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| **TOU 3211 International Relations** | **Course Title:**  |
| **Course Description:**Course exposes students to the nature and theories of international relations. This provides them with knowledge on contemporary international issues and how they influence tourism development and management at the global scale |
| **Course objectives:*** Explain the evolution and nature of international relations
* Explore the various theories of international relations
* Critically analyse the influence of international relations on tourism business and development
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| **Course Outline:*** Evolution and nature of international relations
* Theory of international relations - classical and modern theories
* Theories of state of society - structural and dependence theories.
* Foreign policy and the social making
* Interdependence and trans-nationalism
* Integration - beyond the nation state
* Normative issues in international relations.
* International relations and tourism
* East African Community – changing international relations and tourism
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| **Learning Outcomes:*** Knowledge on theories, policies and social making of international relations
* Ability to explain the evolution of international relations
* Appreciate the role of international relations in tourism development
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| **Method of Teaching/Delivery:**Lecture Hours – 30Practical Hours – 15Tutorial Hours – 15 | **Mode of Assessment:*** Course Work
* Practical
* Final written Exam
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| **Reading/Reference Materials:*** Coles Tim, Hall C. Michael (2001). International Business and Tourism: Global Issues, Contemporary Interactions. Published by Routledge
* Philip, P. (2002): International Tourism - the new engine of the Cuban economy. Published by the Lexingstone Institute, Virginia.
* World Tourism Organisation (WTO 2009, 2010) Co-operation and Partnerships in Tourism – Global Perspectives. UNWTO
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