

JAPANESE STUDIES (MINOR)

The Japanese Studies minor focuses on Japanese language, literature and culture through an interdisciplinary combination of language, culture, politics and history courses.

Course Requirements

- Three quarters of college-level Japanese language study (at any level).
- Five additional courses from at least two different disciplines, chosen in consultation with an advisor or faculty member, from the current approved Japanese Studies Allied Course List.

Japanese Studies Allied Course List Art and Architecture, History of

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
HAA 216	JAPANESE ART	
HAA 219	JAPANESE FILM ARTS	
HAA 220	BUDDHIST ART	
HAA 297	SPECIAL TOPICS IN HISTORY OF ART & ARCHITECTURE (Japanese Film Arts)	
HAA 373	KYOTO (WORLD CITIES)	
HAA 397	SPECIAL TOPICS/HISTORY OF ART & ARCHITECTURE (Japanese Painting and Prints)	
HAA 397	SPECIAL TOPICS/HISTORY OF ART & ARCHITECTURE (Japanese Art and the Warrior Elite)	

Geography

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
GEO 315	THE STATE AND ECONOMIC GROWTH	

History

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
HST 263	JAPAN TO C. 1200	
HST 264	JAPAN c.1200 - 1800	
HST 265	JAPAN, c. 1800-PRESENT	
HST 322	TOPICS IN ASIAN HISTORY	
HST 339	HISTORY FROM PICTURES: VISUAL CULTURE IN EAST ASIAN HISTORY	
HST 340	CULTURE AND GENDER IN JAPAN	

International Studies

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
INT 330	TOPICS IN EAST ASIAN STUDIES (Japanese Culture I)	

Literature and Culture

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
JPN 240E	MODERN JAPANESE LITERATURE	
JPN 241E	JAPANESE WOMEN'S LITERATURE: GENDER AND SEXUALITY	
JPN 242E	JAPANESE POP CULTURE	
JPN 243E	CONTEMPORARY JAPANESE LITERATURE: FROM POSTWAR TO TODAY	
JPN 244E	LGBTQ JAPAN: CULTURE AND POLITICS	
JPN 342	ADVANCED HIGH JAPANESE I [Thematic content course conducted in Japanese]	
JPN 343	ADVANCED HIGH JAPANESE II [Thematic content course conducted in Japanese]	
JPN 344	JAPANESE TRANSLATION PRACTICUM I [Thematic content course conducted in Japanese]	
JPN 395	FOREIGN LANGUAGES ACROSS THE CURRICULUM [Thematic content course conducted in Japanese]	

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
MLS 407	SELF, CULTURE AND SOCIETY IN CONTEMPORARY JAPAN (undergraduates by permission)	

Philosophy

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
PHL 287	INTRODUCTION TO ASIAN PHILOSOPHIES	

Political Science

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
PSC 253	ASIAN POLITICS	
PSC 349	ADVANCED TOPICS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (International Political Economy of the Pacific Rim)	
PSC 350	JAPANESE POLITICS	
PSC 359	ADVANCED TOPICS IN COMPARATIVE POLITICS (Japanese Politics, Culture, and Society)	

Religious Studies

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
REL 202	ATOM BOMB DISCOURSE (Atom Bomb Discourse)	
REL 205	COMPARATIVE ETHICS (Industrial Diseases)	
REL 205	COMPARATIVE ETHICS (Japanese Ethics)	
REL 245	RELIGION IN JAPANESE HISTORY, SOCIETY, AND CULTURE	
REL 247	LITERATURE AND RELIGION IN JAPAN	
REL 342	ZEN MIND	

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Students majoring in Japanese Studies (BA) or minoring in Japanese are restricted from earning this minor.