

Faculty of Nursing, Prince of Songkla University  
Course Syllabus

### Section 1: General Description

1. Code and Course Title: 641-813 Philosophy and Eastern Wisdom
2. Credit: 1(1-0-2) Discussion 15 hours; Self-Study 30 hours
3. Program: Doctor of Philosophy Program in Nursing Science (International Program)
4. Course Coordinator: Assoc. Professor Dr. Urai Hatthakit  
Coordinator Assistant: Asst. Professor Dr. Prapaporn Chukumnerd
5. Semester/ Year/ Academic Year: 2/1/2018
6. Classroom: Room 3203, Duangvadee Sungkhobol Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

### Section 2: Course Objectives

#### 1. Course Objectives

After completion of this course, students are able to:

- 1.1 able to discuss ontology and epistemology of Eastern philosophies
- 1.2 able to deeply understand about the influence of Eastern philosophies, Eastern wisdom and philosophy of sufficiency economy on the development of nursing knowledge
- 1.3 able to discuss and analyze Eastern philosophies and Eastern wisdom and their implications to nursing based on nursing's metaparadigm

#### 2. Objectives of a Course Revision

Students are able to deeply understand ontology and epistemology of Eastern philosophies and the influence of Eastern philosophies, Eastern wisdom and philosophy of sufficiency economy on the development of nursing knowledge and their implications to nursing.

### Section 3: Course Description and Design

#### 1. Course Description

Ontology, epistemology of Eastern philosophy, Eastern wisdom, philosophy of sufficiency economy and their influence on the development of nursing knowledge; the knowledge analysis and synthesis based on nursing's metaparadigm

#### 2. Number of Hours per Semester

Lecture/Discussion	Lab	Self-Study	Field Practice	Tutorial
15	-	30	-	-

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### 3. Number of Hours per Week for Consultation

#### 3.1 Hours assigned for individual consultation

Coordinator	E-mail	week	Date	Time
Asst. Professor Dr. Prapaporn Chukumnerd	prapaporn.c@psu.ac.th	3-9	Monday	3.00-4.00 p.m.
Assoc. Professor Dr. Urai Hatthakit	uraihster@gmail.com	10-16	Monday	3.00-4.00 p.m.

#### 3.2 Students are able to make an appointment 1 week in advance by email.

## Section 4: Learning Outcomes

### 1. Morality and Ethics

1.3 Possess leadership in promoting moral and ethical behaviors and in developing knowledge and conducting academic work.\*

### 2. Knowledge

2.2 Possess behavior in updating nursing knowledge including hot issues and trend related to nursing science and Eastern philosophies.\*

### 3. Cognitive Skills

3.1 Demonstrate ability to develop new knowledge by applying nursing science, Eastern philosophy and Eastern wisdom.\*

### 4. Interpersonal Skills and Responsibility

4.1 Demonstrate ability to express academic and professional ideas in creative way. \*

Note \* indicate the major responsibility of the course as pre-specified in the curriculum mapping

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## Section 5: Course Plan and Evaluation

### 1. Course Plan (Schedule)

Date (Week)	Time (hours)	Topic	Teaching- Learning Methods	Lecturer
Jan 7, 2019 (1)	9-9.30 a.m. (0.5 hr.)	Course Orientation	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai Hatthakit
	9.30-11 a.m. (1.5 hr.)	1. Overview of Eastern Philosophy and Eastern Wisdom	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai
Jan 14, 2019 (2)	9-11 a.m. (2 hr.)	2. Buddhism	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai
Jan 21, 2019 (3)	9-10 a.m. (1 hr.)	Individual Assignment	Meet course coordinators	
Jan 28, 2019 (4)	9-11 a.m. (2 hr.)	3. Islam	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai
Feb 4, 2019 (5)	9-11 a.m. (2 hr.)	4. Indian Philosophy and its Implications to nursing based on metaparadigm in nursing*		
Feb 11, 2019 (6)	9-11 a.m. (2 hr.)	5. Sufficiency Economy and its Implications to nursing based on metaparadigm in nursing*	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai
Feb 18, 2019 (7)		Individual study on the selected topic	Meet advisors	
Feb 25, 2019 (8)	9-11 a.m. (2 hr.)	6. Chinese Philosophies and their implications based on metaparadigm in nursing* 5.1 Taoism 5.2 Confucianism	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai
Mar 4, 11, 2019 (9, 10)		Individual study on the selected topic	Meet advisors	

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Date (Week)	Time (hours)	Topic	Teaching- Learning Methods	Lecturer
Mar 18, 2019 (11)		Submission of the report (2 copies)		
		Study visit to Wattumsumano, Pattalung Province: Sufficiency Economy Project	Study visit	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai and Asst. Prof. Dr. Prapaporn
Mar 25, 2019 (12)	9-11.30 a.m (2.5 hr.)	Presentation	Discussion	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai & Asst. Prof. Dr. Prapaporn Chukumnerd
	11.30-12.00 p.m. (0.5 hr.)	Course evaluation		Assoc. Prof. Dr. Urai & Asst. Prof. Dr. Prapaporn

**Note:** 1. Students must have time to self-study at least 2 hours a week.

2. Students must receive feedback of each assignment/paper from advisors. If there is any doubt, the students can ask to check the grading within 1 semester only/or after the enrolment semester only.

\* The dates are subject to change to after the related lectures given by special lecturers.

## 2. Evaluation Plan of the Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes	Methods of Evaluation	Week	Weight
1.3; 2.2; 3.1; 4.1	- Discussion and participation in class and LMS@psu	1-12	20%
1.3; 2.2; 3.1; 4.1	- Individual report paper on analysis and discuss the application of a selected Eastern philosophy based on nursing's metaparadigm (1 paper/due date Mar 21, 2019)	7, 9, 10, 11	60%
1.3; 2.2; 3.1; 4.1	- Presentation of the report in class	12	20%

**Note:** Any incoming doubts or queries about the course evaluation and grading, please contact the course coordinator within this semester or not later than the following semester.

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## Section 6: Learning Resources

### 6.1 Required Textbooks/Books

- Brannigan, M.C. (2003). *The Pulse of Wisdom: The Philosophies of India, China, and Japan* (3rd ed.). Wadsworth Pub Co.
- Hiriyanna, M. (1995). *The essentials of Indian philosophy*. Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass.
- Payutto, P. (1995). *Buddhadhamma: Natural laws and values of life*. (Translated by Olson, G.A.). New York: State University of New York Press.
- Suntree, S. (2000). *Wisdom of the east: Stories of compassion, inspiration, and love*. Chicago: Contemporary Books.

### 6.2 Suggest Books and Other Resources

#### 6.2.1 Books

#### 6.2.2 Journal

- Paonil, W., Sringernyuang, L. (2002). Buddhist perspectives on health and healing. *The Chulalongkorn Journal of Buddhist Studies*, 1(2), 93-105.
- Macksood, A. Groundwork on Islamic philosophy: An examination of issues in epistemology, metaphysics, and philosophy of religion in the context of modern western philosophy [Online]. Available: [http://www.file:///D:/PhD/Data/jul12-05/Groundwork on Islamic Philosophy- M\\_Aftab.htm](http://www.file:///D:/PhD/Data/jul12-05/Groundwork%20on%20Islamic%20Philosophy-M_Aftab.htm)
- Nasr, S.H. Islam and Modern Science [Online]. Available: [http://www.file:///D:/PhD/Data/jul12-05/Islam and Modern Science.htm](http://www.file:///D:/PhD/Data/jul12-05/Islam%20and%20Modern%20Science.htm)
- No author. Epistemology in Islamic philosophy [Online]. Available: <http://www.muslimphilosophy.com/rep/HO19.htm>

#### 6.2.3 Electronic databases or websites

- Asain Philosophy: <https://www.tandfonline.com/loi/casp20>
- Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy: <https://www.iep.utm.edu/daoism/>
- Sufficiency Economy Philosophy: <http://thaiembdc.org/sufficiency-economy-philosophy/> and <http://www.rdpb.go.th/en/Download/book-document-form-c130>
- Buddhist Society: <https://www.thebuddhistsociety.org/>

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### Consequences of Academic Misconduct (Plagiarism)

The report paper will be checked the similarities of contents using Turnitin program. Course coordinators have a practice guideline for the students' academic misconduct (plagiarism) or unethical academic working according to the consensus of the graduate committees, Faculty of Nursing at the meeting 10/2012 on October 11, 2012 as in the following:

1. Be warned for misconducting in the first time

When the reader reviews a student's submitted paper draft and sees plagiarism, the student will be warned.

2. Reduce score 20% for misconducting in the second time and receive grade "B"

When the reader reviews the submitted final paper and sees plagiarism, score of the paper will be reduced 20%. Furthermore, the student must revise the paper. If the reader does not see plagiarism of the first revised paper, then the student will receive grade B.

3. Reduce score 40% for misconducting in the third time and receive grade "C"

If the reader sees plagiarism of the first revised paper, score of this paper will be reduced 40%. In addition, the student must revise the paper again and if the reader does not see plagiarism of the second revised paper, then the student will receive grade C.

4. Receive "F" (Fail) for misconducting in the fourth time

If the reader sees plagiarism of the second revised paper, the student will receive "F" for the course.

### Feedback

According to the consensus of the graduate committee in the meeting 2/2017 on February 6, 2017, Faculty of Nursing, the regulations of giving graduate students feedback about their assignments/paper are as follows;

1. The lecturers must give feedback within 1-2 weeks after students have submitted their assignments/paper.

2. The students must submit the last assignments/paper before due date, so that they can be read and reviewed before giving feedback. The students will get feedback after their presentation of the final assignments/paper in class.

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