

Asian Studies Major Checklist

I. Five Required Courses (choose Chinese track or Japanese track)

Language Course #1 of 4 (Chinese or Japanese, all four language courses should be in one language)

Language Course #2 of 4

Language Course #3 of 4

Language Course #4 of 4

ASIA/HIST 171 (for Chinese track) Imperial China

ASIA/JPN 261 (for Japanese track) Cultural History of Japan: From Jōmon Pottery to Manga

II. Five Elective Courses (choose any five courses with ASIA/CHI/JPN prefixes, two of which must focus on an Asian culture other than the student's core language choice)

Elective Course #1 of 5

Elective Course #2 of 5

Elective Course #3 of 5

Elective Course #4 of 5

Elective Course #5 of 5

III. Thesis Sequence

A. Upper-Level Seminar

ASIA 320

Advanced Seminar: Current Research on Asia

B. Senior Thesis

ASIA 457 or 458

Thesis Project

Total Requirement: 12 Courses

Up to two Asian language courses outside the student's core language choice can count for this "other culture" requirement.

An FYS on China or Japan may count toward the five courses.

Up to two Short Term courses may count toward the major. (Each half-credit Short Term course counts as a "full course" for the purposes of the Asian Studies Major)

One W2 Course in Asian Studies is highly recommended.