WEATHERHEAD EAST ASIAN INSTITUTE GRADUATE COURSE BULLETIN
FALL 2016 COURSE OFFERINGS AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

The Weatherhead East Asian Institute Graduate Course Bulletin is intended to provide a listing of East Asia-related graduate and language courses at Columbia. While we try to include all courses in that category, some courses, times, and locations are added or changed after the bulletin has been printed. For the most up-to-date information on courses, please go to Columbia University’s Directory of Classes at http://www.columbia.edu/cu/bulletin/uwb/

This course bulletin also explains the requirements for the Weatherhead East Asian Institute Certificate, the East Asian Regional Specialization within the School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), and the Master of Arts in Regional Studies–East Asia (MARSEA).

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ANTHROPOLOGY

Seminar on Modern Taiwan
ANTH GR8499  Call # 19415
M. Cohen, M. Rubinstein

SEMINAR
Location: 963 EXT Schermerhorn Hall
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 3

ARCHITECTURE

City & Countryside in China
ARCH A4575  Call # 68497
TBA

SEMINAR
Location: 412 Avery Hall
Day(s)/Time: W 11:00AM to 1:00PM
Points: 3

Building China Modern
ARCH A4620  Call # 84030
Amy Lelyveld

LECTURE
Location: 409 Avery Hall
Day(s)/Time: R 11:00AM to 1:00PM
Points: 3

ART HISTORY

East Asian Ink Painting
AHIS GU4061  Call # 62193
R. Harrist, M. McKelway

LECTURE
Location: 930 Schermerhorn Hall
Day(s)/Time: MW 4:10PM to 5:25PM
Points: 3

Ceramic Arts of Korea and Japan
AHIS GU4561  Call # 26032
Soyoung Lee

SEMINAR
Location: 930 Schermerhorn Hall
Day(s)/Time: M 10:10AM to 12:00PM
Points: 4

Chinese Painting
AHIS GR8600  Call #72398
Robert Harrist

SEMINAR
Location: 934 Schermerhorn Hall
Day(s)/Time: T 10:10AM to 12:00PM
Points: 4

EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

Topics in Japanese Cinema
EAAS GU4118  Call # 62274
Hikari Hori

SEMINAR
Location: 405 Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: T 6:10PM to 8:00PM
Film Screenings: T 8:10PM to 10:00PM
Points: 4

Studying Closed Societies: Tibet, Xinjiang, and China’s Socialist Neighbors
EAAS GU4561  Call # 88247
Robert Barnett

SEMINAR
Location: 224 Pupin Laboratories
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4
History of Chinese Visual Culture: Modern & Contemporary Media Cultures  
EAAS GR8992  
Ying Qian  
Call # 26899  
Location: 424 Pupin Laboratories  
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM  
Points: 4

Acquisition of Chinese as a Second Language  
CHNS GU4904  
Shaoyan Qi  
Call # 72320  
Location: 707 Hamilton Hall  
Day(s)/Time: TR 2:40PM to 3:55PM  
Points: 4

Japan Bibliography  
JPNS GR6510  
Paul Kreitman  
Call # 67646  
Location: 522A Kent Hall  
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM  
Prerequisites: JPNS W4005-W4006 or equivalent  
Points: 4

Critical Approaches to East Asia  
EAAS GU4102  
Nicholas Bartlett  
Call # 01120  
Location: TBA  
Day(s)/Time: TBA  
Points: 4

ECONOMICS  
Economic Development of Japan  
ECON GU4325  
David Weinstein  
Call # 17888  
Location: 312 Mathematics Building  
Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM  
Points: 3

Chinese Economy  
REGN U4845  
Ronald Schramm  
Call # 92800  
Location: 409 IAB  
Day(s)/Time: T 11:00AM to 12:50PM  
This course is offered through SIPA  
Points: 3

Chinese Financial Markets  
REGN U6629  
Ronald Schramm  
Call # 83531  
Location: 402B IAB  
Day(s)/Time: T 6:10PM to 8:00PM  
This course is offered through SIPA  
Points: 3

HISTORY  
Colonial & Post-Colonial Korea  
HSEA GU4030  
Charles Armstrong  
Call # 92296  
Location: 522C Kent Hall  
Day(s)/Time: T 12:10PM to 2:00PM  
Points: 4

Qing & Republican Era Documents  
HIST GR8882  
Eugenia Lean  
Call # 75944  
Location: TBA  
Day(s)/Time: T 12:10PM to 2:00PM  
Points: 4
Middle Period Chinese History: Sung Dynasty
HSEA GR8883  Call # 90942
Robert Hymes

Gods, Ghosts, and Ancestors
HSEA GU4881  Call # 71946
Robert Hymes

Colloquium on Early Modern Japan:
Constructing Japanese Masculinity
HSEA GR6009  Call # 27342
Gregory Pflugfelder

Colloquium on Modern Japanese History
HIST GR8839  Call # 28142
Carol Gluck

History of Modern China I
HSEA GU4880  Call # 21197
Madeleine Zelin

Merchants, Markets, Modernity- China
HSEA GU4884  Call # 70892
Madeleine Zelin

Women & Gender in Korean History
HSEA GU4888  Call # 67220
Jungwon Kim

Rise of Modern Tibet: 1600-1913
HSEA GU4700  Call # 25373
Gray Tuttle

Seminar on Hong Kong
TBA  Call # TBA
TBA

Seminar on East Asia & The Cold War
TBA  Call # TBA
TBA

Colloquium
Location: 522D Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: W 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Seminar
Location: 522B Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Colloquium
Location: 522D Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 3

Colloquium
Location: 501 IAB
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Lecture
Location: 413 Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25 AM
Points: 3

Seminar
Location: 405 IAB
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Seminar
Location: 307 Pupin Laboratories
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Colloquium
Location: 406 Hamilton Hall
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10 to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Seminar
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: TBA
Points: 4

Seminar
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: TBA
Points: 4
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

The US & The Wars For Vietnam
REGN U6628 Call # 63447
Simon Toner
Location: 405A IAB
Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM to 4:00PM
Points: 3

State Owned Enterprises in China
INAF U8346 Call # 12788
Merit Janow
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: M 4:20PM to 6:10PM
Points: 3

Gender and Development in Southeast Asia
REGN U6639 Call # 64530
Kristy Kelly
Location: 402B IAB
Day(s)/Time: R 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 3

China’s New Marketplace
REGN U8600 Call # 83531
D Rosen, A Kroeber
Location: 402B IAB
Day(s)/Time: T 6:10PM to 8:00PM
Points: 3

War and Captivity
REGN U6796 Call # 77033
Sarah Kovner
Location: 501A IAB
Day(s)/Time: T 11:00AM to 12:50PM
Points: 3

LAW

State Owned Enterprises in China
LAW L8346 Call # 67395
Merit Janow
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: M 4:20PM to 6:10PM
Points: 2

LITERATURE

Soseki & World Literature
EAAS GU4727 Call # 69002
Paul Anderer
Location: 424 Pupin Laboratories
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10PM to 6:00PM
Points: 4

Seminar in Modern Japanese Literature
JPNS GR8020 Call # 77473
Tomi Suzuki
Location: 424 Kent Hall
Day(s)/Time: R 1:10PM to 4:00PM
Points: 4

Directed Readings in Chinese
CHNS GR8028 Call # 19480
Zhaohua Yang
Location: Independent
Day(s)/Time: Independent
Points: 3

Prerequisites: CHNS W4007-4008, W4017-4018, one year of an 8000-level course, and the student advisor and the instructor’s written permission
### Seminar in Premodern Japanese Literature
**JPNS GR8040**  
Haruo Shirane  
**Call # 26708**  
**Location:** 413 Hamilton Hall  
**Day(s)/Time:** W 2:10PM to 5:00PM  
**Points:** 4

### Seminar in Modern Chinese Literature
**CHNS GR9022**  
Tuo Li  
**Call # 72597**  
**Location:** 307 Pupin Laboratories  
**Day(s)/Time:** T 2:10PM to 4:00PM  
**Points:** 4

### Classical Chinese Poetry
**EAAS GR8042**  
Harrison Huang  
**Call # 98596**  
**Location:** 612 Philosophy Hall  
**Day(s)/Time:** T 2:10PM to 4:00PM  
**Points:** 4

### History of Chinese Literature
**EAAS GU4031**  
Wei Shang  
**Call # 22577**  
**Location:** 413 Hamilton Hall  
**Day(s)/Time:** M 2:10PM to 4:00PM  
**Points:** 3

### Readings in Classical Chinese
**CHNS GU4507**  
Wei Shang  
**Call # 14737**  
**Location:** 412 Pupin Laboratories  
**Day(s)/Time:** TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM  
**Points:** 3

### POLITICAL SCIENCE

#### Chinese Politics in Comparative Perspective
**POLS GR8471**  
Xiaobo Lu  
**Call # 07698**  
**Location:** TBA  
**Day(s)/Time:** W 4:10PM to 6:00PM  
**Points:** 4

#### Korean Politics
**POLS GR4476**  
Stephen Noerper  
**Call # 86296**  
**Location:** 303 Hamilton Hall  
**Day(s)/Time:** F 10:10AM to 12:00PM  
**Points:** 4

#### Japanese Politics
**POLS GR4472**  
Takako Hikotani  
**Call # 68148**  
**Location:** 418 IAB  
**Day(s)/Time:** M 10:10AM to 12:00PM  
**Points:** 4

#### Nine Thought Trends in China
**POLS GU4407**  
Boshu Zhang  
**Call # 73883**  
**Location:** 511 Hamilton Hall  
**Day(s)/Time:** W 12:10PM to 2:00PM  
*This course will be taught in Chinese*

### RELIGION

#### Buddhism and Daoism in China
**RELI GU4307**  
Zhaohua Yang  
**Call # 73478**  
**Location:** 201 80 Claremont Ave  
**Day(s)/Time:** T 4:10PM to 6:00PM  
**Points:** 4
Buddhist Texts
RELI GR9631  Call # 19166  SEMINAR  Location: 303 80 Claremont Ave  Points: 3
Robert Thurman  Day(s)/Time: T 10:10AM to 12:00PM

Interpreting Buddhist Yoga
RELI GU4318  Call # 16745  SEMINAR  Location: 201 80 Claremont Ave  Points: 4
David Kittay  Day(s)/Time: R 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Buddhism & Neuroscience
RELI GU4513  Call # 92192  SEMINAR  Location: 201 80 Claremont Ave  Points: 4
Bernard Faure  Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Japanese Religion
RELI GR9335  Call # 27098  SEMINAR  Location: 424 Kent Hall  Points: 4
Bernard Faure  Day(s)/Time: 2:10PM to 4:00PM

LANGUAGE COURSES
For all language courses beyond the first-year level, please consult the “Entrance to Language Courses Beyond the Elementary Level” handout available at the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures (EALAC) in Kent Hall. Placement exams for entrance to East Asian language courses beyond the introductory year are held at the beginning of each semester. For information on Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Tibetan, and Vietnamese language courses, language courses dealing with classical or medieval texts, or other general questions on East Asian languages, please see EALAC’s website, http://www.ealac.columbia.edu.

CANTONESE (OFFERED AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY)
Elementary Cantonese I
CANT UN1101  Call # 73549  LANGUAGE  Location: NYU  Points: 4
S. Charitos, F. Hui  Day(s)/Time: TR 2:00PM to 4:45PM
Classes will be held at NYU. For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.

Intermediate Cantonese II
CANT UN2101  Call # 12046  LANGUAGE  Location: NYU  Points: 4
S. Charitos, F. Hui  Day(s)/Time: TR 4:55PM to 7:35PM
Classes will be held at NYU. For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.
Prerequisites: CANT W1101-1102 or instructor’s permission.

INDONESIAN
For more information, contact the Language Resource Center at 212-854-6341
Elementary Indonesian I
INDO UN1101  Call # 26536  LANGUAGE  Location: TBA  Points: 4
TBA  Day(s)/Time: TBA
For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.
Intermediate Indonesian I
INDO UN2101 Call # 78442 Location: TBA Points: 4
TBA Day(s)/Time: TBA
For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.
Prerequisites: INDO W1101-1102 or instructor’s permission.

Advanced Indonesian I
INDO UN3101 Call # 94258 Location: TBA Points: 3
S. Charitos, J. Pandin Day(s)/Time: TBA
For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.

FILIPINO (OFFERED AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY)
Elementary Filipino I
FILI UN1101 Call # 13773 Location: NYU Points: 4
S. Charitos, A. Magotto Day(s)/Time: MTWR 11:00AM to 12:15PM
Classes will be held at NYU. For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.

Intermediate Filipino I
FILI UN2101 Call # 88442 Location: NYU Points: 4
S. Charitos, A. Magotto Day(s)/Time: TR 2:00PM to 4:45PM
Classes will be held at NYU. For more info, contact sc758@columbia.edu.
Prerequisites: FILI W1101-W1102 or the instructor’s permission.

WEATHERHEAD EAST ASIAN INSTITUTE CERTIFICATE

Introduction
The Weatherhead East Asian Institute Certificate attests to specialized knowledge of a language and country of the Asia Pacific region and can be earned by matriculated Columbia graduate students not enrolled in an East Asian area/regional studies degree program. Students may choose from among three certificate options: a focus on modern China, modern Japan, or modern Korea.

Summary of Requirements

1. **Language**: the student demonstrates fourth-year level language proficiency for one country of study (China, Japan, or Korea) either by completing the appropriate course work at Columbia or by demonstrating comparable proficiency on language placement examinations administered by the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures. Since the emphasis is upon specified levels of language ability, no credit for course work necessary to attain the required level of proficiency (fourth year) is granted toward the Certificate.

2. **Course Work**: seven graduate level East Asia courses (at least three credits each) according to the requirements of the student’s chosen program of study (see Coursework Requirements below). Students using Chinese or Japanese to meet the language requirement may count one fifth-year language course; the remaining course work must be selected from non-language
offerings. Many of the courses also satisfy program requirements for the student’s school or department.

**Language Requirement**

Students must achieve a working competence in one East Asian language, to be demonstrated as follows:

(1) **Chinese, Japanese, and Korean (depending on the certificate to be earned):** by completion of the fourth-year course at Columbia with a grade of B or higher, or successful completion of the fourth-year or higher level language placement examination administered by the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures at the beginning of each semester. All entering students who wish to enroll in a language course beyond the first-year level must take the placement examination before registering for courses.

The language requirement must be met with a language that matches the certificate to be earned (i.e., Chinese for the Weatherhead East Asian Institute Certificate in Chinese Studies).

Language courses from the first- through the fourth-year level are offered each academic year. Although these courses meet more frequently than most non-language graduate courses, they are generally considered one course in the typical student’s program of four or five courses per semester.

Students may also complete the equivalent of one year of language study during the Columbia summer session. These are intensive courses and students will generally be unable to take other course work during the summer. Students may count one fifth-year language course as coursework.

**Requests for Advanced Standing and Exemption from Specific Course Requirements**

(1) **Graduate transfer students** from other universities may receive up to four courses of credit for comparable graduate work in East Asian studies. Students requesting advanced standing should submit the following material to the Institute’s Student Affairs Officer: a transcript of the relevant courses along with a letter indicating the content of each course and the reasons that it fulfills the course requirement(s) for the certificate. The Director of the Weatherhead East Asian Institute reviews requests for advanced standing. If approved, the student will receive a letter from the Institute Director indicating that advanced standing had been granted.

Note: Regardless of previous course work, the seminar-colloquium requirement of the Institute must be fulfilled at Columbia.

(2) **Entering students** who have completed graduate courses in East Asian studies as undergraduates may be exempted from specific East Asian courses in which they are already prepared. The procedure to be followed is the same as described above for graduate transfer students. However, unless they received an undergraduate degree from Columbia College, and the graduate courses taken exceeded the total courses required for the undergraduate degree, graduate credit will not be granted for these courses.

In exceptional cases, modifications may be made in the Institute Certificate requirements for
students entering the program with a significant background in Asian studies. Any revision will be considered on an individual basis, and must be approved in writing by the Institute Director.

**Application for the Certificate**

To apply, submit a completed Certificate Audit Form, Application for Degree or Certificate form, and transcript to the Weatherhead East Asian Institute Student Affairs Officer.

The Institute Director will review all materials, and, if approved, the Registrar will be informed that the certificate should be conferred along with the student’s diploma.

For complete information and to download a Certificate Audit form, go to http://weai.columbia.edu/weai-certificate-program.

**MASTER OF ARTS IN REGIONAL STUDIES–EAST ASIA (MARSEA)**

The Weatherhead East Asian Institute administers the Master of Arts in Regional Studies–East Asia (MARSEA) program through the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences for those wishing to focus on a social science approach to modern East Asia at the graduate level. The program provides interdisciplinary training (intensive exposure to the politics, international relations, modern history, culture, and society of the region) with a country or area of focus. The program, generally completed in one year, is tailored to meet the needs of individuals entering professional careers, mid-career professionals, students preparing for entry into doctoral programs, and those pursuing a professional degree, who want to gain regional expertise.

**Degree Requirements**

*Summary of Basic Requirements*

- Language Proficiency equivalent to three years of Chinese, Japanese, or Korean, or two years of modern Tibetan
- Two modern history courses on the country of specialization
- Six appropriate regional courses (at least two of which are colloquia or seminars)
- Two elective courses
- Minimum of 30 credits in total (approximately 10 courses)
- A master’s thesis (minimum 30 pages)

*Requirements for the China, Japan, Korea, or Tibet Program*

- Proficiency equivalent to the third-year level of Chinese, Japanese, or Korean, or the second-year level of modern Tibetan. The language requirement may be met through coursework or by passing a language placement examination at Columbia. For more information contact the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures at http://www.columbia.edu/cu/ealac/

- Two courses in modern history of the appropriate country or area (same as that of language proficiency).
- Six regional courses selected from at least two different fields: at least one of the six courses
must focus on an Asia Pacific country or sub-region other than the student’s country or area of specialization. These courses must include at least two colloquia and/or seminars and are drawn from a wide range of offerings in Anthropology, Business, Economics, History, International Affairs, Literature, Law, Political Science, and Sociology. Courses dealing with the region as a whole or dealing with the region’s relations with other countries or regions may also be taken to fulfill this requirement. Students taking an East Asian language at the fourth-year level or above may count two semesters of language toward this requirement.

- Two elective courses not necessarily dealing with East Asia.
- The master’s thesis must be at least thirty pages in length and deal with a modern or contemporary topic in the social sciences that focus on East Asia. It must substantially incorporate the student’s country of specialization, although other countries or areas can be dealt with in the paper.

EAST ASIAN REGIONAL SPECIALIZATION WITHIN SIPA

Students in the School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA) may fulfill SIPA’s requirement for a specialization by completing the East Asian Regional Specialization. The specialization requires the completion of three graduate-level East Asian studies courses (at least 3 credits each for a total of at least 9 credits). Courses must be drawn from at least two different social science disciplines and cover at least two different East Asian countries.

FUNDING FOR EAST ASIAN STUDIES

The Weatherhead East Asian Institute offers funding for research, language acquisition, internships, and dissertation write-up during the summer and academic year to selected Columbia graduate and undergraduate students committed to professional and academic engagement with East Asia.

Eligibility varies depending on the particular funding opportunity, so please review the application materials carefully before applying. For complete information on all of the awards administered by the Weatherhead East Asian Institute and instructions on how to apply, please visit the following web address:

http://weai.columbia.edu/academics/funding-opportunities

The deadline for summer 2017 and academic year 2017-2018 applications is:

TBA – late February/early March 2017