



**Academic Course List (Undergraduate courses only)**  
**APRU Virtual Student Exchange**  
**First Semester 2021 (March - July)**

**UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY**

**Location: Sydney, Australia**

**1. Cross-Cultural Management**

Course Code: IBUS1102

Course Title: Cross-Cultural Management

No. of Credits: 6

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 1.5-2 hours/credit, 120-150 hours/unit

Course Places for VSE: 5

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: International Business

Name of Course Teacher: Connie C.S. Chan

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://business.sydney.edu.au/staff/chui.chan>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 04-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Tutorial. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+11 (before Apr 4); UTC+10 (from Apr 4)

Course Description:

Critical to effective management in international and multicultural business environments is an understanding of cultural differences and how to manage those differences. This unit provides conceptual frameworks and evidence from practice that develops an understanding of the ways in which cultures differ, how these differences can impact management, and how cultural issues can limit organisational effectiveness. Strategies for managing and harnessing cultural differences are also evaluated. The subject matter is explored from an internal perspective as well as from an external perspective, looking at issues within the company as well as issues between the multinational company and its host environment. Major topics include the significance of culture in international management; the meaning and dimensions of culture; comparative international management styles; managing communication across cultures; global business ethics; cross-cultural negotiations; cross-cultural leadership and motivation; culture and consumer behaviour; and managing cross-cultural conflict.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/IBUS1102/2020-S1C-ND-CC>

## **2. Foundations of Data Science**

Course Code: DATA1001

Course Title: Foundations of Data Science

No. of Credits: 6

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 1.5-2 hours/credit, 120-150 hours/unit

Course Places for VSE: 6

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Mathematics and Statistics Academic Operations

Name of Course Teacher: Dr. Di Warren

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/science/about/our-people/academic-staff/diana-warren.html>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 04-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Laboratory. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+11 (before Apr 4); UTC+10 (from Apr 4)

Course Description: DATA1001 is a foundational unit in the Data Science major. The unit focuses on developing critical and statistical thinking skills for all students. Does mobile phone usage increase the incidence of brain tumours? What is the public's attitude to shark

baiting following a fatal attack? Statistics is the science of decision making, essential in every industry and undergirds all research which relies on data. Students will use problems and data from the physical, health, life and social sciences to develop adaptive problem solving skills in a team setting. Taught interactively with embedded technology, DATA1001 develops critical thinking and skills to problem-solve with data. It is the prerequisite for DATA2002.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/DATA1001/2020-S1C-ND-CC>

### **3. Introduction to Indigenous Cultures**

Course Code: INDG1001

Course Title: Introduction to Indigenous Cultures

No. of Credits: 6

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 1.5-2 hours/credit, 120-150 hours/unit

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Department of Education

Name of Course Teacher: Dr. Lynette Riley

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/arts/about/our-people/academic-staff/lynette-riley.html>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 04-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 3: Tutorial. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+11 (before Apr 4); UTC+10 (from Apr 4)

Course Description: This unit introduces students to Indigenous Australia in a stimulating, in-depth study of traditional and contemporary forms of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural expression. Ranging from the Dreaming and ancient knowledges, ceremony and lore, to the lives and societies of Indigenous peoples today, students learn in areas such Aboriginal kinship, language, story and art, Indigenous agriculture, aquaculture and astronomy, and contemporary Indigenous cultures and cultural currents.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/INDG1001/2020-S1C-ND-CC>

## **4. Introduction to International Relations**

Course Code: GOVT1621

Course Title: Introduction to International Relations

No. of Credits: 6

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 1.5-2 hours/credit, 120-150 hours/unit

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Government and International Relations

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Megan Mackenzie

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/arts/about/our-people/academic-staff/megan-mackenzie.html>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 04-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 3: Tutorial. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+11 (before Apr 4); UTC+10 (from Apr 4)

Course Description: This unit provides students with a foundational understanding in two key areas of international relations. First students will gain an understanding of the history of the international political and economic system, and the forces, events, and processes that have shaped the contemporary international system. Second, students will be introduced to the main theories of international relations and explore how these help explain the forces that shape international relations.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/GOVT1621/2020-S1C-ND-CC>

## **5. Marketing Principles**

Course Code: MKTG1001

Course Title: Marketing Principles

No. of Credits: 6

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 1.5-2 hours/credit, 120-150 hours/unit

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Marketing

Name of Course Teacher: Dr. Jeaney Yip

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/business/about/our-people/academic-staff/jeaney-yip.html>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 04-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Tutorial. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+11 (before Apr 4); UTC+10 (from Apr 4)

Course Description: This unit examines the relationships among marketing organisations and final consumers in terms of production-distribution channels or value chains. It focuses on consumer responses to various marketing decisions (product mixes, price levels, distribution channels, promotions, etc.) made by private and public organisations to create, develop, defend, and sometimes eliminate, product markets. Emphasis is placed on identifying new ways of satisfying the needs and wants and creating value for consumers. While this unit is heavily based on theory, practical application of the concepts to "real world" situations is also essential. Specific topics of study include: market segmentation strategies; market planning; product decisions; new product development; branding strategies; channels of distribution; promotion and advertising; pricing strategies; and customer database management.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/MKTG1001/2020-S1C-ND-CC>

## **NANJING UNIVERSITY (NJU OR NU)**

**Location: Nanjing, Jiangsu, China**

### **1. Financial Accounting**

Course Code: 9050470

Course Title: Financial Accounting

No. of Credits: 2

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 18 hours

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Department of Accounting

Name of Course Teacher: Asso. Prof. Qingmei Xue

Link to Teacher Profile: [https://nubs.nju.edu.cn/nubs\\_en/8f/91/c17370a298897/pagem.htm](https://nubs.nju.edu.cn/nubs_en/8f/91/c17370a298897/pagem.htm)

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 02-mar-21

Last Day: 01-jul-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Lecture. Synchronous

Course Component 3: Tutorial. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+8

Course Description: In generic terms, accounting is merely the science of measurement. In business, it just so happens that accounting methods are used to measure the economic position and the economic performance of a business entity. As business transactions are compiled into financial statements, the statements can be thought of as metrics for (or representations of) business activity. The course is intended to develop a foundation for thinking about measurement so that students can not only learn the nuts and bolts of accounting but also build an intuition for measurement that allows students to evaluate current measures and develop measures that are both relevant and reliable to decision-makers. This course will cover most of the contents of intermediate financial accounting. The prerequisites are Introduction to Accounting and Financial Management.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:  
[http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU\\_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Nanjing/Syllabus-Financial Accounting.docx](http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Nanjing/Syllabus-Financial Accounting.docx)

**Course-specific Restrictions: For Accounting majors only. Prerequisites: Introduction to financial accounting/financial management**

## 2. Global Human Resource Management

Course Title: Global Human Resource Management

No. of Credits: 2

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 15 hours

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: School of Business

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Shuming Zhao, Asso. Prof. Zhihong Chen

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://nubs.nju.edu.cn/zsm/list.htm>;  
<https://hwxy.nju.edu.cn/8b/e4/c6786a166884/page.htm>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 30-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Course Component 2: Lecture. Synchronous

Course Component 3: Tutorial. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+8

Course Description: Combined with the practice of human resource management in enterprises, this course discusses the development trend of human resource management under the background of globalization, summarizes several modes of international human resource management, studies the international human resource management system and international human resource management functions, and introduces the relevant theories and

practices of international human resource management in a comprehensive and systematic way.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:

[http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU\\_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Nanjing/Syllabus-Global Human Resource Management.doc](http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Nanjing/Syllabus-Global Human Resource Management.doc)

## **University of Science and Technology of China**

**Location: Hefei, Anhui, China**

### **1. Particle Cosmology (Live)**

Course Code: ASTR6013PA

Course Title: Particle Cosmology (Live)

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 20

Course Places for VSE: No limit

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Department of Astronomy

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Yifu Cai

Link to Teacher Profile: <http://staff.ustc.edu.cn/~yifucai/>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 02-jul-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Synchronous

Time Zone: UTC+8

Course Description: This is a fundamental course in preparation for the study of astronomy and particle physics and their crossing field. Particle cosmology has been one of the most crucial subject that has made numerous breakthrough since the discover of the cosmic microwave background in 1960s. At present, we already have a standard paradigm of modern cosmology, which is dubbed as the hot big bang theory. However, our knowledge about the universe is still dramatically developing along with the high level developments of observational technologies in precision cosmology. Therefore, how to study cosmology lies in the core of hot topics. Particle cosmology is the disciplinary subject between cosmology and particle physics. In particular, it focuses on the very early moments of the universe where the energy scale is much higher than that any particle experiments could reach. Thus, it can help us to better understand the fundamental knowledge of particle physics as well as the origin of the universe. The setup of this course is to advocate the graduate students majored

in astrophysics and theoretical physics to manage the basic knowledge about the cosmology study and to learn the research frontiers. Through this course, the graduate students are expected to access the baseline of professional research in their forthcoming study.

**Course-specific Restrictions: Knowledge of general relativity**

## **2. Particle Cosmology (Zhihuishu online)**

Course Code: ASTR6013PB

Course Title: Particle Cosmology (Zhihuishu online)

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 20

Course Places for VSE: No limit

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Department of Astronomy

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Yifu Cai

Link to Teacher Profile: <http://staff.ustc.edu.cn/~yifucai/>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 02-jul-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+8

Course Description: This is a fundamental course in preparation for the study of astronomy and particle physics and their crossing field. Particle cosmology has been one of the most crucial subject that has made numerous breakthrough since the discover of the cosmic microwave background in 1960s. At present, we already have a standard paradigm of modern cosmology, which is dubbed as the hot big bang theory. However, our knowledge about the universe is still dramatically developing along with the high level developments of observational technologies in precision cosmology. Therefore, how to study cosmology lies in the core of hot topics. Particle cosmology is the disciplinary subject between cosmology and particle physics. In particular, it focuses on the very early moments of the universe where the energy scale is much higher than that any particle experiments could reach. Thus, it can help us to better understand the fundamental knowledge of particle physics as well as the origin of the universe. The setup of this course is to advocate the graduate students majored in astrophysics and theoretical physics to manage the basic knowledge about the cosmology study and to learn the research frontiers. Through this course, the graduate students are expected to access the baseline of professional research in their forthcoming study.

**Course-specific Restrictions: Knowledge of general relativity**



### **3. Safety in the Chemical Lab (icourse online)**

Course Code: CHEM6400P

Course Title: Safety in the Chemical Lab (icourse online)

No. of Credits: 1

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 20

Course Places for VSE: No limit

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Department of Chemistry

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Hongyang Feng

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 01-mar-21

Last Day: 21-may-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+8

Course Description: Our approach is to teach safety in the chemical laboratory in small TOPICS by MOOC. Here are 36 topics of chemical safety, including videos, ppts, animation, etc. This freedom of learning process is practical and sends the message to students that safety is always important.

## **Universidad San Francisco de Quito**

**Location: Quito, Ecuador**

### **1. Conflict & its Resolution**

Course Code: RCL2001E

Course Title: Conflict & its Resolution

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 15 hours

Course Places for VSE: 5

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: College of Social Sciences and Humanities

Name of Course Teacher: Cecilia Isabel Conde

Link to Teacher Profile: <https://ec.linkedin.com/in/cecilia-conde-361563186>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 22-mar-21

Last Day: 16-may-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC-5

Course Description: In this course, that is open to undergraduates of all majors, the following topics are explored at an introductory level: (a) the nature, implications, and consequences of human conflict; (b) the main current theories regarding its causes; (c) so-called ‘strategies’, that are the ways in which we humans address conflict (avoidance, confrontation, yielding, management and/or resolution); (d) escalation of conflict; (e) the tendency for escalation to become irreversible; (f) the main processes for de-escalation, management and resolution, including pre-negotiation and direct negotiation between or among the parties; (g) reconciliation between or among parties that were previously in conflict; and (h) various forms of impartial third-party intervention.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: [https://estudusfqedu-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/personal/opi\\_usfq\\_edu\\_ec/EmtsGDMMMeKJCm-zBWwX\\_H90Bm\\_rVtVisFsGTOfC8RipVRw?e=ReYeR7](https://estudusfqedu-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/personal/opi_usfq_edu_ec/EmtsGDMMMeKJCm-zBWwX_H90Bm_rVtVisFsGTOfC8RipVRw?e=ReYeR7)

## 2. Drawing 1

Course Code: ART1101E

Course Title: Drawing 1

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 15 hours

Course Places for VSE: 5

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: College of Communication and Contemporary Arts

Name of Course Teacher: Amy Scheidegger

Link to Teacher Profile: <http://www.amyartisticrebuttal.com>

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 22-mar-21

Last Day: 16-may-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC-5

Course Description: This course aims to familiarize students with the basic tools of drawing, allowing them to develop the fundamental skills of perception through linear, volumetric and geometric figures that facilitate the understanding of specific studies and exercises, for instance still life and landscape.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline: [https://estudusfqedu-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/personal/opi\\_usfq\\_edu\\_ec/EmtsGDMMMeKJCm-zBWwX\\_H90Bm\\_rVtVisFsGTOfC8RipVRw?e=ReYeR7](https://estudusfqedu-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/personal/opi_usfq_edu_ec/EmtsGDMMMeKJCm-zBWwX_H90Bm_rVtVisFsGTOfC8RipVRw?e=ReYeR7)

### **3. Healthy Oceans**

Course Code: ECLXXXX

Course Title: Healthy Oceans

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 15 hours

Course Places for VSE: 5

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: College of Biological and Environmental Sciences

Name of Course Teacher: Margarita Brandt

Link to Teacher Profile: [https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Margarita\\_Brandt](https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Margarita_Brandt)

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 22-mar-21

Last Day: 16-may-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC-5

Course Description: This is a groundbreaking course produced internationally to help students from all disciplines learn and retain the core concepts of ocean health. Fundamentals of ocean science are taught by highly distinguished marine scientist in a comprehensive fashion while sharing the complexities to work with stakeholders looking for solutions for resource consumption and conservation of the marine realm. In each module students are encouraged to actively participate in the critical thinking group discussions and are required to present innovative assignments and a capstone project.

## **Yonsei University**

**Location: Seodaemun-gu, Seoul, South Korea**

### **1. Contemporary Korean Cinema and Society**

Course Code: IEE3300

Course Title: Contemporary Korean Cinema and Society

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 16 hours

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Office of International Affairs

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Hyunjun MIN

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 02-mar-21

Last Day: 27-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+9

Course Description: The turbulent recent history of South Korea has produced a society that is engaged with a variety of local and global social forces in complex and contradictory ways. The sweeping social changes in South Korean society have engaged it in a struggle to redefine and re-examine itself, and its relation to such basic ideas as gender, class, tradition and nation. Contemporary films provide an especially interesting entry into these issues and how Koreans have been thinking about them. This course is intended to enhance students' understanding of a variety of historical, social, cultural issues of South Korean society by analyzing relevant contemporary South Korean films.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:  
[http://ysweb.yonsei.ac.kr:8888/curri120601/curri\\_pop2.jsp?&hakno=IEE3300&bb=01&sb=00&domain=H1&startyy=2020&hakgi=2&ohak=4001](http://ysweb.yonsei.ac.kr:8888/curri120601/curri_pop2.jsp?&hakno=IEE3300&bb=01&sb=00&domain=H1&startyy=2020&hakgi=2&ohak=4001)

## **2. Intensive Korean Economy**

Course Code: IEE3592

Course Title: Intensive Korean Economy

No. of Credits: 1

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 16 hours

Course Places for VSE: 20

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Office of International Affairs

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Doowon Lee

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 02-mar-21

Last Day: 27-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+9

Course Description: Upon reviewing major models of economic development, this course will examine the century-old economic development of Korea and East Asia. Most of the emphasis will be given to the period after the Second World War. Most of the lecture materials will be devoted to review the evolution of the Korean economy during the last several decades in comparison with other East Asian economies. Major characteristics as well as the most important policy changes of each decade will be explained. Also, more specific topics such as macroeconomic management, fiscal and monetary policy, role of financial market, firms and industrial policy, North Korean economy and unification issues,

and social issues will be studied. In each subject, relevant theoretical backgrounds will be introduced. Also, international comparisons based on various sources of references will be made as much as possible to enhance the understanding of the lectures.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:  
[http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU\\_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Yonsei/INTENSIVE KOREAN ECONOMY%28IEE3592%29.docx](http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Yonsei/INTENSIVE KOREAN ECONOMY%28IEE3592%29.docx)

### **3. Korean Popular Culture and Korean Wave**

Course Code: IEE1154

Course Title: Korean Popular Culture and Korean Wave

No. of Credits: 3

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 16 hours

Course Places for VSE: 10

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Office of International Affairs

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Jungwon KIM

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 02-mar-21

Last Day: 27-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+9

Course Description: This course examines Korean popular culture and its related issues in historical and sociocultural contexts, focusing on K-pop. For this examination, the course outlines a history of Korean popular music in the 20th and 21st centuries, where K-pop originated. Also, the course surveys significant phenomena in contemporary Korean popular culture closely connected to the development and transnational popularity of K-pop, including the Korean Wave. The course then discusses the ramification of Korean popular culture and the Korean Wave in the global, local, and glocal cultural landscapes. Thus, this course will lead students to better understand Korean popular culture in broader contexts.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:  
[http://ysweb.yonsei.ac.kr:8888/curri120601/curri\\_pop2.jsp?&hakno=IEE1154&bb=01&sb=00&domain=H1&startyy=2020&hakgi=2&ohak=4001](http://ysweb.yonsei.ac.kr:8888/curri120601/curri_pop2.jsp?&hakno=IEE1154&bb=01&sb=00&domain=H1&startyy=2020&hakgi=2&ohak=4001)

### **4. Understanding Global Impact of COVID-19**

Course Code: IEE2090

Course Title: Understanding Global Impact of COVID-19

No. of Credits: 1

No. of Teaching Hours per Credit / Unit: 16 hours

Course Places for VSE: 20

Course Offering Faculty/School/Department: Office of International Affairs

Name of Course Teacher: Prof. Sunku Hahn +15 professors

Language of Instruction: English

First Day: 02-mar-21

Last Day: 27-jun-21

Course Component 1: Lecture. Asynchronous

Time Zone: UTC+9

Course Description: Last year, we had to experience COVID-19 unexpectedly and the whole world has been learning how to manage, fight and survive this unresolved virus until now. From the beginning of COVID-19 spread, South Korea has crafted its own roadmap to make the Korean quarantine model successful which now called “K-quarantine” as a global standard. To get through a period of global uncertainty, South Korea has been trying to create “New Normal” by applying its own perspectives. We invite 16 experts from diverse fields such as Economics, Business, Sociology, Medicine, and Politics.

Link to Course Syllabus/Outline:  
[http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU\\_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Yonsei/UNDERSTANDING GLOBAL IMPACT OF COVID-19%28IEE2090%29.docx](http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/files/docs/APRU_VSE/outlines/1H2021/Yonsei/UNDERSTANDING GLOBAL IMPACT OF COVID-19%28IEE2090%29.docx)