

Cluster	Subject Title	Instructor	Credit	Semester
S-P	Individual Action in Global Social Change: Global Citizenship Awareness and Youth Solidarity	Dr. Chen-Wei Chang	2	Winter 2026
Subject Description				
<p>This intensive course examines how individuals and youth can contribute to global social change. Through lectures, discussions, and collaborative projects, students will explore issues of inequality, intercultural understanding, and collective action. Each student will also learn to critically examine both their own society and the wider global context from a global citizenship perspective, identifying pressing issues of social transformation. The course emphasizes critical reflection, intercultural dialogue, and the design of practical initiatives that foster solidarity and envision inclusive futures.</p>				
Objective				
<p>By the end of this course, students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand global social change: Identify major contemporary challenges such as inequality, migration, gender issues, and climate change, and analyze how they intersect at both local and global levels. 2. Apply global citizenship perspectives: Critically examine their own society and global society through the lens of global citizenship, recognizing interdependence, diversity, and shared responsibility. 3. Enhance intercultural competence: Develop the ability to engage in cross-cultural dialogue, comparing perspectives from different national and social contexts (China, Taiwan, Korea, Japan). 4. Link individual action to collective solidarity: Explore how personal engagement and youth-led initiatives can contribute to broader social change and foster cross-border solidarity. 5. Design practical initiatives for change: Collaboratively create action-oriented projects that connect theory with practice, proposing concrete strategies to promote inclusion, sustainability, and peace in a divided world. 				
Learning Method				
Content				

Requirement
Evaluation
Textbook and reference (please indicate which are to be provided by instructor and which students need to find by themselves)
Pre-course reading and preparation (if any)