Module title: China's International Relations
Abbreviation: 04-CS-TCC-PKU1-172-m01

Module coordinator: holder of the Chair of Contemporary Chinese Studies
Module offered by: Institute of East and South Asian Cultural Studies

ECTS: 8
Method of grading: numerical grade
Only after succ. compl. of module(s): --

Duration: 1 semester
Module level: graduate
Other prerequisites: --

Contents:
Peking University’s School of International Studies is among the leading institutes in international relations in the PRC. Students, during their term at ECLC, attend a lecture of their choice in Chinese language held by a university teacher of this school on one major aspect of China’s international relations, such as China’s relations with a major power, or with the nations of one continent, and based on the present global situation and recent developments. Thus the students get familiarized with official Chinese positions on international relations issues. Since attending a lecture in Chinese language along with Chinese students and regardless of their limited language skills is a considerable challenge to most students, they are offered additional support through a tutorial that reviews and further deepens the contents of each lecture and pays special attention to the systematic development of the required specific terminology.

Intended learning outcomes:
Students further increase their real-time listening comprehension skills, and in particular their abilities in following and appropriately understanding a lecture in Chinese language. They continuously develop their Chinese vocabulary and terminology on issues of international relations. They learn to reflect on the different classroom experience and to deal with official Chinese views on political issues appropriately and respectfully. They enhance their learning progress through the support from a voluntary tutorial.

Courses:
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Module taught in: Chinese
Courses offered abroad at PKU (ECLC)

Method of assessment:
term paper (approx. 15 pages)
Language of assessment: Chinese
creditable for bonus

Allocation of places: --

Additional information: --

Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in:
Master's degree (1 major) Chinese Studies (2017)