

Course Syllabus

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| 1. | Program of Study | Bachelor of Arts Program
Bachelor of Science Program
Bachelor of Business Administration Program
Bachelor of Nursing Science Program |
| | Faculty/Institute/College | Mahidol University International College |
| 2. | Course Code | ICSS 203 |
| | Course Title | Globalization and the Modern World |
| 3. | Number of Credits | 4 (4-0-8) (Lecture/Lab/Self-Study) |
| 4. | Prerequisite (s) | none |
| 5. | Type of Course | General Education |
| 6. | Session | Every trimester/ every academic year |
| 7. | Condition | - |
| 8. | Course Description | |
| | Global structures and transformations of the late twentieth century; global economy; food supply; population; disease; environment, resources, and pollution; communications; geopolitics; national states, regional and international organizations; minorities; the role of women; warfare and terrorism; migration and refugees; crime; culture. | |
| 9. | Course Objective (s) | |
| | After successful completion of this course, students should be able to | |
| | 9.1 understand detail key points in the process of globalization | |
| | 9.2 identify proponents and opponents of globalization | |

10. Course Outline

Week	Topic	Hour			Instructor
		Lecture	Lab	Self-Study	
1	Introduction: Issues and concepts	4	0	8	Mike Hayes
2	Key texts and theories in globalization theory	4	0	8	
3	Competing views of globalization	4	0	8	
4	Global economy	4	0	8	
5	The anti-globalization movement	4	0	8	
6	Global culture and media: Midterm exam	4	0	8	
7	The structure of new information technologies	4	0	8	
8	Women in globalization	4	0	8	
9	McDonaldization	4	0	8	
10	Popular and youth culture	4	0	8	
11	Global crisis: how will it end?	4	0	8	
12	Final exam	4	0	8	
	Total	48	0	96	

NB. The lecturer has the right to vary the topics as he/she see fit.

11. Teaching Method (s)

11.1 Lectures and discussions.

12. Teaching Media

12.1 Texts, transparencies, videos

13. Measurement and evaluation of student achievement

Student achievement is measured and evaluated by

13.1 the ability to understand detail key points in the process of globalization

13.2 the ability to identify proponents and opponents of globalization

Student's achievement will be graded according to the faculty and university standard using the symbols: A, B+, B, C+,C,D+, D, and F.

Students must have attended at least 80% of the total class hours of this course.

Ratio of mark

two in-class exams (45% each) and contribution to discussion 10%.

The standard scale of 90-100=A, 85-89=B+, 80-84+B, etc. 60 is required to pass.

14. Course evaluation

- 14.1 Students' achievement as indicated in number 13 above.
- 14.2 Students' satisfaction toward teaching and learning of the course using questionnaires.

15. Reference (s)

Colin Hay and David Marsh, eds, *Demystifying Globalization*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2001.

David Held and Anthony McGrew. "Introduction" *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics, and Culture*. Cambridge: Polity, 1999.

16. Instructor (s)

Mike Hayes

17. Course Coordinator

Dr. Eugene Jones