governance, how should we explain its emergence, what are its implications for public policy and democracy. In the class, comparative analysis is highly valued. Therefore, students are encouraged to contribute to the class discussion by bringing out the similar examples or cases of the country they are from. Also students are required to report on the situation of Governance in their country. This course is provided by five lecturers who have highly specialized knowledge for governance in each area.</p> |  |
| <b>Course content</b>   |  |
| <p>Week 1: Introduction by Tanaka<br/> Week 2: Theories of governance by Tanaka<br/> Week 3: Corporate governance by Tanaka<br/> Week 4: Governance and public management from the international perspectives by Nishide<br/> Week 5: Public management reform and the results by Nishide<br/> Week 6: Governance in emergency/crisis by Y.Kobayashi<br/> Week 7: Governance in emergency/crisis by Y.Kobayashi<br/> Week 8: Governance in non-profit by Nagahata<br/> Week 9: Participatory governance by Nagahata<br/> Week 10: Participatory governance by Nagahata<br/> Week 11: Global governance by Sasaoka<br/> Week 12: Local governance and decentralization by Sasaoka<br/> Week 13: Fiscal governance by Tanaka<br/> Week 14: Democracy and governance by Tanaka</p>   |  |
| <b>Prerequisites and registration requirements</b>  |  |
| <p>All students are expected to do two things</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. One presentation about the topics you chose on the relevant week</li> <li>2. Speak and discuss at the class</li> </ol>  |  |
| <b>Preparation for the course</b>   |  |
| Instuct in class  |  |
| <b>Textbooks</b>  |  |
| Refernces will be shown in the first class.   |  |
| <b>Suggested readings</b>   |  |
| None.   |  |
| <b>Grading policy</b>   |  |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Presentation 50%</li> <li>2. Term paper 50%</li> </ol>  |  |
| <b>Other</b>  |  |

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