

## **SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

### **ASIAN STUDIES**

CSUF offers courses in many disciplines which are concerned with South, Southeast, and East Asia. Although there is no degree program in Asian Studies at this time, an interdisciplinary undergraduate minor is available for students who desire a knowledge of Asia as a complement to their chosen academic discipline or profession. For further information and for aid in planning such a course of study, consult the Coordinator of Asian Studies, Dr. Shien-min Jen, Department of Anthropology.

#### **MINOR**

A minor in Asian Studies consists of 21 units, including a minimum of nine upper division units. Specific Requirements: (1) 6–9 units in one of the areas subsumed under Section I or II below; (2) a total of four courses, two (at least 6 units) from Section I and two (at least 6 units) from Section II, but none in the area chosen in Requirement (1); (3) up to three units of electives from Sections I, II, or III. Independent Study (190) courses in any department may be applied toward the minor as long as they cover some aspect of Asian Studies and are approved by the Coordinator. Unspecified topics courses and seminar courses listed below must cover some aspect of Asia to be counted toward the minor.

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#### **COURSES**

##### **Section I. Humanities**

Art H 109T Topics in Art History (1–3; max 3 per area)

140 India (4)

142 China (4)

144 Japan (4)

##### **Language**

Chinese 1A–1B Elementary Chinese (4–4)

2A–2B Intermediate Chinese (4–4)

Japanese 1A–1B Elementary Japanese (4–4)

2A–2B Intermediate Japanese (4–4)

Sanskrit 10A–B Sanskrit (3–3)

##### **Philosophy and Religion**

Philosophy 136 Buddhism (3)

137 Hinduism (3)

138 Chinese Thought (3)

172T Seminar in Religious Issues (4; maximum total 12, if no topic repeated)

##### **Section II. Social Sciences**

Anthropology 123 Peoples and Cultures of Southeast Asia (3)

124 Peoples and Cultures of East Asia (3)

129T Topics in Ethnology (1–4; max total 8)

159T Topics in Cultural Anthropology (1–4; max total 8)

Economics 114 Economics of Underdeveloped Areas (3)

188T Special Topics (1–3; maximum total 6)

Geography 177T Asian Regions (3; maximum total 9, if no area repeated)

History 6 East Asian Civilization (3)