

Asian Studies

| Year and Campus: | 2013 | | | | | | | |
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| Overview: | <p>Knowledge about Asia is a crucial national asset at a time of rapid globalisation and social change. The Asian Studies program at the University of Melbourne is one of the largest in Australia and comprises a comprehensive range of subjects in the intellectual, cultural, political and religious traditions of Asia, with a focus on China, Indonesia, Japan and South-east Asia. Asian Studies subjects are taught in English and do not require language prerequisites. Study abroad programs are available and Asialink offers a stimulating program of events and activities with an Asian focus.</p> | | | | | | | |
| Objectives: | See course objectives | | | | | | | |
| Structure & Available Subjects: | <p>Asian Studies can be undertaken as either a major or minor sequence in the BA.</p> <p>A major in Asian Studies comprises:</p> <p><i>Level 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # One Arts subject in any discipline; and # Language & Power in Asian Societies; or # An Arts Foundation Subject (../view/current/%21B-ARTS-SPC%2B1001) ; or # A level 1 Asia-focused subject. <p><i>Level 2</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Two Asian Studies subjects (a minimum of one from the core list); and # Compulsory level 2 subject Human Rights in China and East Asia <p><i>Level 3</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # 2 Asian Studies subjects (a minimum of 1 from the core list); and # The compulsory capstone subject Ideology and Nationalism in Asia <p>Total 100 points</p> <p>A minor in Asian Studies comprises:</p> <p><i>Level 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Language & Power in Asian Societies # One Arts Foundation Subject <p><i>Level 2</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Two level 2 subjects from the compulsory/core subjects listed in the Asian Studies major. <p><i>Level 3</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Any two subjects from the core subjects listed in the Asian Studies. <p>Total 75 points</p> <p>The capstone subject is not available in the minor or as breadth studies outside the BA.</p> <p>Overseas study</p> <p>Students on overseas exchange can select up to four Asia-focus subjects from those offered by overseas institutions for inclusion in their Asian Studies major.</p> | | | | | | | |
| Subject Options: | Level 1: | | | | | | | |
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| ASIA10001 Language and Power in Asian Societies | Semester 1 | 12.50 |
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Level 2 Compulsory:

This is a compulsory subject for students completing a major in Asian Studies.

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| CHIN20025 Human Rights in China & East Asia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |

Level 2 Core:

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| CHIN20007 Chinese Studies: Culture and Empire | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| CHIN20008 China Since Mao | Semester 2 | 12.50 |
| JAPN20005 Contemporary Japan | Semester 1 | 12.50 |
| INDO20005 Asian Performing Arts: Global and Local | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| ISLM20008 Islam and the State in Indonesia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |

Level 2 Electives:

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| HIST20010 Great Empires of Islamic Civilisation | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| HIST20034 Modern Southeast Asia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| ASIA20001 Media and Everyday Life in Asia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |

Level 3 Capstone:

The capstone is compulsory for students completing a major in Asian Studies.

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| ASIA30002 Identity, Ideology & Nationalism in Asia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |

Level 3 Core:

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| CHIN30001 Classic Chinese Civilisation | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| CHIN30002 Taiwan & Beyond: Chinese Settler Culture | Semester 1 | 12.50 |
| INDO30003 Popular Cultures in Indonesia | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| INDO30006 Literature: Reading Indonesian Lives | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| JAPN30002 Social Problems in Japan | Semester 2 | 12.50 |

Level 3 Electives:

| Subject | Study Period Commencement: | Credit Points: |
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| HIST30014 Making China Modern | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| HIST30015 The Modern Middle East | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |
| POLS30011 Chinese Politics and Society | Not offered 2013 | 12.50 |

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| Links to further information: | http://www.asiainstitute.unimelb.edu.au/ |
| Related Course(s): | Bachelor of Arts |