



Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research  
Lebanese French University – Erbil  
Division of Quality Assurance

**College of Law and International Relations**  
**Department of Diplomacy and International Relations**

# **Subject: Diplomatic Concepts**

Second **Year** – First **Semester**

**Lecturer's Name:**

**Lect. Ahmed Babakr Ahmed**

Master in International Relations

**Academic Year: 2023 – 2024**

**Course Book**



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1.	<b>Course Name</b>	Diplomatic Concepts
2.	<b>Course Code</b>	.....
3.	<b>Lecturer in Charge</b>	Lect. Ahmed Babakr Ahmed
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6.	<b>Time(in hours) Per week</b>	Theory: 3 Hours a week Sunday: 9-11- 12- 1 Practical: 0
7.	<b>Office Hours</b>	Availability every day
8.	<b>Teacher's Academic Profile</b>	My name is Ahmed Babakr Ahmed I got my Master degree in international relations. Currently working as a lecturer and researcher at Lebanese French University-Erbil. College of Law and International Relations/Department of Diplomacy & International Relations.
9.	<b>Keywords</b>	Diplomatic, Diplomatic Relations , Embassies & Consulates
10.	<b>Course Overview:</b> <b>Upon successful completion of this module, students will be able to:</b>  1. Debate on topics of fundamental importance in the sphere of diplomatic concepts. 2. Students will be able to learn about diplomatic terms and the missions or activities of diplomatic missions.	



<b>11.</b>	<b>Course Objectives:</b> This module is designed for undergraduate students of Diplomatic and International Relations. This course introduces students to the practice of diplomacy. It enhances students' knowledge of the fundamental theoretical approaches through which empirical examples from the modern world are examined. It develops critical thinking and helps students to improve their analytical skills in the field of diplomatic issues. The course will attempt to answer the following questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- What are the diplomatic concepts?</li><li>- What are the sections of the embassy and consulate?</li><li>- What are the characteristic features of diplomatic missions?</li><li>- What are the main diplomatic Terms?</li></ul>										
<b>12.</b>	<b>Course Requirement:</b> Attendance, Seminar Presentation, exams, assignments, reports. scientific interaction.										
<b>13.</b>	<b>Forms of Teaching:</b> Book, Data Shaw and Power point, White board, world map.										
<b>14.</b>	<b>Assessment Scheme:</b>  <b>Assessment Method:</b> <table data-bbox="365 1396 1096 1575"><tr><td>Midterm Examination</td><td>30 %</td></tr><tr><td>Course Work and Assignments</td><td>10 %</td></tr><tr><td>Final Examination</td><td>60 %</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2"><hr/></td></tr><tr><td>Total</td><td>100 %</td></tr></table>	Midterm Examination	30 %	Course Work and Assignments	10 %	Final Examination	60 %	<hr/>		Total	100 %
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<b>15.</b>	<b>Students Learning Outcome:</b> The real result that we look forward to is the students' knowledge of everything related to diplomacy and diplomatic relations, as well as the composition and functioning of the diplomatic mission, as well as the consulate, and distinguishing it from the embassy and its functions.										
<b>16.</b>	<b>Course Reading List and References:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Key References</li><li>- Jose Calvet, The Pure concepts of diplomacy, Greenwood publish Group,1988.</li><li>- Henry Kissinger, Diplomacy, New york, Simon &amp; Schuster,2012.</li></ul>										



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- Charles Chatterjee, *International Law & Diplomacy*, Routledge, 2013.
- Useful References : [Magazines and review\(internet\)](#):
  - Yolanda Kemp Spies, *Global Diplomacy and International Society*, Springer, 2018.
  - Jan Melissen· Jian Wang, *Debating Public Diplomacy: Now and Next*, BRILL, 2019.
  - Corneliu Bjola· Markus Kornprobst, *Understanding International Diplomacy: Theory, Practice and Ethics*, Routledge, 2013.
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17. The Topics:

Lecture Schedule

Week	Lecture Date	Number of hours	Topic
1	12-9-2023	2	Introduction
1	19-9-2023	1	International Relations
2	26-9-2023	2	Foreign policy & International politics
2	3-10-2023	1	International community
3	10-10-2023	2	Public international law
3	17-10-2023	1	Diplomacy
4	24-10-2023	2	Types of diplomacy
4	31-10-2023	1	Diplomatic history
5	7-11-2023	2	Diplomatic mission
5	14-11-2023	1	Embassy and its functions
6	21-11-2023	2	Consulate and its functions
6	28-11-2023	1	The difference between the diplomatic mission and the embassy
7	5-12-2023	2	Characteristics of diplomatic missions
7	12-12-2023	1	Diplomacy and Diplomatic Protocol



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٨	19-12-2023	2	Some diplomatic terms
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**Examinations:**

1. Compositional:  
In this type of exam the questions usually starts with explain (How...? / What ...? /Why...?) With their typical answers. (example should be provided)
2. True or False :  
In this type of exam a short sentence about a specific subject will be comment on the trueness or falseness of this particular sentence. (example should be provided)
3. Multiple Choices:  
In this type of exam there will be a number of phrases next or below a statement, students will match the correct phrase. (example should be provided)

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**Extra notes:**