



## ECO303 - Asian-Australian Trade Issues

### **Basic Information:**

<b>Instructor Name</b>	TBD
<b>Home Institution</b>	TBD
<b>Instructor Title</b>	TBD
<b>E- Mail</b>	TBD
<b>Office</b>	TBD
<b>Office Hours</b>	TBD

### **Course Description:**

This subject will examine: the origins of international trade and Australia's trade in particular; the growth of Australia's trade and business relationships with the Asia Pacific region; the recent economic development and trade patterns of Australia's principal trading partners in the region, especially Japan, China, India, South Korea, and Singapore; some of the practical issues encountered in the process of doing business in the Asia Pacific region; the organization of trade in the region through multilateral bodies, and Australia's role in promoting regional trade institutions.

### **Required Course Materials:**

<b>Textbook</b>	<b>Edition</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Publisher</b>	<b>ISBN-10</b>
Strategies for Asia Pacific	3	P.Lasserre and H.Schutte	Palgrave Macmillan	1403916950

Link to e-book purchase address:

[https://www.amazon.com/Strategies-Asia-Pacific-Challenges-Building/dp/1403916950/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1487297371&sr=8-1&keywords=1403916950](https://www.amazon.com/Strategies-Asia-Pacific-Challenges-Building/dp/1403916950/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1487297371&sr=8-1&keywords=1403916950)

### **Course Hours:**

This course consists of 18 class sessions, 1 field trip. Each class session is 160 minutes in length; the field trip is 300 minutes in length. Classes normally meets from Monday to Saturday. This course has 61 contact hours in total. Final exam will be on 17th Jan, 2020.

### **Year Level:**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> year.

### **Prerequisite:**

(List if there is any; List "None" if the course has no prerequisite)

### **Course Schedule:**

<b>Week</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Topic (s)</b>	<b>Chapter(s)</b>	<b>Homework</b>
Week 1	21 Dec, 2019	SAT	Students' Orientation Day		
	22 Dec, 2019	SUN	Introduction	1, 2	Project Planning
	23 Dec, 2019	M	The Strategic Importance of Asia Pacific	1, 2	Project Planning



	24 Dec, 2019	T	Formulating Strategies for Asia Pacific	1, 2	Project Proposal
	25 Dec, 2019	W	The Key Organizations	3, 4	Data Collection
Week2	2 Jan, 2020	TH	Group Project Workshops	1, 2, 3, 4	Group Discussion
	3 Jan, 2020	F	Australia's Trade Relations with Asia	3, 4	Teamwork
	4 Jan, 2020	SAT	Case Studies: Greater China	4, 5, 6, 7	Teamwork
Week 3	6 Jan, 2020	M	Case Studies: India	4, 5, 6, 7	Teamwork
	7 Jan, 2020	T	<b>Field Trip (5 hours)</b>  Case Studies: Japan	4, 5, 6, 7	Teamwork
	8 Jan, 2020	W	Case Studies: South Korea and North Korea	4, 5, 6, 7	Draft Report
	9 Jan, 2020	TH	Case Studies: Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia	4, 5, 6, 7	Draft Report
	10 Jan, 2020	F	Group Project Workshops	6, 7, 8, 9	Final Report
	11 Jan, 2020	SAT	Asian Business Culture	6, 7, 8, 9	
	13 Jan, 2020	M	The Future of Asia Pacific	6, 7, 8, 9	
Week4	14 Jan, 2020	T	Revision		Exam Preparation
	15 Jan, 2020	W	Revision		Exam Preparation
	16 Jan, 2020	TH	<b>Reading Day</b>		Exam Preparation
	17 Jan, 2020	F	<b>FINAL EXAM</b>		

**Evaluation:**

Class Participation and Discussion

Group Project: A Strategic Plan for an Australian Company Doing Business in an Asian Country

Written Examination: Answer 5 short-essay questions

**Grading Policies:**

<b>Part</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>Points</b>
Attendance and Class Assignment	20%	20
Group Project	30%	30
Exams	50%	50
<b>Course Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100 Points</b>

**Grade Distribution:**

<b>Letter Grade</b>	<b>Grade Points</b>
High Distinction	85-100
Distinction	75-84
Credit	65-74
Pass	50-64
Fail	0-49

**Academic Integrity**

SISU expects honesty from students in presenting all of their academic work. Students are responsible for knowing and observing accepted principles of scholarly research and writing in all academic work.



Academic dishonesty or cheating includes acts of plagiarism, forgery, fabrication or misrepresentation, such as the following:

- claiming the work or thoughts of others as your own
- copying the writing of others into your written work without appropriate attribution
- writing papers for other students or allowing them to submit your work as their own
- buying papers and turning them in as your own
- having someone else write or create all or part of the content of your assignments
- submitting the same paper for more than one study or class without explicit permission from the faculty members

### **General Principles**

SISU is committed to principles of trust, accountability, clear expectations and consequences. It is also committed to redemptive efforts, which are meaningful only in light of these principles. Students will be granted due process and the opportunity for an appeal.

Academic dishonesty offenses generally are subject to incremental disciplinary actions. Some first offenses, however, receive severe penalties, including dismissal from the program.

### **General Disciplinary**

The following is a non-comprehensive list of possible actions apart from dismissal from the program: warning from a professor, program director; a lower or failing grade on an assignment, test or course; suspension or dismissal from the course; suspension or dismissal from the program.

### **Disciplinary Actions for Specific Offenses**

Some academic dishonesty offenses call for specific disciplinary actions. The following have been identified:

#### **Falsification of documents:**

Students who falsify or present falsified documents may be dismissed. Prospective students who are discovered to have presented falsified admission documents prior to admission shall be denied admission to the program. Should it be discovered after admission that a student had presented falsified documents for admission, such admission may be annulled and the record of academic achievement removed from the academic record, with appropriate notations. Such annulments or denials may be reviewed after one year.

#### **Dishonesty in course requirements:**

Course work (a quiz, assignment, report, mid-term examination, research paper, etc.) in which a student has been dishonest generally will receive zero points towards the grade in fulfillment of a course requirement, and/or the student may receive a failing grade for the course. The professor of the course determines the appropriate consequence.

#### **Final assignment:**

When a student cheats in a major or final assignment such as a comprehensive examination or presents plagiarized material in a major or final assignment, that student shall receive an F in that particular subject. Student cheats on more than two exams shall be dismissed from SISU.