MINOR IN ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES

A total of 24 units are required for the Asian American Studies Minor, 18 of which must be from core courses and six from electives on advisement.

Asian American Studies Minor – 24 units

Introduction to Asian American Studies (6 units)
Select one course in Category A and one in Category B

Category A: History/Social Sciences
AA S 210 History of Asians in the United States
AA S 211 Contemporary Asian Americans
AA S 213 Asian Americans and American Ideals and Institutions

Category B: Humanities
AA S 212 Asian Americans and Mass Media
AA S 216 Introduction to Asian American Literature
AA S 218 Asian American Culture

Ethnic Courses (9 units)
Select 3 courses representing 3 different ethnic groups.

Note: Other AA S 300 level courses are acceptable upon advisement. AA S 685, AA S 688, or AA S 699 may count for this area if the course content is ethnic-specific (a maximum of three units from AA S 685, AA S 688, or AA S 699 can count towards the Asian American Studies minor’s total unit requirement of 24).

Asian American of Mixed Heritages
AA S 301 Asian Americans of Mixed Heritages

Cambodian American
AA S 377 Cambodians in the United States

Chinese American
AA S 320 Chinese in the United States
AA S 322 Chinese American Language and Literature
AA S 323 Chinese American Identities

Filipina/o American
AA S 350 Filipina/os in the United States
AA S 352 Filipina/o American Literature, Art, and Culture
AA S 353 Filipina/o American Identities

Japanese American
AA S 330 Nikkei in the United States
AA S 332 Japanese American Art and Literature
AA S 333 Japanese American Identities
AA S 338 Okinawan American Heritage and Culture

Korean American
AA S 360 Koreans in the United States

Vietnamese American
AA S 370 Vietnamese in the United States
AA S 372 Vietnamese American Literature

Panethnic Courses (6 units)
Select two courses from the following

Note: Other AA S 500–600 level courses are acceptable upon advisement. AA S 685, AA S 688, or AA S 699 may count for this area if the course content is panethnic (a maximum of three units from AA S 685, AA S 688, or AA S 699 can count towards the Asian American Studies minor’s total unit requirement of 24). A lower division course may also substitute for three units with approval from an advisor.

AA S 510 Asian Americans in California
AA S 512 Asian American Children's/Adolescent Literature
AA S 514 Asian American Community Arts Workshop
AA S 516 Asian American Photographic Explorations
AA S 540 South Asians in the United States
AA S 541/RRS 657 South Asian Diaspora
AA S 570 Southeast Asians in the United States
AA S 581 Asian American Women
AA S 582 Asian American Women's Literature and the Arts
AA S 584 Asian American Sexualities
AA S 585 Asian American Religiosities
AA S 587 Asian Americans and Environmental Justice
AA S 588 Asian American Media Workshop
AA S 591 Asian American Community Health Issues
AA S 595 Asian American Communities and Public Policy

Required Minor Courses (3 units)
Select one of the following:

AA S 681 Asian American Community Changes and Development
AA S 696 Critical Approaches to Asian American Studies
AA S 697 Proseminar in Asian American Studies (prerequisite: 24 upper division AA S units)