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WEATHERHEAD EAST ASIAN INSTITUTE GRADUATE COURSE BULLETIN SPRING 2014 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 are posted after the bulletin has been printed.

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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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GRADUATE-LEVEL EAST ASIA COURSES

ROOM ASSIGNMENTS AND CLASS SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

FOR THE MOST UP-TO-DATE AND ACCURATE COURSE INFORMATION, CONSULT THE COLUMBIA DIRECTORY OF CLASSES ON-LINE AT <http://www.columbia.edu/cu/bulletin/uwb/>

PLEASE CHECK THIS WEBSITE PERIODICALLY FOR ANY LAST MINUTE CHANGES TO THE COURSE SCHEDULE. STUDENTS SHOULD RELY ON THE ON-LINE VERSION OF THE DIRECTORY OF CLASSES FOR THE MOST CURRENT & ACCURATE COURSE INFORMATION.

Note: An "R" before the course time indicates Thursday. TBA means To be announced

ANTHROPOLOGY

Seminar on Late Imperial China
ANTH G8494 **Call # 12835**
Myron L Cohen

SEMINAR
Location: TBA **Points: 3**
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

ARCHITECTURE

Traditional Japanese Architecture
ARCH A4344 **Call # 77029**
Kunio Kudo
 Note: Meets only from 1/21 – 3/7

SEMINAR
Location: Buell Hall 300 S **Points: 3**
Day(s)/Time: MTMT 9:00AM-11:00AM

Contemporary Chinese City
ARCH A4356 **Call # 25780**
Jeffrey Johnson

SEMINAR
Location: Avery Hall 600 **Points: 3**
Day(s)/Time: M 11:00AM to 1:00PM

Japanese Urbanism
ARCH A4460 **Call # 63011**
Lynne C Breslin

LECTURE
Location: Avery Hall 408 **Points: 3**
Day(s)/Time: W 11:00AM to 1:00PM

Traditional Chinese Architecture
ARCH A4461 **Call # 62646**
Instructor: TBA
 Notes: Meets only from 1/21-3/37

SEMINAR
Location: Avery Hall 505 **Points: 3**
Day(s)/Time: TF 9:00AM to 11:00AM

Environmental Policy/Planning in China
ARCH A6526 Call # 69692
Xin Li

LECTURE
Location: Avery Hall 412
Day(s)/Time: W 9:00AM to 11:00AM

Points: 3

Land and Housing Policy in East Asia
ARCH A6546 Call # 73346
Xin Li

SEMINAR
Location: Avery Hall 408
Day(s)/Time: R 4:00PM to 6:00PM

Points: 3

Asian Urbanism Now
ARCH A6835 Call # 85846
Geeta Mehta

SEMINAR
Location: Buell Hall
Day(s)/Time: M 11:00AM to 1:00PM

Points: 3

ART HISTORY

Edo Period Painting
AHIS G8128 Call # 14531
Matthew P. McKelway

COLLOQUIA
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10 PM to 6:00 PM

Points: 3

Modern & Contemporary Art in China
AHIS G8495 Call # 27825
John Rajchman

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: R 4:10 PM to 6:00 PM

Points: 3

EAST ASIAN STUDIES

Japanese Buddhist Visual Culture
EAAS W4022 Call # 05390
Davis L. Moerman

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 3

Critical Approach to E. Asia in the Soc. Sci.
EAAS W4102 Call # 09998
Annabella C Pitkin

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: T 11:00 AM to 12:50 PM

Points: 3

Cultures in Colonial Korea
EAAS G4160 Call # 75530
Theodore Hughes

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 3

Tibetan Cultures and Societies
AME W4548 Call # 08723
Annabella C. Pitkin

SEMINAR
Location: TBA Points: 4
Day(s)/Time: W 11:00AM to 12:50PM

Biography, Memory, and Modern Tibet
EAAS G4618 Call # 60870
Robert J. Barnett

SEMINAR
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: M 4:10PM to 6:00PM

MA Workshop: East Asian History
EAAS G6200 Call # 15240
Gregory Pflugfelder
 Note: Restricted to EALAC MA students

WORKSHOP
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Critical Approach to East Asian Studies
EAAS G6400 Call # 24061
Tomi Suzuki
 Note: Restricted to EALAC MA students in Lit and Cultural studies

SEMINAR
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: R 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Lu Xun and Modern China
EAAS G8035 Call # 86398
Lydia Liu

SEMINAR
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: R 4:10PM-6:00PM

ECONOMICS

Economic Org. and Development of China
ECON G4527 Call # 22229
Carl Riskin

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: T 4:10PM to 6:00PM

HISTORY

Cultural History-Japanese Monsters
HIST W3338 Call # 63013
Gregory Pflugfelder

SEMINAR
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: MW 6:10PM to 7:25PM

South Asia II: Empire/Its Aftermath
HIST W3811 Call # 07854
Anupama Rao

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: TR 1:10PM to 2:25PM

The History of Modern Korea HSEA W3863 Call # 27427 Charles K. Armstrong	LECTURE Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM	Points: 3
Gender and Power in China HIST BC3865 Call # 07500 Dorothy Ko	LECTURE Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: TR 2:40 PM to 3:55 PM	Points: 3
History of Modern China II HSEA W3881 Call # 62480 Eugenia Lean	LECTURE Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM	Points: 3
The Mongols in History HSEA W3898 Call # 74382 Morris Rossabi	LECTURE Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: T 10:10AM to 12:00PM	Points: 3
20th Century Tibetan History HSEA W4720 Call # 19871 Gray W Tuttle	SEMINAR Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM	Points: 3
Soc of Choson Korea 1392-1910 HSEA W4860 Call # 20027 Jungwon Kim	SEMINAR Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: M 2:10PM to 4:00PM	Points: 3
Gender, Passion, Social Order in China HSEA W4886 Call # 23435 Eugenia Lean	SEMINAR Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: M 10:10AM to 11:25AM	Points: 3
Historiography of East Asia HSEA W4890 Call # 63459 Gray W Tuttle	SEMINAR Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: T 12:10PM to 2:00PM	Points: 3
Colloquium on Korean History to 1900 HSEA G8861 Call # 29215 Jungwon Kim	COLLOQUIA Location: TBA Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM-4:00PM	Points: 3

Colloquium on The History of Modern Japan COLLOQUIA
HSEA G8871 Call # 74867 Location: TBA Points: 3
Lisbeth K Brandt Day(s)/Time: M 2:10PM-4:00PM

Visual/Material Culture in China COLLOQUIA
HSEA G8875 Call # 09620 Location: TBA Points: 3
Dorothy Ko Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM-4:00PM

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

International Relations of Northeast Asia
REGN U6647 Call # 77247 SEMINAR
Sue Mi Terry Location: 501A IAB Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: R 4:10 -6:00PM

Nation, State, Ethnicity, and Transnational Community in SE Asia
INAF U6649 Call # 11286 SEMINAR
Saskia Schaefer Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: M 2:10PM – 4:00PM

Higher Education Development/Policy in Asia LECTURE
INAF U6653 Call # 63746 Location: TBA Points: 3
Alessia Lefebure Day(s)/Time: R 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Comparative Development: East Asia and Its Lessons
INAF U8246 Call # 97996 SEMINAR
Akbar Noman Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Culture in Foreign Policy: China & India SEMINAR
INAF U8564 Call # 25996 Location: TBA Points: 3
Vishaka Desai Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

LAW

Japanese Law and Legal Institutions LECTURE
LAW L6273 Call # 77047 Location: TBA Points: 3
Curtis J. Milhaupt Day(s)/Time: TBA
Note: Approval of Law School Registration Services Required.

Geopolitics of Law and Conflict on the Korean Peninsula
LAW L8813 Call # 27098 SEMINAR
Jeong-Ho Roh Location: TBA Points: 2
Day(s)/Time: TBA

LITERATURE

Readings in Classical Chinese
CHNS W4008 Call # 73424
Gopal Sukhu

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM

Readings in Classical Japanese
JPNS W4008 Call # 21524
Tomi Suzuki

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: T 10:10AM to 12:00PM

Readings in Modern Chinese
CHNS G4016 Call # 14187
Yuan-Yuan Meng

LECTURE Section 001
Location: TBA Points: 4
Day(s)/Time: MTWR 10:00AM to 10:50AM

Readings in Modern Chinese
CHNS G4016 Call # 20198
Ling Yan

LECTURE Section 002
Location: TBA Points: 4
Day(s)/Time: MWR 6:10PM to 7:25PM

Readings in Modern Chinese
CHNS W4018 Call # 67165
Chih-ping Sobelman
 Prerequisites: CHNS W4006, or the Equivalent.

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 4
Day(s)/Time: MWF 1:10PM to 2:25 PM

History of The Chinese Language
CHNS W4019 Call # 75252
Zhirong Wang

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: TR 2:40PM to 3:55PM

Literary & Cultural Theory: East/West
CLEA W4101 Call # 77111
Lydia Liu

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: T 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Selected Readings of Early Chinese Texts
CHNS G5013 Call # 17279
Feng Li

LECTURE
Location: TBA Points: 3
Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Advanced Modern Chinese Readings
CHNS G5017 Call # 17054
Lening Liu

COLLOQUIA
Location: TBA Points: 4
Day(s)/Time: TR 10:10AM to 11:25AM

Introduction to History of Chinese Literature
CHNS G6010 Call # 15415
Wei Shang

COLLOQUIA
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: M 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 3

Modern Japanese Literature
JPNS G9020 Call # 14730
Paul J Anderer

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: W 4:10PM to 6:00PM

Points: 4

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Chinese Foreign Policy
POLS W4871 Call # 22793
Andrew J Nathan

LECTURE
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: MW 2:40PM to 3:55PM

Points: 3

Politics of Building Welfare States in East Asia
POLS U6710 Call # 89280
Yumiko T Shimabukuro

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM to 4:00 PM

Points: 1.5

RELIGION

Lotus Sutra and East Asian Buddhism
RELI W4011 Call # 08735
David L Moerman

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: R 10:10AM to 12:00AM

Points: 4

Buddhist Contemplativ Sciences
RELI W4035 Call # 83546
Thomas F Yarnall

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: R 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 4

Japanese Religion
EARL G9335 Call # 13818
Bernard Faure

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: W 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 3

Readings in Japanese Religion
RELI G9400 Call # 77028
Michael Como

SEMINAR
Location: TBA
Day(s)/Time: M 2:10PM to 4:00PM

Points: 4

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 language courses dealing with classical or medieval texts or any other general questions on East Asian languages, please consult EALAC’s website, <http://www.columbia.edu/cu/ealac/>

CANTONESE (OFFERED AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY)

Elementary Cantonese II

CANT W1102

Call # 21226

Location: NYU

Points: 4

Stephane A Charitos

Day(s)/Time: TR 2:00PM to 4:45PM

Class meets at NYU. Signature needed. Please call 212-854-6341.

Intermediate Cantonese II

CANT W1202

Call # 71770

Location: TBA

Points: 4

Stephane A Charitos

Day(s)/Time: TR 4:55PM to 7:35PM

Class meets at NYU. Signature needed. Please call 212-854-6341.

INDONESIAN

For more information on Indonesian language, contact the Language Resource Center at 212-854-6341.

Elementary Indonesian II

INDO W1102

Call # 61636

Location: TBA

Points: 4

Stephane A Charitos

Day(s)/Time: MW 11:00AM to 1:00PM

Intermediate Indonesian II

INDO W1202

Call # 71905

Location: TBA

Points: 4

Stephane A Charitos

Day(s)/Time: TR 11:00AM to 1:00PM

Advanced Indonesian II

INDO W3336

Call # 10143

Location: TBA

Points: 3

Stephane A Charitos

Day(s)/Time: TBA

Offered Via Video Conference From Cornell. Call 854-6341

TAGALOG (OFFERED AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY)

Elementary Filipino II

TAGA W1101 **Call # 92067** **Location: TBA** **Points: 4**
Agnes Magtoto and Stephane A. Charitos **Day(s)/Time: TR 11:00AM to 1:45PM**
 CLASS MEETS AT NYU, SIGNATURE NEEDED. PLEASE CALL 854-6341

Intermediate Filipino II

TAGA W1201 **Call # 63196** **Location: TBA** **Points: 4**
Luis Francia and Stephane A. Charitos **Day(s)/Time: TR 2:00PM to 4:45PM**
 CLASS MEETS AT NYU, SIGNATURE NEEDED. PLEASE CALL 854-6341

TIBETAN**Elementary Classical Tibetan II**

TIBT W4411 **Call # 13029** **Location: TBA** **Points: 3**
Paul G Hackett **Day(s)/Time: MW11:00AM to 12:50PM**
 Course Offered to Cornell & Yale thru Video Conferencing

Intermediate Classical Tibetan II

TIBT W4413 **Call # 19231** **Location: TBA** **Points: 3**
Paul G Hackett **Day(s)/Time: TBA**

Elementary Modern Colloquial Tibetan II

TIBT G4601 **Call # 67566** **Location: TBA** **Points: 5**
Tenzin N. Nangsal **Day(s)/Time: MTWR 10:10-11:15AM**

Intermediate Modern Colloquial Tibetan II

TIBT G4604 **Call # 14200** **Location: TBA** **Points: 3**
Tenzin N. Nangsal **Day(s)/Time: TBA**

Advanced Modern Tibetan II

TIBT G4612 **Call # 70285** **Location: TBA** **Points: 3**
Tenzin N Nangsal **Day(s)/Time: TBA**
 MEETS IN THE INSTRUCTOR'S OFFICE

VIETNAMESE**Intermediate Vietnamese II**

VIET W1202 **Call # 25899** **Location: TBA** **Points: 4**
James T Lap **Day(s)/Time: MW 12:10PM to 2:00PM**

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 program 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 would 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://www.columbia.edu/cu/weai/certificate-program.html>.

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 master’s 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, and 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 or area of focus
- 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 or area of focus, 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://www.columbia.edu/cu/weai/funding/>

The deadline for summer 2014 and academic year 2014-2015 applications are due: **February 28, 2014**