EE 402A – Topics in International Technology Management
Syllabus – Autumn 2013 (FY2013-2014)

We welcome visitors to all our sessions. If you are a registered Stanford student, you may take this seminar series for university credit.

This 1-unit seminar is offered only on a Satisfactory/No Credit basis. Register for the course (EE 402A in Axess). There are no prerequisites. Enrollment is open to undergraduates and graduates in any school or department at Stanford.

Requirements for Credit
1. **Attend and participate in person at the auditorium for at least 7 of the 9 sessions.**
   - Evidence of your participation is required!
   - First session: fill out, sign, and return the survey form
   - All subsequent sessions: sign the attendance sheet at the auditorium. The attendance sheet will be passed around the auditorium at some time during the session. It is not available at any other time. If you do not sign the form at this time, your on-site attendance will **NOT** be credited for the session.
   - This task is waived for SCPD students.

**AND**
2. **Submit an email comment (about 60 words) for each session, for at least 8 of the 9 sessions.** All students (regular and SCPD) fulfill this task by emailing their comments to:
   - Email Comment within two weeks of the session to:
     -- Prof. Dasher **<rdasher at stanford dot edu>, and**
     -- Course Assistant TBA
     -- In the subject line write, "[EE 402A] <Student ID Number>, <Name>
     <Date of the Session>"
   - Comments do not have to be a comprehensive summary of everything said during the session, but they should indicate something that could ONLY be learned by being present or watching the streaming video of that session.
   - Comments that are obvious, e.g. just copies of some bullet points from speaker slides, will not be accepted.
   - We will indicate by return email whether or not your comment has been credited. Please save the emails until the end of the quarter, just in case…
   - Each week’s comment is due within two weeks of the day of the session.
   - There is a shorter deadline for the comment from the last week’s session. That comment is due by the scheduled day/time of the course’s final exam.

There is no final exam.

If it becomes impossible for a student to complete the credit requirements during the quarter (e.g. due to unexpected illness), the student should either drop the course or contact Prof. Dasher to discuss a possible make-up assignment. If the student does not have a good reason for failing to meet the regular credit requirements, the option of a make-up assignment may not be granted.
NOTES:

• Students who are unable to complete Requirement 1 due to schedule conflict with another Stanford University class or other official University activity may contact Prof. Dasher to ask if make-up work can be done instead of that requirement. Such an exception is only granted at the discretion of the instructor on a case-by-case basis.

There are no exceptions to Requirement 2.

• At Professor Dasher’s discretion, we may post the content of your comment to our Linkedin discussion group. We will delete all identifying info and keep your comment anonymous, unless you note in your comment that it’s okay to reveal your name.

• Students are welcome to also post their comments to the Linkedin discussion group, but, the comment must still be e-mailed to Professor Dasher and the Course Assistant to receive credit.

Incompletes
Students must request an incomplete by email to the instructor by the last class session. Note that Stanford policy requires incompletes to be made up within one calendar year.

Note to SCPD Students
Same rules apply as regular students except that attendance can be counted by watching the session on-line through SCPD. SCPD students are still required to submit comments (Requirement 2) for 8 out of 9 sessions.

Archived Seminars
Please contact the US-Asia Technology Management Center in order to view archive copies of EE-402A videotapes after the end of the course. Most offerings of our EE402A, EE402S and EE402T series from previous years are also available for viewing.

Course Web Page
Visit the course webpage for seminar topics and speaker background, for the archive of presentation materials from each session: Click on “Courses” at <http://asia.stanford.edu/>

Optional
All students and visitors are encouraged to join the Stanford US Asia Technology Management Center Linkedin Group via the link on the homepage and share their commentary in the online discussions.

For weekly announcements about the seminars and other Silicon Valley programs on similar topics, you can subscribe to the Stanford University US-Asia Technology Management Center Event List by sending a blank email with any subject to <asiatech-events-join@lists.stanford.edu>

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