

ASIAN STUDIES

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Location: JFT 516

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The Asian Studies program offers students the opportunity to deepen their international outlook and cultural understanding of Asia through interdisciplinary study. In conjunction with Japanese or Chinese language study, students may choose from several dozen courses offered by faculty from over ten departments. The program's regional coverage includes South, Southeast, East and Northeast Asia.

Students in Asian Studies often, though not always, combine their Asian Studies major with another major or minor in a particular discipline.

The Asian Studies program strongly encourages study abroad in Asia. Through the campus' [Center for International Programs](#), students have access to many opportunities including, but not limited to, programs in China, Japan, Korea, and India.

Graduates with expertise in Asia are sought by employers in a wide range of professions, including academia, business, government and think tanks, international companies and organizations, libraries and museums, media, non-profit organizations, and the teaching professions at home and abroad.

- [Major in Asian Studies](#)
- [Minor in Asian Studies](#)

ASN100. East-West Living & Learning Community. 1 Credit.

Participation in a Living & Learning community bringing together domestic students interested in Japanese & Chinese culture with students from those countries in a dorm setting where they engage in educational activities.

Attributes:

- Liberal Arts

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate

May be repeated for credit

ASN200. Introduction to Asia. 3 Credits.

A gateway to the Asian Studies major. The introduction exposes students to important concepts, themes and developments in Asia.

Attributes:

- Critical Thinking Intermediate
- Information Literacy
- Liberal Arts
- GE4: World Civilizations
- GE3: WRLD

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate

May not be repeated for credit

ASN293. Asian Studies Selected Topic. 3-12 Credits.

Selected topics courses are regularly scheduled courses that focus on a particular topic of interest. Descriptions are printed in the Schedule of Classes each semester. Selected topics courses may be used as elective credit and may be repeated for credit, provided that the topic of the course changes.

May be repeated for credit

ASN295. Independent Study Asian Studie. 1-12 Credits.

May be repeated for credit

ASN393. Selected Topics. 3-12 Credits.

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Attributes:

- Liberal Arts

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate
- Must not be enrolled in the following class: Freshman

May be repeated for credit

ASN399. Asian Studies Modular Course. 1-12 Credits.

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate
- Must not be enrolled in the following class: Freshman

May be repeated for credit

ASN400. Asian Studies Seminar. 1 Credit.

Capstone for graduating Asian Studies majors.

Attributes:

- Critical Thinking Advanced
- Liberal Arts

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate
- Must not be enrolled in the following class: Freshman
- Must be enrolled in the following field(s) of study (major, minor or concentration): Asian Studies (503)

Prerequisites:

- ANT370 Minimum Grade of B- or ANT371 Minimum Grade of B- or ECO310 Minimum Grade of B- or JPN311 Minimum Grade of B- or JPN300 Minimum Grade of B- or PHI330 Minimum Grade of B- or PHI332 Minimum Grade of B- or POL362 Minimum Grade of B- or THE328 Minimum Grade of B- or HIS492 Minimum Grade of B-

May not be repeated for credit

ASN495. Independent Study Asian. 1-12 Credits.

Restrictions:

- Must have the following level: Undergraduate
- Must not be enrolled in the following class: Freshman

May be repeated for credit

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