

ASIA30002 Identity, Ideology & Nationalism in Asia

Credit Points:	12.50
Level:	3 (Undergraduate)
Dates & Locations:	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus. Standard
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: One 1 hour lecture and One 1.5 hour seminar per week Total Time Commitment: 10.5 per week
Prerequisites:	This subject is only available to students completing the final year of a major in Asian Studies, or those in the Graduate Diploma in Arts (Asian Studies). .
Corequisites:	None .
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None .
Non Allowed Subjects:	None .
Core Participation Requirements:	None.
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Subject Overview:	This subject explores the interlocking themes of identity and ideology in a variety of Asian contexts. It examines how the ways in which people define themselves - "identities"- are affected by socially-structured systems of thought - "ideologies". National ideologies and identities from across the Asian region will be explored in conjunction with study ethnic, religious, class, gender, and regional forms of identity and ideology.
Objectives:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # To understand problems of ideology and identity in a range of Asian societies # To understand key theoretical concepts in the humanities and social sciences -namely those of ideology and identity - and to use those concepts in the analysis of social and cultural phenomena # To understand the impact of national and other ideologies and identities on the world in which we live
Assessment:	Research essay, 2,000 words, 30% (due mid-semester), research essay 3,000 words (due during the exam period) 55% and regular seminar participation, including presentation of original research 15%
Prescribed Texts:	Readings supplied by the Institute.
Recommended Texts:	None
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	# High level skills in research and analysis

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"># Capacity to understand complex social questions in a global and multi-cultural context# Capacity to present complex ideas and original research findings in both oral and written form
Notes:	None.
Related Course(s):	Bachelor of Arts
Related Majors/Minors/ Specialisations:	Asian Studies Asian Studies