

Course Title: REC5680 Japanese Energy Policy and Regulation

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CLASS:

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The objective of this course is to give student a viewpoint, basic method of thinking of energy policy, particularly in their home countries as well as in Japan. This course offers a series of lectures about a basic of energy policy by making a reference to Japan's energy policy. The lectures include government policy and regulation issues related to current mainstream energy sources such as coal, oil and natural gas. The lectures also cover such issues as increasing electricity demands, recent climate policies, energy conservation policies, and so on.

To achieve the objective of the course, students are expected to actively participate in discussion and share their opinions with others about the application to their home countries. Students will effectively learn energy policy by preliminarily organizing the energy related situation in their home countries.

REQUIREMENTS

There is no prerequisite for the student.

Grading will be made by following standard.

Participation in class	50%	active participation will be evaluated
Final examination	50%	brief report on energy policies of home country (3-5 pages)

COURSE MATERIAL

None.

COURSE SCHEDULE

9 th May (Fri)	10:30-12:00	Energy Policy	Ichiro KUTANI
	13:00-14:30	Japan's Coal policy	Ichiro KUTANI
16 th May (Fri)	10:00-12:00	Japan's Electricity Policy 1	Yu NAGATOMI
	13:00-14:30	Japan's Electricity Policy 2	Yu NAGATOMI
23 rd May (Fri)	10:30-12:00	Japan's Oil Policy	Yoshikazu KOBAYASHI
	13:00-14:30	Japan's Gas Policy	Yoshikazu KOBAYASHI
30 st May (Fri)	10:30-12:00	Japan's Energy Conservation Policy	Miki YANAGI
	13:00-14:30	Japan's Climate Policy	Miki YANAGI
6 th Jun (Fri)	10:30-12:00	International Energy Cooperation	Ichiro KUTANI
	13:00-14:30	Exercise	Ichiro KUTANI