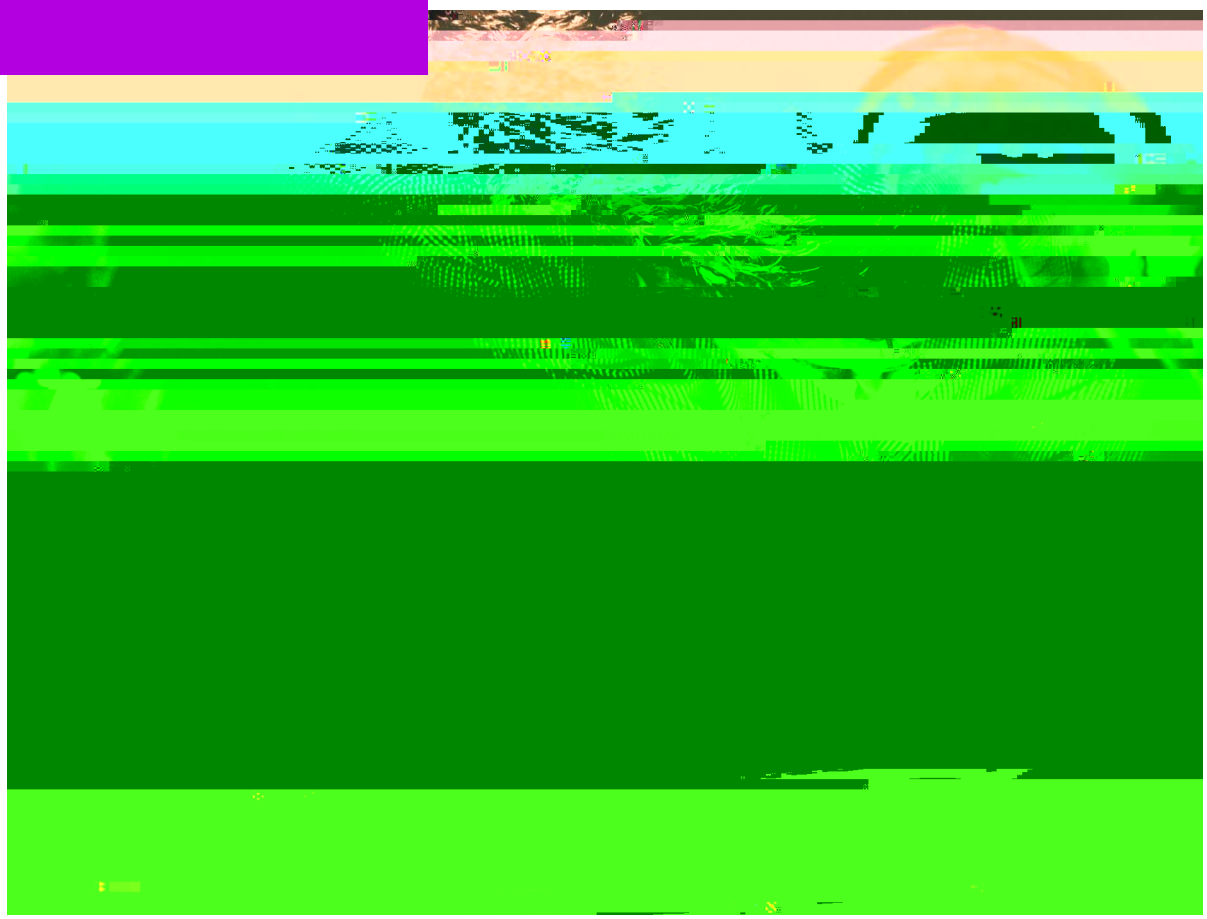

ARTS1811

Contemporary Issues in Government and Global Politics

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Course Overview

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1. ONLINE LECTURES AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES

This course consists of weekly 2-hour online learning segments, which include a series of mini-lectures by academic experts from the School of Social Sciences, as well as a range of online learning activities that may include brief research and writing tasks. The mini-lectures and other learning activities are designed to supplement independent study on the course that begins (but should not end) with close engagement with the weekly required readings. Online lectures and learning activities run for the duration of Term.

2. TUTORIALS

Tutorials allow students to discuss questions, themes and issues arising from their independent study, as well as providing the opportunity to engage in productive discussion with their peers and to participate in a range of structured learning activities, including group/pair/individual analytical work, formal and informal debates, quizzes and mini-projects. Tutorials run for the duration of Term.

3. INDEPENDENT LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Independent learning activities replace tutorials in some weeks. They are designed to foster independent study and to allow for engagement with different tasks that cannot be undertaken in a tutorial environment, such as conducting online research or watching a film. These activities are clearly explained below and will mostly be facilitated by Moodle.

In Moodle, there is a range of resources specific to each week, as well as online activities to enhance independent learning.

Assessment

Assessment Tasks

Assessment task	Weight		

Week 7: 28 October - 1 November	Lecture	The Global Nuclear Threat
	Tutorial	The Global Nuclear Threat
	Assessment	Online Quiz
Week 8: 4 November - 8 November	Lecture	Are "Free Trade Deals" Killing Development?
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Week 9: 11 November - 15 November	Lecture	No Longer Hegemon? The Role of Russia and China in a Changing Global Order
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Week 10: 18 November - 22 November	Lecture	Peace, Conflict and State-Building
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	Assessment	Online Quiz
Week 11: 25 November - 29 November	Assessment	Research Essay due on Tue 26 Nov by 23.59PM via Moodle.

Resources

Prescribed Resources

Please see Moodle for latest updates to all aspects of the course.

Tutorial questions and detailed week-by-week reading will be made available on Moodle. All of the

Submission of Assessment Tasks

Turnitin Submission

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UNSW groups plagiarism into the following categories:

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Collusion: working with others but passing off the work as a person's individual work. Collusion also includes providing your work to another student before the due date, or for the purpose of them

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- be aware of the standards of behaviour expected of everyone in the UNSW community
- locate services and information about UNSW and UNSW Library

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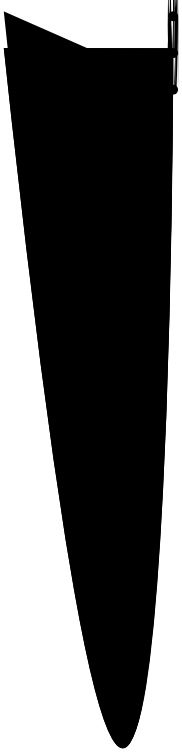
- requests for extension;
- late submissions guidelines;
- review of marks;
- UNSW Health and Safety policies;