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WEEKLY TOPICS	DATES	READING & ASSIGNMENTS
Session #1- Course Introduction And Overview	Tuesday February 2	Examine the syllabus and explore the team based learning scaffolding on which this course is built.
Session #2 - How Do We Make Sense Of World Affairs?	Thursday February 4	<p>Read: Stephen Walt "International Relations: One World, Many Theories," Foreign Policy, Spring 1998.</p> <p>Practice RAP - this is a dry run of the mechanics we will be using in this course.</p>
Session #3 - Relating The Text To Statecraft	Tuesday February 9	<p>#1 Readiness assessment process (RAP)</p> <p>Read: Jack Snyder, "One World, Rival Theories," Foreign Policy, November/December 2004. (Moodle)</p> <p>Read: FLS, introduction pp. xx-xxxiii</p> <p>Application exercise: working the theories</p>
Session #4 - Theories Applied To Zombies	Thursday February 11	Read: Daniel Drezner: Theories of International Politics and Zombies, introduction and pages 23 -76
Session #5 - Interests, Interactions & Institutions Sim 0 (set-up)	Tuesday February 16	<p>Read: Statecraft: the entire manual</p> <p>Take: on-line quiz #1 on the manual before coming to class</p> <p>Read: FLS Chapter 2 pp 48 - 67</p>

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<p>Session #6 - Interests, Interactions & Institutions</p>	<p>Thursday February 18</p>	<p>Read: FLS, Chapter 2 (pp. 67-80)</p> <p>#2 RAP</p> <p>Application exercises working the concepts</p>
<p>Session #7 - Zombies Continued</p> <p>Sim 1</p>	<p>Tuesday February 23</p>	<p>Post: Turn #1 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday</p> <p>Take: on-line quiz #2 on manual before coming to class</p> <p>Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #1 simulation</p> <p>Read: Daniel Drezner, <u>Theories of International Politics and Zombies</u>,: pages 77-115</p>
<p>Session #8 - Domestic Political Interests & State Behavior</p>	<p>Thursday February 25</p>	<p>Read FLS, Chapter 4, Domestic Politics and War (pp. 136-183.)</p>
<p>Session #9 - Two-Level Games</p> <p>Sim 2</p>	<p>Tuesday March 1</p>	<p>Post: Turn #2 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday</p> <p>Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #2 simulation</p> <p>Read: Robert D. Putnam, "Diplomacy and Politics: The Logic of Two-Level Games," <i>International Organization</i>, Vol. 42. No. 3. (summer, 1988) pp. 427-460.</p>

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Session #10 - Levels of Analysis	Thursday March 3	Read: Jack S. Levy. (1998) "The Causes of War and the Conditions of Peace," <i>Annual Review of Political Science</i> 1:139-65.
Session #11 - Psychological Factors Sim 3	Tuesday March 8	Post: Turn #3 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #3 simulation Read: Daniel Kahneman and Jonathan Renshon. "Why Hawks Win," <i>Foreign Policy</i> Foreign Policy 158 (Jan/Feb 2007): 34-38.
Session #12 - Civil War	Thursday March 10	Read: FLS pp. 234 - 264 #3 RAP
Session #13 - Terrorism Sim 4	Tuesday March 15	Post: Turn #4 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #4 simulation Read: FLS, pp. 264 - 288
Session #14	Thursday March 17  (Oglesby at ISA)	Pick up mid-term exam
Session #15 - Review Sim 5	Tuesday March 22	Post: Turn #5 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #5 simulation

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Session #16 - Looking Ahead: Diplomacy & Negotiation	Thursday March 24	Deliver mid-term exam Watch: Henry Kissinger on Foreign Policy and the Art of Diplomacy: Overview of History (1994)
Spring Break		
Session #17 - Revisiting The Syllabus & Looking Ahead Sim 6	Tuesday April 5	Post: Turn #6 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We will devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #6 simulation Watch: Twitter Diplomacy - Iranian Nuclear Negotiations
Session #18 - Diplomacy The Infrastructure	Thursday April 7	Read: Berridge, Introduction & Part II: intro & Chapters 7-9. #4 RAP
Session #19 - Diplomacy Infrastructure Cont. Sim 7?	Tuesday April 12	Post: Turn #7 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We may devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #7 simulation Read Berridge, Part II, Chapters 10 - 13
Session #20- Diplomacy Without Diplomatic Relations	Thursday April 14	Read: Berridge, Part III

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Session #21 - Negotiation Sim 8?	Tuesday April 19	Post: Turn #8 Simulation memo on-line before turn begins on Monday Play: We may devote 45 minutes of the class time to the Turn #8 simulation (if there is one) Read: Berridge Part I, The Art of Negotiation
Session #22 Applied - Negotiation Case Study (class choice)	Thursday April 21	Research & Prepare Chosen Negotiation Case Study
Session #23 - Applied Negotiation Case Study	Tuesday April 26	Negotiation Case Study Simulation
Session #24 - International Negotiation	Thursday April 28	Read: SBW: Chapters 1 - 3 #5 RAP
Session #25 - International Negotiation	Tuesday May 3	Read SBW: Chapters 4 - 6
Session #26 - Final (class choice) Simulation Begins	Thursday May 5	Research, Prepare and discuss your state/bloc positions in groups
Session #27 - Peer Review Country/bloc memos	Tuesday May 10	Draft individual country/bloc policy memos due for peer review Final team negotiating position determined
Session #28 - Negotiations Begin	Thursday May 12	Final individual country/bloc policy memos due Final summit process negotiated
Final Negotiation	Finals week	Working The Negotiation