Subject Description Form

Subject Code	CC308 / CC308P		
Subject Title	Discovering Chinese Culture in the Field 發現中國文化		
Credit Value	3		
Level	3		
Pre-requisite / Co-requisite/ Exclusion	Exclusion for CC308:CC308PExclusion for CC308P:CC308		
Objectives	As the old Chinese saying goes, travel and experience afford greater learning than books. Direct observation of cultural sites is essential for students in the humanities. Abstract learning and concrete experience will become one when students combine book learning with on-site visits. This course will focus on three topics: Traditional Arts and City, Historical Figures and Sites, as well as Clans and Rituals.Students will have the opportunity to go on study tours to cultural and historical sites of Hong Kong.		
Intended Learning Outcomes	 Upon completion of the subject, students will be able to: a) grasp the fundamental methodology of conducting on-site studies in the field of Chinese culture; b) grasp the skills of presenting cultural phenomena and heritage; c) independently conduct historical field studies according to their own research needs; d) strengthen their professional knowledge through both theoretical and practical learning. 		

Subject Synopsis/	Part One : Traditional Arts and the City
Indicative Syllabus	 Traditional Chinese operas in Hong Kong (Kunqu and Cantonese Opera)
	2) A study tour to the Cantonese Opera Heritage Hall of Hong Kong Heritage
	 The cultural significance of the traditional operas in modern society (evaluation & students' presentation)
	Part Two : Historical Figures and Sites
	 New Asia College, Contemporary Neo-Confucianism and the Chinese cultural crises in the 20th century
	5) A study tour to New Asia College and the former campus (New Asia Middle School)
	6) Hong Kong's role in the development of Contemporary Neo- Confucianism (evaluation & students' presentation)
	Part Three : Religion and Society
	7) Religious belief and practices in traditional Chinese communities
	8) A study tour to the Pingshan Cultural Heritage Trail and the Exhibition Hall of the Deng Clan
	 9) The cultural significance of the religious belief and practices to the community on the Pingshan Cultural Heritage Trail (evaluation & students' presentation)
Teaching/Learning Methodology	1) This course is divided into three learning units, each taught by a professor. Before each field trip, the professor in charge will introduce theoretical concepts related to the topic of the field trip, and significant details of the sites.
	2) During each field trip, the professor in charge will provide on-site explanations and answer students' queries.
	 After the field trip, the students will give oral presentations under the guidance of the professor.
	 Besides attending all the lectures, students are required to attend at least two of the three field trips.

Assessment Methods in			Γ			
Alignment with Intended Learning Outcomes	Specific assessment methods/tasks	% weighting	Intended subject learning outcomes to be assessed (Please tick as appropriate)			
			a	b	с	d
	1. Written Report	40%	~	\checkmark	\checkmark	~
	2. Fieldtrip Report	30%	~	✓	✓	~
	3. Oral Presentation	20%	~	✓	✓	~
	4.Class Participation & Discussion	10%	~	~	~	~
	Total	100%				
Student Study	 Explanation of the appropriateness of the assessment methods in assessing the intended learning outcomes: First, for the intended learning outcomes (a) and (d),the written report (3000 words) and fieldtrip report (2,500 words) aim to assess students' overall mastery of the content and methodology of historical and cultural field activities as well as their writing and speaking ability. Second, for the intended learning outcomes (b) and (c), Class participation, discussion and the oral presentation will help assess the students' degree of involvement and ability to respond questions appropriately. Students will be judged according to the contributions they make towards the advancement of classroom discussion, the coherence of their remarks and the relationship they bear to the content of the subject. 					
Student Study Effort Expected	Class contact: Lectures				20 Hrs.	
	Tutorials				10 Hrs.	
	 Fieldtrips 				24 Hrs	
	Other student study effort:					
	 Reading 				30 Hrs.	
	Writing				30 Hrs.	
	 Discussion 				10 Hrs.	
	Total student study effo	ort				124 Hrs.

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