

ASIAN STUDIES MAJOR (B.A.)

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The Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures offers programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts degrees in Asian Studies. The Bachelor of Arts program provides students with training in the languages, histories, politics, religions, and cultures of Asia, leading to careers in government, international services, research, teaching and business, as well as to advanced graduate study.

The languages offered by the Asian Studies program are Chinese (Mandarin) and Japanese. Area courses cover the civilizations and affairs of Asia, with emphasis on China, Japan, India, and Korea.

Link to College Core requirement (<http://catalogue.shu.edu/undergraduate/college-arts-sciences/core-curriculum/>).

In addition to meeting the standards and requirements of the College of Arts and Sciences, degree candidates must complete a minimum of 36 credits in Asian Studies. Two tracks are offered to obtain a degree in Asian Studies, an Area Studies Track or a Language Track.

Departmental Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Core		
ASIA 1601	History of Traditional Asia	3
ASIA 1602	History of Modern Asia	3
Subtotal		6
Track Options		
Select one of the following Tracks:		18
<i>Asian Studies Track</i>		
ASIA 2000 level courses or equivalent - 6 credits		
ASIA 3000 level courses or equivalent - 12 credits		
<i>Language Track</i>		
1000 level Chinese/Japanese - 6 credits		
2000 level Chinese/Japanese - 6 credits		
3000 level Chinese/Japanese - 6 credits		
Subtotal		18
Electives		
12 credits from catalog listing (2000 level & above)		12
Subtotal		12
Total Hours		36