



The Making of Hong Kong

Tutorial
Introduction



Who?

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Today

Present the course content and the assignments

Meet each other

Form groups for oral presentation and written report



Course content

1. The History of Hong Kong
 - 1.1. A brief history of Hong Kong (politics)
 - 1.2. A brief history of Hong Kong (economics)
2. Hong Kong politics and governance
 - 2.1. How British ruled Hong Kong?
 - 2.2. Hong Kong Politics: Handover years
3. Social development
 - 3.1. Social activism in Hong Kong
 - 3.2. NGOs
 - 3.3. A dual society: Wealth, poverty and social inequalities
4. Economic development and transformation of HK
 - 4.1 Evolution of HK economic structure
 - 4.2 Hong Kong in the global economy: Toward a global city
5. The future of Hong Kong
 - 5.1. China and Hong Kong: Political challenges
 - 5.2. China and Hong Kong: Economic challenges



Tutorials planning (1)

Week	Content	Oral presentation	Reading topic
1- Sept 5	Introduction	✗	✗
2- Sept 12	Oral and writing tips	✗	✗
3- Sept 19	Class discussion	✗	"Once of Model City, Hong Kong is in Trouble", NYT 2017
4- Sept 26	Class discussion on students' projects	✗	✗
5- Sept 19		no class	
6- Oct 10	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group1	History of Hong Kong



Tutorials planning (2)

Week	Content	Oral presentation	Reading topic
7- Oct 17	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group2	Politics: handover and post 1997
8- Oct 24	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group3	Civic activism
9- Oct 31	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group4	NGOs
10- Nov 7	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group5	Poverty and inequality
11- Nov 14	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group6	Migrations
12- Nov 21	Discuss on Reading + Class presentation	✓ group7	Global city
13- Nov 28	Q&A - Mock exam	✗	✗



Grading

Participation and class performance	10 %
Group oral presentation	20 %
Group report	30 %
Final Examination	40 %
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Total	100 %



Tutorial assignments

Assessment and evaluation

Participation and class performance	10 %
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I will take attendance every week

Your participation is required:

- During general discussions
- During discussions on required readings
- During students' oral presentation

I will distribute play cards for significant oral participation in class



Tutorial assignments

Group oral presentation	20 %
Group report	30 %

We will have 7 class presentations and reports

Ideally: 14 students = 7 groups of 2

Exceptionally, we can have groups of 3 (cf. course outline). But the assessment will take the number of participants into account.



Tutorial assignments

Group oral presentation	20 %
Group report	30 %

Oral presentations = 20-25 minutes

+ Discussion with the class

Assessment will take into account your capacity to generate a discussion with the audience



Discussion on required readings

Weeks 3 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11 - 12

Discussion = 30 minutes

1. Read the tutorial required reading
2. Take notes:
 1. To identify the main messages
 2. To enlighten the structure of the text
 3. To identify passages you do not fully understand
 4. To identify arguments with which you disagree
 5. To identify elements you can add
3. You should be able:
 1. To identify the methodology and the type of arguments (analysis based on statistics, interviews, readings, etc.)
 2. To summarize the main messages
 3. To have a critical opinion about the text
4. Read also all lecture required readings



Lecture and tutorial required readings

How to use required readings:

- To participate during tutorials
- To find elements you may use during the final examination



What about you?

1. What is your name?
2. What is your major?
3. What is your career objective?
4. What do you expect from a course titled "The Making of Hong Kong"?



Class discussion

What do you think social sciences are useful for?

Sociology

Political science

Economics



Groups for oral presentation and written report

2 steps:

Today (week 1): Form a group and choose a broad topic

Sept 26 (week 4): Define a precise question + a methodology



Groups for oral presentation and written report

Possible broad topics

1. History of Hong Kong
2. Hong Kong political issues
e.g. Institutions, role of government, political debates, etc.
3. Hong Kong society
e.g. Social or political organizations (NGOs, political parties, cultural associations...), social structures (families, religions, businesses), etc.
4. Social issues
Inequalities, education, health, aging, migrations, real estate, urbanization, environmental issues, leisure, gender inequality, tolerance...
5. Economic development and transformation of HK
Economic structure (manufacturing, tourism, finance...), Future economic challenges, Economic policy debates (tax system, trade policy, etc).
6. The future of Hong Kong: challenges ahead
Relationships with China, climate change, etc.