

**Political Science 113A  
Summer 2014  
MW 11:00-1:50  
Peterson Hall 110**

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**Course Description:**

The Purpose of this course is to provide a systematic introduction to the core concepts and cultural and political legacies of East Asian political thought. The course will emphasize both ideas and behavior, and course themes will include the Confucian ideas of proper order, the problem of moral markets, and the issue of lasting legacies.

There are no pre-requisites and course grades will be based on one take-home mid-term (40%) and one take-home final (60%).

**Readings:**

**Weeks 1 - 3:**

Yao, Confucianism – entire

**Weeks 3 - 5:**

W.T. de Bary , Sources of Chinese Tradition Vol I – selection on Confucius and Mencius.

D. Bell (Optional)