

# Japanese Studies (JNH)

## Minor in Japanese Studies

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In completing the minor in Japanese Studies, students take a series of courses centering on the history and civilization of Japan while keeping in view Japan's close ties with China and Korea. Students choose courses for the minor with the approval of the director of the minor.

### Courses Offered in Japanese Language (JPN)

See the Course Descriptions listing in this *Bulletin* for complete information.

JPN 111, 112 Elementary Japanese I, II

JPN 211, 212 Intermediate Japanese I, II

JPN 311, 312 Advanced Japanese I, II

JPN 331-F Social Sciences Topics in Japanese Studies

JPN 332-G Humanities Topics in Japanese Studies

JPN 410 Business Japanese

JPN 411 Advanced Japanese III

JPN 412 Advanced Japanese IV

JPN 447 Independent Study

### Courses Offered in Japanese Studies (AAS)

See the Course Descriptions listing in this *Bulletin* for complete information.

AAS 102-B Eastern Religions

AAS 211-F Asian and Asian American Studies Topics in the Social Sciences

AAS 212-G Asian and Asian American Studies Topics in the Humanities

AAS 216-J Introduction to Japanese Studies

AAS 246-J Korean and Japanese Religions

AAS 260-J Buddhism

AAS 322-G Literature of Japan

AAS 340-J Topics in Asian History

AAS 346 Philosophy of Education in Korea and Japan

AAS 367-J Meditation and Enlightenment

AAS 382-G Japanese Buddhism

AAS 391-G Humanities Topics in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 392-F Social Science Topics in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 394-J Topics in Asian Art

AAS 401 Senior Seminar in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 447 Directed Readings in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 475, 476 Undergraduate Teaching Practica I, II

AAS 487 Supervised Research in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 488 Internship

### Requirements for the Minor in Japanese Studies (JNH)

All courses offered for the minor must be passed with a letter grade of C or higher.

Completion of the minor requires 18-19 credits.

1. JPN 211 Intermediate Japanese I

2. Five of the following:

HIS 220 Introduction to Japanese History and Civilization

AAS 216 Introduction to Japanese Studies

AAS/RLS 246 Korean and Japanese Religions

AAS 322 Literature of Japan

AAS 346 Philosophy of Education in Korea and Japan

AAS 447 Directed Readings in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS 487 Supervised Research in Asian and Asian American Studies

AAS/RLS 382 Japanese Buddhism

HIS 220 Introduction to Japanese History and Civilization

HIS 344 20th-Century Japan

HIS 431, 432 Colloquium in Asian History (appropriate topic only)

JPN 311 Advanced Japanese I

JPN 312 Advanced Japanese II

JPN 331 Social Sciences Topics in Japanese Studies

JPN 332 Humanities Topics in Japanese Studies

JPN 410 Business Japanese

JPN 411 Advanced Japanese III

JPN 412 Advanced Japanese IV

JPN 447 Independent Study

LIN 431 Structure of an Uncommonly Taught Language (appropriate topic only)

PHI 344 Japanese Thought and Philosophy

Notes:

1. Students excused from JPN 211 because of previous Japanese language proficiency are required to take an extra course from Requirement 2.
2. From requirement 2, no more than six language credits are accepted.
3. Independent study may fulfill only three credits.
4. The Japanese Studies minor has full-year and half-year study abroad programs with five major Japanese universities. In addition, a summer program is offered during which students stay with Japanese host families for one month while studying in Japan. Credits earned during these programs count toward the Japanese Studies minor and the major in Asian and Asian American Studies.