

2009-2010 ASIAN STUDIES MINOR

(Minimum of five course credits)

Asian Studies is a multidisciplinary approach to studying the cultures of Asia. The Asian Studies program draws upon courses from a number of academic departments that focus for a significant part of the academic term on one or more aspects, past and present, of these areas.

Students pursuing an Asian Studies minor will meet regularly with the Director of Asian Studies, but maintain their current major adviser(s).

Requirements

One course chosen from these two courses:

AST 122: *History of China* (also HIS) **OR**

AST 123: *History of Japan* (also HIS) _____ 1

AND

One course chosen from these three courses:

AST 231: *Religions of India and Tibet* (also REL) **OR**

AST 232: *Religions of China and Japan* (also REL) **OR**

AST 260: *Buddhism* (also REL) _____ 1

Required Distribution Courses—Any three of the following course credits, at least two (2) of which must be outside of the student's major discipline: AST/JPN 101, AST/JPN 102, AST/JPN 103, AST/JPN, 104,* AST/HIS 122, AST/HIS 123, AST/HIS 229, AST/REL 231, AST/REL 232, AST/ARH 248, AST/ARH 250, AST/REL 260, AST/REL 308, AST/HIS 322, AST/HIS 323, CHI 101, 102, 103, 104, as well as the following when offered with Asian content: CFS/WST 366, ECO 341, PED 248, and PSC 250. With the approval of the Director of Asian Studies, other courses (transfer, Short Term, education abroad, etc.) may be used to meet these requirements. **NOTE:** If AST/HIS 122, AST/HIS 123, AST/REL 231, or AST/REL 232 are used to fulfill either or both of the credits above, they cannot also be used here.

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NOTE: At least two terms of language are recommended strongly.

* AST/JPN 101, 102, 103, and 104 are not offered on a regular basis by the Department of Foreign Languages at this time.