

ASIAN STUDIES

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

REQUIREMENTS (34-credits)

MINIMUM CREDITS

Students must complete at least 34-credits (excluding the Language Requirement)

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

All majors must have fourth-term proficiency in an Asian language taught within the Department of Asian Languages and Cultures. Majors are strongly encouraged to continue their language training beyond the second-year requirement. The Asian language used to meet this requirement will define the student's regional specialization.

These credits do not count toward the credits needed for the major.

REQUIREMENTS

- ASIAN 235: Introduction to Asian Studies
- ASIAN 381: Junior/Senior Seminar for Majors
 - Students must have declared an Asian Studies major to enroll in ASIAN 381. This course must be taken within a student's junior or senior year.
- Eight or more elective courses. At least four elective course in ASIAN or ASIANLAN must be at the 300-level or above (excluding ASIAN 381), one of which must be at the 400-level or above.
- All courses, except those courses used to acquire an optional second Asian language, must be at the 200-level or above.
- Students must take a minimum of five courses at UM-Ann Arbor an Ann Arbor campus extension that is taught by Ann Arbor faculty. This includes Camp Davis, Biological Station, Michigan-in-Washington, but not STDABRD
- Students must earn a C- or better in a course for it to count toward major requirements

The plan for the major is designed in consultation with and approved by a department advisor.

SUBMAJOR REQUIREMENT

Majors must take at least four 300-level or above elective ASIAN or ASIANLAN courses (excluding ASIAN 381) focused on or related to the sub-major.

OPTIONAL COGNATE

One cognate course (up to four credits) from outside of ALC is permitted to count toward the major. This cognate must be approved by an ALC faculty advisor.

CONSTRAINTS

No more than eight credits may be elected from ASIAN 499.

HONORS

Honors students must have a 3.5 GPA in their program and a 3.4 GPA overall. Students must declare this designation with a department advisor no later than junior year, complete ASIAN 395, and present their Honors project at ALC's Undergraduate Honors Symposium. Please work with an ALC advisor for more information.

CHECKLIST FOR THE ASIAN STUDIES MAJOR

Student: _____

Date: _____

ASIAN STUDIES MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM CREDITS

- At least 34 credits (excluding Language Requirement credits)

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

- Fourth-term proficiency Language: _____

REQUIRED COURSES

- ASIAN 235: Introduction to Asian Studies (4cr)
- ASIAN 381: Junior/Senior Research Seminar for Majors (3cr)
- At least four courses taken at the 300-level or above focused on or related to the sub-major.
- At least one course at the 400-level or above focused on or related to the sub-major.
- At least 15 credits in residence at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor or an Ann Arbor campus extension that is taught by Ann Arbor faculty.
- All courses taken for a grade and earned a C- or better.

ELECTIVE COURSES

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