# ASIAN STUDIES, B.A.

## Requirements for a Major in Asian Studies

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<td>Thirty semester hours including the following:</td>
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### Required Courses

#### Asian Studies Core

Select eighteen semester hours from the following: 18

- AST 2380 The Peoples and Culture of Asia
- AST/HIS 3305 Traditional China
- AST/HIS 3307 Japan
- AST 3315 Geography of East Asia
- AST 3V80 Special Topics in Asian Studies
- AST 3390 Special Studies and Projects
- AST/HIS 4305 Modern China
- AST/ANT 4310 Societies and Cultures of East Asia
- AST/PSC 4325 Asian International Relations
- AST/ECO 4335 Asian Economic Development
- AST/PHI 4340 East Asian Philosophy
- AST/REL 4346 Topics in Asian Religions
- AST 4350 Seminar in Asian Studies
- AST/PSC 4364 The Governments and Politics of the Asia-Pacific Region
- AST/PSC 4374 Governments and Politics of East Asia
- AST/MLC 4376 Asian Literature in Translation
- AST 4V80 Contemporary Issues in Asian Studies
- AST 4388 Contemporary Chinese Society and Culture
- AST 4390 Reading Course in Political Science
- CHI 3301 Chinese Conversation, Composition, and Readings I
- CHI 3302 Chinese Conversation, Composition, and Readings II
- CHI 3305 Chinese for Business I
- CHI 3306 Chinese for Business II
- CHI 3310 Chinese Language and Culture through Films
- CHI 3V70 Special Problems
- CHI 4301 Chinese Literature and Culture I
- CHI 4302 Chinese Literature and Culture II
- JPN 3301 Advanced Japanese I
- JPN 3302 Japanese Culture through Reading
- JPN 3303 Japanese Conversation and Composition
- JPN 3304 Japanese Civilization
- JPN 3305 Japanese for the Professions
- JPN 3306 Japanese Cinema
- PSC 4344 Government and Politics of Russia
- AST/REL 3345 World Religions
- AST/ECO 4338 Economic Systems of the World
- GEOG 1300 World Geography
- PSC 3304 Comparative Politics
- PSC 3324 World Political Systems
- PSC 4315 Political Geography

### International Foundation Courses

Select twelve semester hours from the following: 12

- ANT 1306 Cultural Anthropology in Global Context
- ANT 1310 Cultural Geography
- AST/PSC 3314 Politics and Problems of Developing Countries

## Subtotal

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### Required Courses in Other Fields

- HIS 1305 World History to 1500
- HIS 1307 World History since 1500

Twenty semester hours in a modern Asian language, satisfied by completing one of the following sequences: 1, 2

#### Chinese

- CHI 1301 Elementary Chinese
- CHI 1302 Elementary Chinese
- CHI 2310 Intermediate Chinese
- CHI 2320 Intermediate Chinese for Communication

#### Japanese

- JPN 1301 Introductory Japanese
- JPN 1302 Elementary Japanese
- JPN 2310 Intermediate Japanese
- JPN 2320 Exploring Japan

#### Korean

- KOR 1301 Elementary Korean
- KOR 1302 Elementary Korean
- KOR 2310 Intermediate Korean
- KOR 2320 Intermediate Korean II

### Intensive Version

Study abroad in Asia or Internship experience in Asia

- AST 4390 Reading Course in Political Science (Directed Reading and Research in Asian Studies) 1

## Total Hours

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1. If AST 4390 Reading Course in Political Science is counted for hours in the major, a petition must be filed to document completion of this requirement for the Intensive version.

2. Coursework in other Asian languages, including Russian, Central Asian languages (such as Kazakh or Uzbek), Punjabi, Vietnamese, Thai, or the like may be substituted with permission from the advisor.