



## *History & Arts (II): A Brief History of Taiwan*

### **Lecturers:**

Dr. Mike Shichi Lan, Associate Professor, History Department

Dr. Philip Hsiaopong Liu, Professor, Graduate Institute of Development Studies

**Class Participation: 40%**

**Quiz 60%:**

**July 24, 2023**

### **Geography and History**

- History of Taiwan before the 20<sup>th</sup> century

Readings:

- Tonio Andrade, *How Taiwan Became Chinese: Dutch, Spanish, and Han Colonization in the Seventeenth Century* (Columbia University Press, 2007), "Introduction"
- Lung-chih Chang, "From Quarantine to Colonization" (2008)

**July 25, 2023**

### **The Japanese Colonial Empire and Its Legacy in Taiwan, 1860s-**

- Lasting impact and the Taiwanese responses to the Japanese rule

Readings:

- Edward I-te Chen, "Formosan Political Movements under Japanese Colonial Rule, 1914-1937", *The Journal of Asian Studies*, Vol. 31, No. 3 (May, 1972), pp.

477-497

- Yoshihisa Amai, “Pro-colonial or Postcolonial?” (2011)

### **July 26, 2023**

#### **Republic of China in Taiwan, 1945-**

- Government, governance, and social discontent

Reading:

- Victor Louzon, “From Japanese soldiers to Chinese rebels”, *The Journal of Asian Studies*, 2017
- Ralph N. Clough, “The Enduring Influence of the Republic of China on Taiwan Today” (1996)
- Ian Rowen, “Inside Taiwan’s Sunflower Movement” (2015), *The Journal of Asian Studies*, Vol. 74, No. 1 (February, 2015): 5–21.

### **July 31, 2023**

#### **The Korean War and US Aid to Taiwan**

- Washington’s Attitude toward the ROC from 1945 to 1949.
- The ROC, Taiwan, and the Cold War in East Asia
- Taiwan Strait Crisis in the post-Korean War era
- US Aid to Taiwan
- Other than Military and Economic Impact: Dependence, Anti-imperialism, and Neo-colonialism
- documentary or movie (US Soldiers in Taiwan during the 1960s )

**Reading:** Lin Man-houng et al, “The US Aid and Taiwan”

**Googling:** George H Kerr/ First Taiwan Strait Crisis/ R&R (rest and recuperation)/ May 24 Incident

### **August 1, 2023**

#### **The UN and the Termination of American Diplomatic Recognition**

- American Foreign Policies towards China before and after Richard Nixon
- UN Chinese Representation and the Rise of Taiwan Independence Movement
- Security, Human Rights, and Domestic Politics under Anticommunism
- Unofficial Diplomatic Relations
- documentary or movie (1996 Missile Crisis)

**Reading:** Philip Hsiaopong Liu, “Dual Representation: Reviewing the Republic of China’s Last Battle in the UN”

**Googling:** Chen Chih-hsiung/Bandung Conference/ Taiwan Relations Act/The

Murder of Henry Liu

**August 2 2023**

**China: Between Communist Bandit and Trading Partner**

- Land Reform
- Labor Intensive Industry
- Martial Law in Taiwan, 1949-1987
- Taiwan's Investment in China
- One Country, Two Systems v.s. Nationalism/Democratization
- Economic Dependence v.s. Political Independence
- QUIZ

**Reading:** Tung-chieh Tsai and Tony Lin, "Cross-strait Relations and Regional Integration: A Review of the Ma Yingv Jeou Era (2008-2016)"

**Googling:** 1992 Consensus/Lee Teng-hui/Chen Shui-bian