

College of Law and Politics, Kyungnam University

Course Title: Building Northeast Asian Community  
Course Term: Fall 2015 (September to December 2015)

Course Syllabus

**Part 1: Overview of the Northeast Asian Community Discourse**

Week 1 Overview of Northeast Asian Community Discussion

LEE Su-Hoon (Professor, Kyungnam University, IFES)

Week 2 Keynote Speech: What is Northeast Asian Community?

SATO Yoji (Chairman, One Asia Foundation)

Week 3 History of Regional Cooperation in Northeast Asia

PARK Byung-In (Professor, Kyungnam University, IFES)

**Part 2: Special Lecture Series: Building Northeast Asian Community**

Week 4 Special Lecture on Understanding North Korea

KIM Keun-Sik (Professor, Kyungnam University)

Week 5 North Korean Nuclear Challenge: Overcoming Major Security Obstacles for NEA  
Community Building

LEE, Soo-Hyung (Senior Researcher, Institute for national Security & Strategy)

Week 6 The Six-Party Talks: Multilateral Security Framework for Northeast Asia

SONG Min-soon (Former Minister of Foreign Affairs)

Week 7 Economic Integration in Northeast Asia

YANG Moon-su (Professor, University of North Korean Studies)

Week 8 Enhancing Inter-Korean Cooperation: Why This Is Important for Northeast Asian  
Region

LEE Su-Hoon (Professor, Kyungnam University, IFES)

Week 9 The Establishment of Inter-Korean Economic Community

PARK, Jae-hoon (Professor, Incheon National University)

- Week 10 The Trans-Asian Railway and Northeast Asian Community  
NA Hee-seung (Research Associate, Korean Railroad Research Institute)
- Week 11 Future Prospect of Northeast Asian Community and Korea-Japan Relationship  
KIM Yong-Bok (Professor, Kyungnam University)
- Week 12 Prospects for Economic Cooperation in Northeast Asia and the Role of Russia  
KIM Suk-hwan (Professor, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)
- Week 13 Northeast Asian Community and Human Security: Issues Concerning North Korea  
CHO, Dae-yop (Professor, Korea University)
- Week 14 Social and Cultural Dimensions of Korean Reunification and Beyond  
LEE, Soo-Jung (Professor, University of North Korean Studies)
- Week 15 Future Direction for the Northeast Asian Community  
CHUNG Joon-gon (Senior Researcher, One Asia Foundation)
- Week 16 Final Exam and Wrap-up  
CHO Jae-Wook (Professor, Kyungnam University)

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