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Course Requirements for the Minor: 18-20 19-27 units

The following courses, or their approved transfer equivalents, are required of all candidates for this minor.

2 courses required:

ASST 110 Introduction to Asian Studies 3.0 FA GE GC
This course is also offered as AAST 110.
RELS 110 Asian Religions 3.0 FS GE GC

12-14 9 units selected from:

Note: No more than 8 units from any one department. 6 units must be upper division.

ARTH 140 Far Eastern Art Survey 3.0 FS GC
ASST 200 Cultures of Asia 3.0 SP GC
ASST 377 Gender in East Asian History 3.0 SP GC
This course is also offered as HIST 377.
ASST 399 Special Problems 1.0 -3.0 FS
ASST 490 Capstone Course 3.0 SP WP
CHNS-101A Beginning Chinese I - 4.0 FS GE
CHNS-102A Beginning Chinese II - 4.0 FS GE
Prerequisites: CHNS-101A.
CHNS-201 Intermediate Chinese I - 4.0 FS GE
Prerequisites: CHNS-102A.
CHNS-202 Intermediate Chinese II - 4.0 FS GE
Prerequisites: CHNS-201.
ECON 375 The Developing Countries 3.0 FA
### Prerequisites: ECON 103.

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### Beginning Language Competency Requirement: 0-8 units

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### Intermediate Language Requirement: 4 units

1 course selected from:

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- Prerequisites: CHNS 102A.
JAPN 201  Third-Semester Japanese  4.0 FS GE
Prerequisites: JAPN 102 or faculty permission.

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Minor Change to an Undergraduate Program

Program Name: Asian Studies minor

Complete only if applicable
Program named above is:

☐ Option within ___________________________
(degree program name)

☐ Advising Pattern within ___________________________
(option name)

within ___________________________
(degree program name)

☑ Minor

☐ Certificate

☐ Changes being made affect a subject matter preparation or credential program.

Brief rationale for change:
To bring minor into line with other area studies minors by requiring language study

Does the proposed change enhance or support the Diversity Action Plan (see definition & Task 3.1)? ___
If yes, please explain.

Required Signatures

The Department of _____________ has reviewed and approves this program change

[Signature]
Chair, Department Curriculum Committee

[Signature]
Department Chair

The College of _____________ has reviewed and approves this program change

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Chair, College Curriculum Committee

[Signature]
College Dean

Send signature page with proposal attached to Curriculum Services at Undergraduate Education, zip 128
Curriculum Technical Review Completed

Date

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Course Requirements for the Minor: 198-270 units

The following courses, or their approved transfer equivalents, are required of all candidates for this minor.

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**48-449 units selected from:**

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**CHNS-101A**  | Beginning Chinese-1           | 4.0   | FS       | GE   |

**CHNS-102A**  | Beginning Chinese-2           | 4.0   | FS       | GE   |
Prerequisites: CHNS 101A.

CHNS 201 Intermediate Chinese I

Prerequisites: CHNS 102A.

CHNS 202 Intermediate Chinese II

Prerequisites: CHNS 201.

ECON 375 The Developing Countries

Prerequisites: ECON 103.

ECON 376 Economics of the Pacific Rim

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HIST 373 East Asia Before 1800

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HIST 475 Modern China

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JAPN 102 Second Semester Japanese

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Prerequisites: JAPN 102 or faculty permission.

JAPN 202 Fourth Semester Japanese

Prerequisites: JAPN 201 or faculty permission.

JAPN 330 Japanese Culture and Civilization

JAPN 348 Japanese Lyric Poetry

Prerequisites: JAPN 202.

JAPN 381 Japan in Film

POLS 415D Politics of China

POLS 446D International Relations of the Pacific Basin
RELS 212 Religions of India 3.0 SP GE GC
RELS 302H Chinese East Asian Religions 3.0 INQ FA
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