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**Purpose:**

This mini-seminar aims to equip students at Sciences Po Bordeaux with basic knowledge of institutional and politico-economic dimensions of Asian regionalism, competition between US and China in East Asian integration and
the role of Asian regionalism in world and regional. It is an English/French teaching seminar.

**Grading:**

1. Attendance: 50%

   Students are required to be present integrally throughout the 12 hour mini-seminar. Poor presence will surely cast very negative impact upon the final grading. On the contrary, active participation will be encouraged.

2. Semester essay: 50%

   In the end of the mini-seminar, students will be required to submit a 1000 word essay on the topics selected by the professor. The topics will be revealed in the third or fourth class. The essay shall be submitted at the beginning of the last class.

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**NOTICE ON PLAGIARISM**

I have witnessed an increase in academic dishonesty nowadays. Students who are caught copying work without referencing it will receive an automatic grade of 0 points. Even if you paraphrase material (use your own words) you must still provide page number/author. I am very serious about this and will not negotiate with students who are caught copying work.

**Organization of class,**

If the class is of more than thirty people, students in class will be divided into groups composed of 3-4 people. Students will be seated in group in class for discussion. Division will be implemented by three steps.

* Step one: all students will take a poker card, the same number of which will be grouped into the same team.

* Step two: In ten-minute social time, students can change groups after negotiations with others.
* Step three: all groups have to choose seats and sit together in class through the semester and complete the registration form with a group photo indicating who’s who.

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**Assigned readings**


**References**

US and Asian regionalism


Australia and Asian Regionalism


Russia and Asian regionalism

China and Asian Regionalism


Taiwan and Asian Regionalism

- Richard Bush, “Taiwan in Asia”, speech at Conference on Taiwan’s Elections, Cross-Strait Relations, and Taiwan’s Role in East Asia, a two-day event co-hosted by the Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies at Harvard University and Boston University’s Center for the Study of Asia on 2 December 2018. Available on web of Brookings Institution. https://www.brookings.edu/on-the-record/taiwan-and-asia/

Japan and Asian regionalism

Korea and Asian Regionalism


- Uk Heo and Terence Roehrig, South Korea’s Rise: Economic Development, Power and Foreign Relations, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2014. Chapter 5 South Korea, Russia and China; Chapter 6 South Korea and Japan.


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- Joseph Chinyong Liow, “Can Indonesia Fulfill Its Aspirations to Regional Leadership?”, in G. Rozman, J.C. Liow (eds.), International Relations and
Asia’s Southern Tier, Asian–Palgrave Macmillan Series, 2018: 175-188.


India and Asian regionalism


