

## Instructions for Lecture Twelve

Hello Everyone,

This week we're cramming quite a few things together from the political side by looking at leadership principles and how that plays out in American politics, along with a more ancient way of leading by way of the Confucian "gentleman." Is there anything that our leaders could learn from someone like Confucius? And what is the Confucian understanding of human nature and how did this inform those who held high office in ancient China? Good questions all, and our film will look at how these values are changing the world. Can the U.S. compete? We'll see....

### Lecture 12. Leadership Dynamics, Executive Offices, Bureaucracies, and Confucius.

**Task 1:** Read these instructions.

**Task 2:** Read Heineman, Chapters 12 and 13 (pp. 153-177); and Stevenson, Chapter 1 (pp. 18-34).

**Task 3:** Watch the lecture presentation "Leadership Dynamics, Executive Offices, Bureaucracies, and Confucius." It's a lot, I know...hit fast forward!

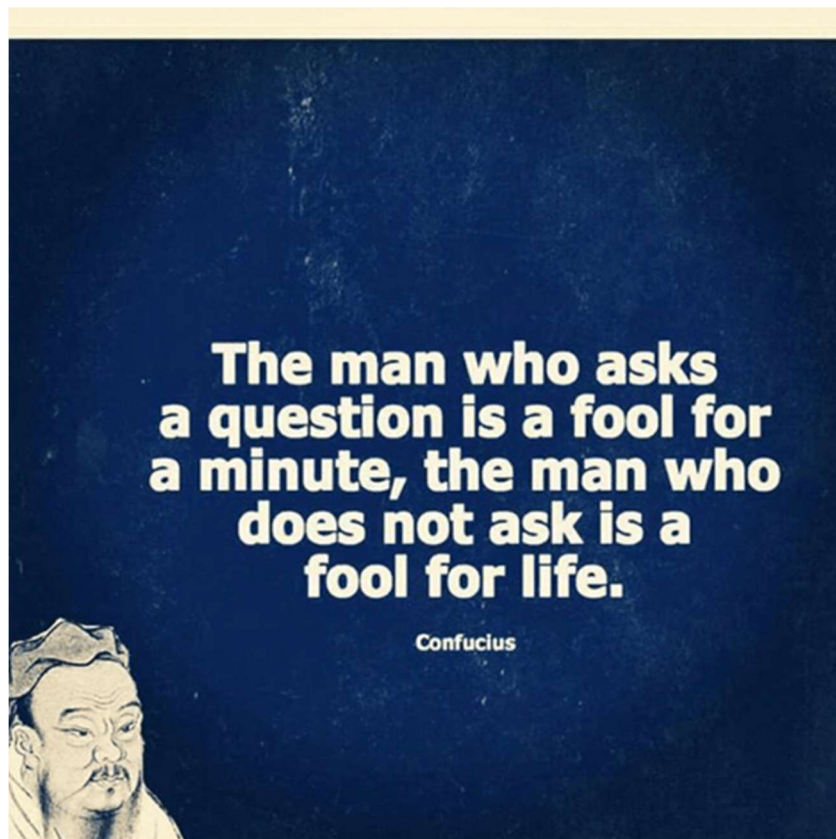
**Task 4:** Read the article for your journal response. You can find the question on the link titled "Lecture / Discussion Page" highlighted in yellow. After completing the response, you will have until the date posted on the assignments page to upload it to Canvas.

**Task 5:** Open the link for the video and watch *Confucianism in Modern Society*. Is this philosophy worthy of an American freak out? Or are we just being paranoid (again)?

**Task 6:** Click the link titled "Discussion Board Question and Peer Responses for Video Presentation" and answer the question that I have posted in approximately one paragraph or two. Wait for other students to put their responses and then pick two students to respond to. The deadline for these responses will be posted on the Canvas assignments page. Don't be late....

OK Folks, 2 more lectures and that's it. We are close to wrapping it up!

See you next week...  
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## POLSC 120 Introduction to Politics

### Leadership Dynamics, Executive Offices, Bureaucracies, and Confucius

1. Heineman – Chapter 12: Leadership Dynamics and Executive Offices, pp. 153 – 162.
2. Heineman – Chapter 13: Bureaucracies, pp. 163 – 178.
3. Stevenson – Chapter 1: Confucius: The Way of the Sages, pp. 18 – 34.

