

ASIAN STUDIES MAJOR

Requirements for a Major in Asian Studies

Bachelor of Arts

Code	Title	Hours
Core Courses		
ASTU 290	Introduction to Asian Studies	3
Language Requirement		
Two consecutive courses in Chinese or Japanese, or completion through intermediate level in Chinese (CHIN 212) or Japanese (JAPN 252)		6
Electives		
Seven approved electives, no more than three of which may come from outside the Asian Studies Department		21
Total Hours		30

Elective courses must come from the list below, or have the approval of the chair.

Code	Title	Hours
Departmental Electives		
ASTU 181	Special Topics in Asian Studies	3
ASTU 270	East Asian Visual Culture	3
ASTU 281	Special Topics in Asian Studies	3
ASTU 291	Contemporary East Asia	3
CHIN 181	Special Topics in Chinese Studies	3
CHIN 221	Chinese History and Culture	3
CHIN 234	Chinese Cinema	3
CHIN 235	Chinese Theatre	3
CHIN 236	Chinese Popular Culture	3
CHIN 237	Chinese Tales and Legends	3
CHIN 238	Modern Chinese Literature	3
CHIN 281	Special Topics in Chinese Studies	3
CHIN 311	Advanced Chinese	3
CHIN 312	Advanced Chinese II	3
JAPN 181	T:Special Topics	3
JAPN 220	Culture of Japan	3
JAPN 232	Japanese Literature in Translation	3
JAPN 260	Contemporary Japan	3
JAPN 270	Weird Japan	3
JAPN 281	T:Special Topics	3
JAPN 292	Japanese Film as History:The Works of Kurosawa Akira	3
JAPN 294	Early to Premodern Japan	3
JAPN 295	Modern Japan	3
Outside Electives		
ARTH 228	Asian Art	3
HIST 260	East Asia to 1650	3
HIST 396	Modern China, 1800-1949	3
HIST 397	Modern China, since 1949	3
HONR 110	Japanese Religion	3
MATH 270	Traditional Japanese Mathematics	3

MUSC 243	Film Music in Japan	3
PHIL 220	Philosophy East and West	3
PHIL 343	Confucian Tradition	3
PSCI 330	Comparative Legislatures	3
PSCI 335	Chinese Politics	3
RELS 221	World Religions: Indian, Buddhist, Chinese, Japanese	3
RELS 223	Hinduism: History, Teachings, Practice	3
RELS 225	Buddhism: History, Teachings, Practice	3
RELS 248	Religions of Japan:Land of Kami, Land of Buddhas	3