

Geography – Asian Studies Emphasis

Students completing the Asian studies emphasis in Geography are not required to complete a minor. For more information, call 626-6945.

Course Requirements for B.S. or B.A. Degree in Geography with Asian Emphasis (36 credit hours)

Required Core Courses (12 credits)

- GEOG PS/SI 1000 Natural Environments of the Earth (3)
- GEOG SS 1300 People and Places of the World (3)
- GEOG SI 4050 Quantitative Methods in Geography (3)
- GEOG SI 4990 Research Seminar (3)

Electives (24 credits)

Select 6 credits from Group 1 or from topical geography courses not listed. Remaining 18 credits should be selected from Group 2, with at least one course chosen from each of three different areas, departments, or academic disciplines.

Group 1: Regional Geography Courses (6 credits):

- GEOG SS 1520 Geography of the U.S. and Canada (3)
- GEOG 3500 Geography of Utah (3)
- GEOG 3540 Geography of Latin America (3)
- GEOG 3590 Geography of Europe (3)
- GEOG 3620 Geography of Russia and the former USSR (3)
- GEOG 3640 Geography of Asia (3)
- GEOG 3660 Geography of China and Japan (3)
- GEOG 3740 Geography of Africa (3)
- GEOG 3780 Geography Area Studies (1-3)

Group 2: Asian Studies Courses (18 credits):

- ANTH 3200* Archaeology of Early Civilization (3)
- ANTH 3600* Culture Area Studies (1-3)
- ART 2040 Intro to Asian Art (4)
- ART 3060 The Art & Architecture of India (4)
- ART 3070 The Art & Architecture of China (3)
- ART 3080 The Art & Architecture of Japan (3)
- ART 3100 The Art & Architecture of the Islamic World (4)
- ECON 4170* Economic Development (3)
- ENGL 3730* Literature of Cultures and Places (3)
- FL Any Asian Language or Literature Class (3-4)
- FL 1851, 1852, 2852* Study Abroad (1-3)
- FL 3852, 4850* Study Abroad (1-6)
- FL 3550* Studies in Culture and Civilization (3)
- GEOG 3640 Geography of Asia (3)
- GEOG 3660 Geography of China and Japan (3)
- GEOG 4800* Individual Research (1-3)
- GEOG 2950, 4950* Regional Field Studies (1-3)
- HIST 4530 Far Eastern History (3)
- HIST 4550 Southeast Asian History (3)
- HIST 4570 South Asian History (3)
- HIST 4590 Middle Eastern History (3)
- MUSC HU 1053 Music of World Cultures (3)
- PHIL 3550 Philosophy of Eastern Religion (3)
- POLS 3220 Politics and Government of Asia (3)
- POLS 4160* Topics in World Politics (3)
- HNRS SS/HU 2130 Great Ides of the East (3)

*Acceptable when the emphasis and content deals primarily or extensively with Asia or the Middle East. Other Asian Studies courses not on the above list are acceptable with the approval of departmental advisor. For additional listing of Asian Studies courses, consult the Asian Studies minor program in the WSU catalog.