### SEMINAR ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OF NORTHEAST ASIA

Fall 2008, Faculty of Social Studies, Masaryk University, Brno, the Czech Republic Instructor: Professor To-hai Liou Class Session: November 18-28, 2008

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### **COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND GRADINGS**

Participation in class (discussion) 40%
Paper 60%

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

1. <u>Paper</u> (12-15 double-spaced pages in English including notes and bibliography): Your paper should be prepared along the outline as set up in your paper proposal with the instructor's approval. A good research paper, while not inclusive, usually contains following major elements: a properly-defined research issue, good coverage of questions, well-stated arguments, effective evidence/case, good internal logic, well-structured/organized, good introduction/conclusion/transition paragraphs, clearly/well-written, engaging/lively prose, good command of topic, comprehensiveness of research, and well-documented/complete citations. These elements are also the criteria for grading of the paper.

#### **COURSE SCHEDULE**

1. Nov.18(morning, Tue): Introduction: Research Skills (30 minutes)
The Evolution of International Environment in Northeast Asia (60 minutes)

A Historical Overview: Cold War and International Relations of Northeast Asia, 1945-1989.

Post-Cold War International Relations in Northeast Asia

Buzan Barry and Segal Gerald, "Rethinking East Asia Security," *Survival*, Summer 1994, Vol.36, No.2, pp.3-12.

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Ramkishen S. Rajan, "Trade liberalization and the New Regionalism in the Asia-Pacific: taking stock of recent events," *International Relations of the Asia-Pacific*, 2005 5: 217-233.

Simon Duke, "Northeast Asia and Regional Security," *Journal of East Asian Affairs*, Vol.IX, No. 2, Summer/Fall 1995, pp. 323-384.

Kent E. Calder, "The New Face of Northeast Asia," *Foreign Affairs*, January/February 2001, Vol. 80, No. 1, pp. 106-122

William T. Tow, Asia-Pacific Strategic Relations: Seeking Convergent Security, Cambridge University Press, 2001.

#### Optional readings:

Asia's China Debate - Dr. Satu Limaye (ed.) December 2003

http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/ChinaDebate/Asias%20China%20Debate%20complete.pdf

The Asia Pacific: A Region in Transition - Jim Rolfe

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- 2. Nov.18(afternoon, Tue): Major Powers and the Asia Pacific --- China's Northeast Asia policy with a focus on Rising China, Soft Power Diplomacy and Asian Economic Integration (90 minutes) Sutter, Robert G, China's rise in Asia: promises and perils, 2005 (327.51009051 S967) Russell Ong, China's security interests in the 21st century, London; New York: Routledge, 2007 (355.033051 O58)
- Young Nam Cho, Jong Ho Jeong. "China's Soft Power: Discussions, Resources, and Prospects," *Asian Survey*: Jun 2008. Vol. 48, Iss. 3; p. 453 (20 pages)
- To-hai Liou, "Asia's Response to China's FTA Strategy: Implications for Asian Economic Integration," *Journal of East Asian Affairs*, Spring/Summer 2007, pp. 195-232.
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- Wu Xinbao, "The Promise and Limitations of a Sino-U.S. Partnership," *Washington Quarterly*, Autumn 2004, Vol. 27, Number 4, pp. 115-126.
- Hu Weixing, "China's Security Agenda after the Cold War," *Pacific Review*, Vol.8, No.1, 1995, pp. 117-136.

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- Denny Roy, "Restructuring Foreign and Defence Policy: the People's Republic of China," in McGrew and Brook, pp. 137-157.
- Penghong Cai, "Chinese Perspectives of the China-Korea-Japan Free Trade Agreement," *Journal of East Asian Affairs*, Vol.XVI, No. 2, Fall/Winter 2002, pp. 198-224.
- Alexandre Mansourov, "China-Russia Relations: Can "Bamboo and Pine Trees" Grow Together?," in Satup Limaye (ed.) *Asia's Bilateral Relations*, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), 2004
- Denny Roy, "China-Japan Relations: Cooperation Amidst Antagonism," in Satup Limaye (ed.) *Asia's Bilateral Relations*, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), 2004
- http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/AsiaBilateralRelations/China-Japan%20Relations%20Roy.pdf
  Denny Roy, "China-South Korea Relations: Elder Brother Wins Over Younger Brother," in Satup Limaye
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  - http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/AsiaBilateralRelations/China-South%20Korea%20Relations% 20Roy.pdf

#### 3. Nov.19(morning, Wen): Cross-Straits Relations (90 minutes)

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- Scott Kennedy and Michael O'Hanlon, "Time to Shift Gears on China Policy," *Journal of East Asian Affairs*, Winter/Spring 1996, Vol.X, No.1, pp. 13-44.
- Henry M. Paulson Jr., "A Strategic Economic Engagement: Strengthening U.S.-Chinese Ties," *Foreign Affairs*, September/October 2008, <a href="http://www.foreignaffairs.org/20080901faessay87504/henry-m-paulson-jr/a-strategic-economic-engagement.html">http://www.foreignaffairs.org/20080901faessay87504/henry-m-paulson-jr/a-strategic-economic-engagement.html</a>
- C. Fred Bergsten, "A Partnership of Equals: How Washington Should Respond to China's Economic Challenge," *Foreign Affairs*, July/August 2008, <a href="http://www.foreignaffairs.org/20080701faessay87404/c-fred-bergsten/a-partnership-of-equals.html">http://www.foreignaffairs.org/20080701faessay87404/c-fred-bergsten/a-partnership-of-equals.html</a>

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- Shelly Rigger, "Party Politics and *Taiwan's* External *Relations*," *Orbis* Vol. 49 no. 3 (Summer 2005) p. 413-28.

### 4. Nov.19(afternoon, Wen): South Korea's Northeast Asia Policy (90 minutes)

Park Sang-Seek, "Determinants of Korean Foreign Policy: A Review of the Thirty-eight Year History," *Korea and World Affairs*, Vol. 10, Fall 1988, pp. 457-83.

Kwang Soo Choi, "Korea's Foreign Policy in the 1990s," *Korea and World Affairs*, Summer 1989, pp. 253-262.

Kim Kook-chin, "Seoul"s Nordpolitik," in Michael J. Mazarr, John Q. Blodgett (eds) *Korea* 1991: the Road to Peace, Boulder, Colorado: Westview Press, 1991, pp. 95-100.

Sang-Seek Park, "Northern Diplomacy and Inter-Korea Relations," *Korea and World Affairs*, winter, 1988.

### 5. Nov.20(morning, Thu) US-South Korea Relations (90 minutes)

Chae-jin Lee. *A Troubled Peace: US Policy and the Two Koreas*. Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press, 2006.

Donald Stone MacDonald, *U.S.-Korean Relations from Liberation to Self-Reliance: the Twenty-Year Record*, Westview Press, 1992.

Book Review by John Chay, *Pacific Affairs*, Vol. 66, No. 2 (Summer, 1993), pp. 286-287 <a href="http://www.jstor.org/stable/2759389?seq=1">http://www.jstor.org/stable/2759389?seq=1</a>

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Mark E. Manyin, "South Korea-U.S. Economic Relations: Cooperation, Friction, and Future Prospects"

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# 6. Nov.20(afternoon, Thu) South Korea's FTA Strategy (90 minutes)

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# 7. Nov.21(Fri) North Korea's diplomatic strategy in Post-Cold War era (90 minutes)

To-hai Liou, "North Korea's Diplomatic Strategies in the Post-Cold War Era: Fishing in the Troubled Water," *International Journal of Korean Unification Studies*, Vol. 10, No. 2, 2001, pp. 79-103.

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- Jaewoo Choo, "Mirroring North Korea's Growing Economic Dependence on China: Political Ramifications," *Asian Survey*: Mar/Apr 2008. Vol. 48, No. 2; p. 343 (30 pages)
- Bonnie S. Glaser and Wang Liang , "North Korea: The Beginning of a China-U.S. Partnership?," *The Washington Quarterly*, Summer 2008.
- Victor D. Cha and David C. Kang, "Can North Korea be Engaged?" *Survival*, Summer 2004, http://www.iiss.org/survivalsummaries.php?volume=46&issue=2&submit=Go
- B. C. Koh, "North Korean Policy Toward the United States," in Dae-Sook Suk and Chae-Jin Lee (eds) *North Korea After Kim II Sung*, Boulder, Colorado: Lynne Rienner Publishers, 1998, p. 85-100.
- Kim Samuel S., ed., North Korean Foreign Relations in the Post-Cold War Era, Oxford University Press, 1998.

### 8. Nov.24(Mon) Japan's Northeast Asia Policy (90 minutes)

Drifte, Reinhard, *Japan's Foreign Policy*, London: Routledge, 1990.

Green, Michael J, Japan's Reluctant Realism: Foreign Policy Challenges in an Era of Uncertain Power, New York: Palgrave, 2001.

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John H. Mller, "Russia-Japan Relations: Prisoners of History," in Satup Limaye (ed.) *Asia's Bilateral Relations*, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), 2004 <a href="http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/AsiaBilateralRelations/Japan-Russia%20Relations%20Miller.pdf">http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/AsiaBilateralRelations/Japan-Russia%20Relations%20Miller.pdf</a>

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Glenn D. Hook, Julie Gilson, Christopher W. Hughes and Hugo Dobson, *Japan's International Relations: Politics, Economics and Security*, Sheffield Centre for Japanese Studies, London: Routledge, 2001.

Victor Cha, "Japan's Engagement Dilemmas with North Korea," *Asian Survey*, July-August 2001, Vol. XLI, No. 4, pp. 549-563.

# 9. Nov.25(Tue) Sino-Japanese Relations in the Post-Cold War Era (90 minutes)

Denny Roy, "China-Japan Relations: Cooperation Amidst Antagonism," in Satup Limaye (ed.) *Asia's Bilateral Relations*, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), 2004

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( ed. ) *Asia's Bilateral Relations*, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS), 2004
http://www.apcss.org/Publications/SAS/AsiaBilateralRelations/Japan-Taiwan%20Relations%20Fouse.pdf
Jing Sun , "Japan-Taiwan Relations: Unofficial in Name Only," *Asian Survey*September/October 2007, Vol. 47, No. 5, 790–810

### 10. Nov.26(Wen) Australia's Relations with China and Taiwan (90 minutes)

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- To-hai Liou, "Australia's Economic Relations with China and Taiwan in the Post-Cold War Era," *Taiwanese Journal of Australian Studies*, Vol. 5, 2004, pp. 97-124.
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<u>Japan:</u> Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs: <a href="http://www.nttls.co.jp/infomofa/">http://www.nttls.co.jp/infomofa/</a>

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North Korea: 人民朝鮮 The People's Korea <a href="http://www.korea-np.co.jp/pk/">http://www.korea-np.co.jp/pk/</a>

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