

04717242 MASS CUTURAL STUDIES Module 4, 2020-2021

## **Course Information**

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Venue: TBC

# 1. Course Description

### 1.1 Context

#### Course overview:

This course aims to give an overall description of current cultural industries. Theories and relevant cases will be introduced and discussed from several dimensions, such as text, audience, institutions, policy, space, corporate management, nation-state, globalization, etc. In this course, students are expected to be familiar with basic issues in cultural industries and critically analyse new cases in this field.

Prerequisites: Journalism and Communication Studies

#### 1.2 Textbooks

向勇(2016), 文化产业导论, 北京, 北京大学出版社。

# 2. Learning Outcomes

### 2.1 Intended Learning Outcomes

Learning Goals	Objectives	Assessment
1. Our graduates will be effective	1.1. Our students will produce quality business and research-	Final exam
communicators.	oriented documents.	
	1.2. Students are able to professionally present their ideas and	Case studies/in-class
	also logically explain and defend their argument.	discussion
2. Our graduates will be skilled in	2.1. Students will be able to lead and participate in group for	Case studies
team work and leadership.	projects, discussion, and presentation.	
	2.2. Students will be able to apply leadership theories and	Case studies
	related skills.	
3. Our graduates will be trained in	3.1. In a case setting, students will use appropriate techniques	Case studies
ethics.	to analyze business problems and identify the ethical aspects,	
	provide a solution and defend it.	
	3.2. Our students will practice ethics in the duration of the	Case studies/in-class
	program.	discussion/final project
4. Our graduates will have a	4.1. Students will have an international exposure.	In-class discussion
global perspective.		
5. Our graduates will be skilled in	5.1. Our students will have a good understanding of	Case studies/in-class
problem-solving and critical	fundamental theories in their fields.	discussion/final project
thinking.	5.2. Our students will be prepared to face problems in various	Case studies/in-class

business settings and find solutions.	discussion/final project
5.3. Our students will demonstrate competency in critical	Case studies/in-class
thinking.	discussion/final project

## 2.2 Assessment/Grading Details

Participation and attendance:20%

Case Studies (based on the cases given by the instructor):30%

Final Project (Presentation + Paper): 50%

### 2.3 Academic Honesty and Plagiarism

It is important for a student's effort and credit to be recognized through class assessment. Credits earned for a student work due to efforts done by others are clearly unfair. Deliberate dishonesty is considered academic misconducts, which include plagiarism; cheating on assignments or examinations; engaging in unauthorized collaboration on academic work; taking, acquiring, or using test materials without faculty permission; submitting false or incomplete records of academic achievement; acting alone or in cooperation with another to falsify records or to obtain dishonestly grades, honors, awards, or professional endorsement; or altering, forging, or misusing a University academic record; or fabricating or falsifying of data, research procedures, or data analysis.

All assessments are subject to academic misconduct check. Misconduct check may include reproducing the assessment, providing a copy to another member of faculty, and/or communicate a copy of this assignment to the PHBS Discipline Committee. A suspected plagiarized document/assignment submitted to a plagiarism checking service may be kept in its database for future reference purpose.

Where violation is suspected, penalties will be implemented. The penalties for academic misconduct may include: deduction of honour points, a mark of zero on the assessment, a fail grade for the whole course, and reference of the matter to the Peking University Registrar.

For more information of plagiarism, please refer to PHBS Student Handbook.

# 3. Topics, Teaching and Assessment Schedule

Session	Subject
1	Preparation
2	Introduction of Text Studies
3	Text and Semiotics I
4	Text and Semiotics II
5	Audience Studies
6	Cultural Practice I
7	Cultural Practice II
8	Economical Process of Culture
9	Understanding UGC I
10	Understanding UGC II
11	Consumption as Production I
12	Consumption as Production II

13	Nation-state and Cultural Policy
14	Introduction of Cultural Globalization
15	Cultural Globalization and Hegemony
16	Summary
17	Presentation I
18	Presentation II

### **Recommended Readings:**

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Charles Landry, The Art of City Making, UK: Earthscan, London: Sterling, VA, 2006.

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Lotz, Amanda D., The Television Will Be Revolutionized, New York University Press, 2007.

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Simon Roodhouse, Cultural Quarter, Bristol: intellect, August 2010.

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Theodor Adorno, Max Horkheimer, *The Culture Industry: Enlightenment as Mass Deception*, most of one chapter from *Dialectics of Enlightenment*, Verso, 1979.

Tuchman, G., Making News: A Study in the Construction of Reality, The Free Press, 1978.

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Williams, R., Television, Technology And Cultural Form, Fontana, 1974.

Zhao, Yuezhi, Media, Market and Democracy in China: Between the Party Line and the Bottom Line, University of Illinois Press, 1998.

Zhu, Y. and Berry, C., TV China, Indiana University Press, 2009.

Zhu, Y., Two Billion Eyes: The Story of China Central Television, 2012.