

Minor

Asian Studies Minor

Students who wish to qualify for the minor in Asian studies must file a program declaration with the director of the Institute of Asian Studies and complete a total of 12 credit hours at the 300-400 level. No more than two courses may be taken from any one discipline. For completion of the minor, a student must have a minimum overall cumulative grade point average of 2.00 in all courses required for the minor exclusive of 100- and 200-level courses and prerequisite courses and complete a minimum of six hours in upper-level courses in the minor requirement through courses offered by Old Dominion University.

Requirements

The courses listed below can be used to fulfill the requirements of the Asian Studies minor. Additional courses with an Asian content may be approved by the program director.

Asian Studies		
ASIA 332	South Asia Since Independence	3
ASIA 336	The Emergence of New China	3
ASIA 337	Japan's Era of Transformation	3
ASIA 338W	Politics of East Asia	3
ASIA 353	Asian Religions	3
ASIA 360	Asian Art	3
ASIA 395	Topics in Asian Studies *	3
ASIA 435	Chinese Politics	3
ASIA 461W	Asian Studies Capstone Seminar	3
ASIA 495	Topics in Asian Studies *	3
Business Management and Marketing		
MGMT 463	Management Seminar Abroad	3
MKTG 496	Selected Topics in Marketing *	1-3
Communication		
COMM 300	International Sojourning	3
COMM 400W	Intercultural Communication	3
COMM 407	Communication and Culture in Asia	3
COMM 495/496	Topics in Communication *	1-3
Economics		
ECON 450	International Economics	3
ECON 454W	Economic Development	3
ECON 495	Selected Topics in Economics *	1-3
English		
ENGL 395	Topics in English *	1-3
ENGL 396	Topics in English *	1-3
ENGL 495	Topics in English *	1-3
Filipino-American Studies		
FAST 395	Topics in Filipino American Studies	3
Foreign Languages		
CHIN 311	Advanced Chinese Language and Culture I	3
CHIN 312	Advanced Chinese Language and Culture II	3
CHIN 395	Topics in Chinese	1-3
JAPN 311	Communicative Competence: Speaking and Listening	3
JAPN 312	Communicative Competence: Writing and Reading	3
JAPN 396	Topics in Japanese	1-3
JAPN 495	Topics in Japanese	1-3
WCS 310	Japan: A Cultural Odyssey	3
Geography		
GEOG 453	Asia	3

GEOG 495/496	Topics in Geography *	1-4
History		
HIST 336	The Emergence of New China	3
HIST 338	Japan's Era of Transformation	3
HIST 396	Topics in History *	1-3
HIST 495	Topics in History *	1-3
International Business		
INBU 433	Doing Business in Asia	3
INBU 463	International Business Seminar Abroad	3
Philosophy and Religious Studies		
PHIL 353	Asian Religions	3
PHIL 380	Hinduism	3
PHIL 381	Buddhist Traditions	3
PHIL 482	Chinese Religion and Philosophy	3
PHIL 485	Japanese Religion and Philosophy	3
PHIL 495/496	Topics in Philosophy *	1-3
REL 352	Islam	3
Political Science		
POLS 338W	Politics of East Asia	3
POLS 435	Chinese Politics	3
POLS 436	Japanese Politics	3
POLS 437	International Relations in East Asia	3
POLS 495/496	Topics in Political Science *	1-3
Psychology		
PSYC 420	Cross-Cultural Psychology	3
PSYC 495	Topics in Psychology *	1-3
Sociology		
SOC 306	Religion and Society	3
SOC 395	Topics in Sociology *	3
SOC 396	Topics in Sociology *	3
Women's Studies		
WMST 401W	Women: A Global Perspective	3
WMST 495	Topics in Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies *	3
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* With significant portion of the course about Asia, to be approved by the director.