



**Department | International Relations &
Diplomacy**

College | Political Science

Salahaddin University | Erbil

**Subject | History of Diplomatic and Consular
Relations**

Course Book | 2nd year Students

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10- Course Objective:

The module offers an advanced study of the history of Diplomatic and consular relations. It will deal with development in the diplomatic and consular relations and then explores contemporary aspects of diplomatic and consular practices.

Learning Outcome:

Knowledge and Understanding Students should:

- To deliver a module that complements the other elements of the degree programme;
- Achieve an understanding of different phases of history of diplomatic and consular relations.
- Appreciate how these relations have been conducted, particularly in the context of crisis management using case studies
- The aims of this module are:
- To familiarize students with the contemporary literature and debates;
- To establish competence in a variety of approaches;
- Appreciate the developing debates over what constitutes modern and contemporary diplomacy.
- Demonstrate a particular knowledge in the area of Diplomatic and Consular Relations.
- Covering conceptual considerations.

Intellectual, professional-practical and transferable skills :

- The ability to critically assess advanced academic writing.
- Discussing and defending one's point of view in a group.
- Communication skills and oral presentations

11- Forms of Teaching:

- Lecture
- Quiz
- Assignment.
- Seminar and Report
- Student interactive participation in Class.
- Final Exam

12- Assessment scheme |

- Activity | Quiz, Class Interactive participation & Seminars % 10
- Midterm Exam %30
- Final examination % 60

Evaluation and feedback are crucial to the success of any module. The instructor wants students to have their say on Politics modules. Therefore, modules are formally evaluated on a biennial basis, so please use this opportunity to have your say. If you have any other comments or queries regarding this module, please contact the Module instructor.

13- Course Reading list and References:

- Thierry Balzacq & Frédéric Charillon, Global Diplomacy 'An Introduction to Theory and Practice, Translated: William Snow, Palgrave Macmillan, 2020.
- Sally Marks Chas. W. Freeman, Diplomacy, Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc. Jan 17th, 2019. <https://www.britannica.com/topic/diplomacy>
- Dr. Dana Barzinji, An Introduction to Contemporary Diplomatic and Consular Relations, Zahawi Center, No. 56. 1st Edition, 2017.
- Leira, H. , A Conceptual History of Diplomacy, BK-SAGE-CONSTANTINO-160137-Chp02.indd, 2016.
- Mark J. Kadish, Article 36 of the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations: A Search for the Right to Consul, Michigan Journal of International Law, Vol. 18, Issue 4, 1997.
- Colin Elman & Miriam Fendius Elman, Diplomatic History and International Relations Theory: Respecting Difference & Crossing Boundaries, International Security, Vol. 22, No. 1, Summer, 1997, pp. 5-21, The MIT Press: <https://www.jstor.org/stable/2539324>

14- The Topics

Lecture's Name

Week 1 |

1. Conceptual, Emergence and Evolution of Diplomacy

1.1 | The Origin of Diplomacy Word and Its Evolution.

1.2 | Definition of Diplomacy.

Note:

Please note that the seminars will run a week AFTER the

<p>Week 2, 3 </p> <p>1.3 Nature and Purpose</p> <p>2. The Historical Evolution of Diplomacy</p> <p>2.1: Diplomacy in the Ancient ages/era:</p> <p>2.1.1: Diplomacy in China</p> <p>2.1.2: Diplomacy in India</p>	<p>lecture topic delivered to students. By other means, a week after the lecture topic delivered by module instructor seminars will be held on the same lecture topic by students.</p>
<p>Week 4, 5 </p> <p>2.1.3: Diplomacy in the age of Greece empire.</p> <p>2.1.4: Diplomacy in the age of Romanian empire.</p>	
<p>Week 6, 7 </p> <p>3. Diplomacy in the Medieval age:</p> <p>3.1: Diplomacy in the age of Byzantine Empire.</p> <p>3.2: Diplomacy in the age of Arab and Muslims.</p>	
<p>Week 8, 9 </p> <p>4. Classical Diplomacy</p> <p>4.1: Italian Diplomacy</p> <p>4.2: French Diplomacy</p>	
<p>Week 10, 11 </p> <p>5. History of Consular Relations</p> <p>5.1: The history of the emergence and Formation of Consular Relations</p> <p>5.2: History of the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations and its Articles.</p>	
<p>Week 12, 13 </p>	

<p>5.3: Conduction of Consular Relations and the Organization of Consulate:</p> <p>5.3.1: Types of Consulate Staff/Employment.</p> <p>5.3.2: Degree and Ranks of Consuls.</p> <p>5.3.3: The appointment of Consuls.</p>	
<p>Week 14, 15 </p> <p>5.4: Term of Reference of Consulate task.</p> <p>5.5: The Establishment of Consular functions / The Duties and Privileges of Consul staff.</p> <p>5.6: The Immunity and Obligations of Consul.</p>	
<p>Week 16 1st Semester Final Exam</p>	
<p>Hint:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1- Final Examinations and Cuisses depending on time board.2- Questions, Exercises and problems are included at the end of each chapters (Solved problems at class and home works).	