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## 民主政治理論專題

(Seminar on Democratic Theory)

### 壹、課程介紹：

西元前五世紀左右，雅典人柏里克利斯(Pericles)率先提倡民主的價值後，再經 Aristotle, Locke, Rousseau, Mill, de Tocqueville, Schumpeter, Dahl 等偉大思想家的提倡，終於在人類即將進入 21 世紀前，民主制度已廣泛地被認為是現代社會唯一具有真實性、完整性的模範體制。喬治、梅森大學教授 Francis Fukuyama 更預測人類歷史即將進入終結(the end of history)，意識型態兩極對立的時代已經過去，西方社會的自由民主體制將是人類最後一種統治型態，沒有其它的統治型態可以對自由民主體制構成嚴厲的挑戰。

然而，何謂民主？民主到底要實現那些終極目標？民主的理想與實際運作有何差距？民主如何興起與發展？維持民主運作有何要件？這些問題從古至今一直都沒有定論。本課程著重在經驗民主理論(empirical democracy)，首先要介紹民主的定義與歷史發展，接者討論發展民主的要件問題，包含社會、經濟、平等與文化等條件。第三單元將討論民主的類型問題，包括熊彼德式民主、多元民主激進民主與非自由式民主等。第四單元將討論民主的實踐問題，包括各種制度設計、政黨體系等。最後一單元，將討論民主未來的問題。

### 貳、課程要求與評分標準：

所有選課同學必需先閱讀每週指定的文獻、準時上課、關掉手機，並積極參與課堂討論。本課程每週將指定二位同學提出口頭報告，並需作成一份約 1500 字左右的讀書報告（亦即整理文章主要的論點，一人一篇）。另外將指定二位學針對每週閱讀的文獻，從文章的基本論點、研究方法與論證過程提出問題或批判。此外，所有選修者必需針對個別的研究興趣，選定上課某個主題做更深入的探

討與分析（題目需獲老師的同意），於學期結束後一週（注意：逾時不候），繳交一份約一萬字左右的期末報告（扣除註釋與參考書目）。同學參與課堂討論情況（含課堂提問的表現）佔學期總分的 20%，口頭報告佔學期總分的 30%，期末書面報告佔學期總分的 50%。

## 參、課程進度：

### **Week 1 (2/21) Introduction**

### **Week 2 (2/28) Holiday**

### **Week 3 (3/6) What Is Democracy?**

Tilly, Charles. 2007. *Democracy*, Ch. 1, pp. 1-24. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Zakaria, Fareed. 2003. *The Future of Freedom*, Introduction, pp. 12-27. New York: W. W. Norton & Company.

\*Schmitter, Philippe C. and Terry L. Karl. 1991. "What Democracy Is ..and Is Not?" *Journal of Democracy*, 2(3): 75-88.

\*Chang, Yu-tzung and Yun-han Chu. 2007. "Traditionalism, Political Learning and Conceptions of Democracy in East Asian." Paper presented at the international conference on "Why Asian Support Democracy and Why not?" Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica, Taipei, August 9-10, 2007.

### **Week 4 (3/13) Democracy in Historical perspective**

Tilly, Charles. 2007. *Democracy*, Ch. 2, pp. 25-50.

Zakaria, Fareed. 2003. *The Future of Freedom*, Ch. 1, pp. 29-58.

\*Held, David. 1987. *Models of Democracy*. Cambridge: Polity Press.

\*Diamond, Larry and Marc F. Plattner, eds. 2001. *The Global Divergence of Democracies*. Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press.

### **Week 5 (3/20) Prerequisites of Democracy: Social and Economic Development**

- Lipset, Seymour M. 1994. "The Social Requisition of Democracy Revisited." *American Political Science Review*, 59(1): 1-22.
- Acemoglu, Daron and James A. Robinson. 2006. "Path of Economic and Political Development." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, Barry R. Weingast and Donald Wittman, eds., pp. 673-692. New York: Oxford University Press.

- \*Przeworski, Adam, Michael Alvares, Jose A. Cheibub and Fernando Limongi. 1997. "What make democracies endure?" In *Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies*, Larry Diamond, Marc Plattner, Yun-han Chu, and Hung-mao Tien, eds., pp. 295-311. Baltimore: John Hopkins University Press.
- \* Acemoglu, Daron and James A. Robinson. 2006. *Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

## **Week 6 (3/27) Prerequisites of Democracy: Equality**

- Dahl, Robert A. 2006. *On Political Equality*, pp. 1-36. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- Glaeser, Edward L. 2006. "Ineqaulity." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, Barry R. Weingast and Donald Wittman, eds., pp. 624-641. New York: Oxford University Press.

- \*Crawford B. Macpherson, *The Life and Times of Liberal Democracy* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1977).
- \*Jurgen Habermas. 1998. "Three Normative Models of Democracy." In *The Inclusion of the Other: Studies in Political Theory*, C. Cronin and P. D. Greif, eds. Cambridge: MIT Press.
- \*Iversen, Torben. 2006. "Capitalism and Democracy." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, Barry R. Weingast and Donald Wittman, eds., pp. 601-623. New York: Oxford University Press.
- \*Przeworski, Adam. 2006. "Self-enforcing Democracy." In Barry R. Weingast and Donald Wittman, eds. *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, pp. 312-328. New York: Oxford University Press.
- \*Pontusson, Jonas. 2005. *Inequality and Prosperity: Social Europe VS. Liberal America*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press.

## **Week 7 (4/3) Prerequisites of Democracy: Constitutionalism**

Linz, Juan J. 1990. "The Perils of Presidentialism." *Journal of Democracy*, 1(1): 51-69.

Mainwaring, Scott and Matthew S. Shugart. 1997. "Juan Linz, Presidentialism, and Democracy: A Critical Appraisal." *Comparative Politics*, 29(4): 449-472.

\*Lijphart, Arend. Larry, eds. 1992. *Parliamentary Versus Presidential Government*. New York: Oxford University Press.

\*Cheibub, Jose Antonio. 2002. "Minority Government, Deadlock Situations, and the Survival of Presidential Democracies." *Comparative Political Studies*, 35(3): 284-312.

\*Cheibub, Jose A. 2006. *Presidentialism, Parliamentarianism, and Democracy*. New York: Cambridge University Press.

### **Week 8 (4/10) Prerequisites of Democracy: Social Capital**

Putnam, Robert D. 1993. *Making Democracy Work: Civic Tradition in Modern Italy*, ch1, 4, 6. Princeton : Princeton University Press.

\*Putnam, Robert D. 2000. *Bowling Alone: The Collapse and Revival of American Community*, Ch. 21. New York: Simon & Schuster.

\*Stolle, Dietlind. 2007. "Social Capital." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Behavior*, Russell J. Dalton and Hans-Dieter Klingemann, eds., pp. 655-674. New York: Oxford University Press.

\*Warren, Mark E. 2001. *Democracy and Association*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

\*Warren, Mark E., ed. 1999. *Democracy & Trust*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

### **Week 9 (4/17) Types of Democracy: Schumpeterian Democracy**

Held, David. 1987. *Models of Democracy*, Ch. 5, pp. 143-185. Cambridge: Polity Press.

Przeworski, Adam. 1999. "Minimalist Conception of Democracy: A Defense." In *Democracy's Value*, Ian Shapiro and Casiano Hacker-Cordon, eds., pp. 23-55. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

\*Joseph Schumpeter. 1950. *Capitalism, Socialism, and Democracy*. New York: Harpor & Row.

\*Diamond, Larry and Marc F. Plattner, eds. 1993. *Capitalism, Socialism, and Democracy Revisited*, pp. 1-10, 76-83, 94-104, 119-132. Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press.

### **Week 10 (4/24) Types of Democracy: Polyarchy**

Dahl, Robert A. 1971. *Polyarchy: Participation and Opposition*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

\*Dahl, Robert A. 1998. On Democracy. New Haven: Yale University Press.

\*O'Donnell, Guillermo. 1998. "Horizontal Accountability in New Democracy." *Journal of Democracy*, 9(3): 112-126.

\*Przeworski, Adam, Susan C. Stokes and Bernard Manin, eds. 1999. *Democracy, Accountability, and Representation*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

### **Week 11 5/1) Types of Democracy: Radical Democracy**

Barber, Benjamin. 1984. *Strong Democracy*, Ch.1. University of California Press.

Fund, Archon and Erik O. Wright. 2001. "Deepening Democracy." *Politics & Society*, 29(1): 5-41.

\*Sandel, Michael J. 1996. *Democracy's Discontent*, Ch. 1. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

\*Haskell, John. 2001. *Direct Democracy or Representative Government? Dispelling the Populist Myth*. Boulder: Westview.

\*Skocpol, Theda and Morris P. Fiorina, eds. 1999. *Civic Engagement in American Democracy*. Washington D. C.: Brookings Institution Press.

### **Week 12 (5/8) Types of Democracy: Illiberal Democracy**

Zakaria, Fareed. 2003. *The Future of Freedom*, Ch3, pp. 89-118. New York: W. W. Norton & Company.

Diamond, Larry. 2002. "Thinking about Hybrid Regimes." *Journal of Democracy*, 13(2): 21-35.

\*Bell, Daniel A., David Brown, Kanishka Jayasuriya and David M. Jones. 1995. *Toward Illiberal Democracy in Pacific Asia*. New York: St. Martin's Press.

\*Schedler, Andreas, ed. 2006. *Electoral Authoritarianism: The dynamics of Unfree*

*Competition*. Boulder: Lynne Rienner Publishers.

### **Week 13 (5/15) Empirical Democratic Theory: Capitalism and Democracy**

Moore, Barrington. 1966. *Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy: Lord and Peasant in the Making of the Modern World*, Ch. 7. Boston: Beacon Press.

Rueschemeyer, Dietrich, Evelyne H. Stephens and John D. Stephens. 1992. *Capitalist Development and Democracy*, pp.12-78. Chicago: Chicago University Press.

\*Collier, Ruth Berins. 1999. *Paths Toward Democracy: The Working Class and Elites in Western Europe and South America*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

\*Yang, David D. 2007. Classing Ethnicity: Class, Ethnicity, and the Mass Politics of Taiwan's Democratic Transition. *World Politics*, 59(4): pp. .

### **Week 14 (5/22) Empirical Democratic Theory: Majoritarian and Consensus Democracy**

Lijphart, Arent. 1999. *Patterns of Democracy: Government Forms and Performance in Thirty-Six Countries*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

\* Lijphart, Arent. 1977. *Democracy in Plural Societies*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

\* Lijphart, Arent. 1969. "Consociational democracy." *World Politics*, 21(2): 207-225.

### **Week 15 (5/29) Empirical Democratic Theory: Party and Electoral System**

Diamond, Larry and Marc F. Plattner, eds. 2006. *Electoral Systems and Democracy*, Ch. 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 9. Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press.

\*Shugart, Matthew S. and Martin P. Wattenberg, eds. 2001. *Mixed-Member Electoral System: The Best of Both Worlds?* New York: Oxford University Press.

\*Kitschelt, Herbert. 2007. *Patrons, Clients, and Politics: Patterns of Democratic Accountability and Political Competition*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

### **Week 16 (6/5) Empirical Democratic Theory: Semi-Presidential Design**

Elgie, Robert. 2005. "Variations on a Theme." *Journal of Democracy*, 16(3): 98-112.

Colton, Timoth J. and Cindy Skach. 2005. "The Russian Predicament." *Journal of Democracy*, 16(3): 113-126.

\*Duverger, Maurice. 1981. "A New Political System Model: Semi-Presidential Government." *European Journal of Political Research*, 8(2): 165-187.

\*Bahro, Horst, Bernhard H. Bayerlein and Ernst Veser. 1998. "Duverger's Concept: Semi-Presidential Government Revisited." *European Journal of Political Research*, 34(2): 201-224.

\*Neto, Octavio Amorim and Kassre Strom. 2006. "Breaking the Parliamentary Chain of Delegation: Presidents and Non-partisan Cabinet Members in European Democracies." *British Journal of Political Science*, 36(4): 619-643.

\*Beliaev, Mikhail V. 2006. "Presidential Powers and Consolidation of New Postcommunist Democracies." *Comparative Political Studies*, 39(3): 375-398.

### **Week 17 (6/12) The Future of Democracy**

Habermas, Jurgen. "Toward a Cosmopolitan Europe." *Journal of Democracy*, 14(4): 86-100.

Pharr, Susan J., Robert D. Putnam, and Russell J. Dalton. 2000. "Trouble in the Advanced Democracies? A Quarter-Century of Declining Confidence." *Journal of Democracy*, 11(2): ?,

\*Held, David. 1999. "The Transformation of Political Community: Rethinking Democracy in the Context of Globalization." In *Democracy's Edges*, Ian Shapiro and Casiano Hacker-Cordón, eds., pp. 23-55. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. pp.84-111.

\*Phar, Susan J. and Robert D.Putnam, eds. 2000. *Disaffected Democracies: What's Troubling the Trilateral Countries*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

\*Schmitter, Philippe. 2000. *How to Democratize the European Union...and Why Bother*. New York: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers.

### **Week 18 (6/19) 繳交期末報告**

暑假愉快！