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East and Southeast Asia (2015 - 2016)

East and Southeast Asian Studies

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Admission requirements

East and Southeast Asian Studies can be studied by any University of Oulu student who has been accepted in the Finnish University Network for Asian Studies. The Finnish University Network for Asian Studies (<u>www.asianet.fi</u>) organises the offered courses. It is possible to complete a Basic Level Study package in this subject.

Study guidance

Study guidance is offered by the University Lecturer of East Asian History, phone: +358 29 448 3363.

East and Southeast Asian Studies

The East and Southeast Asian Studies programme offers an opportunity to study the region from the perspectives of culture, history, economy and business as well as political and societal research.

Practical information

The East and Southeast Asian Studies programme is co-ordinated by the Department of History. University Lecturer of East Asian History Seija Jalagin is responsible for registering study credits. Exam results are announced via the Network's website (<u>www.asianet.fi</u>). Study transcripts can be obtained from the Lecturer of East Asian Studies (Department of History, HU 356). A curriculum of the offered courses is published annually by the Network for Asian Studies.

Study packages and learning outcomes

Students are free to compile a Basic Level Study package from the courses offered. Upon completion of the East and Southeast Asian Studies programme, students will have acquired the necessary skills to work in positions related to their major subject, that require an understanding of East and Southeast Asian and South Asian cultures.

Upon completion of the Basic Level Studies, students will be familiar with the basics of East and Southeast Asian as well as South Asian cultures from the perspectives of history, contemporary society, economy and cultural interaction. Students will also have acquired skills necessary for pursuing further studies in the discipline.

Courses *

Students will compile Basic Level Studies of at least 25 ECTS credits from the courses offered. 700565P History of East Asia 6 ECTS cr 700596P Contemporary East Asia 6 ECTS cr* 700597P Contemporary Southeast Asia 5 ECTS cr*

700598P Contemporary South Asia 5 ECTS cr*

700599P Business in East and Southeast Asia 6 ECTS cr*

700586P Other Asian Studies 5-15 ECTS cr*

* Teaching is organised by the Finnish University Network for Asian Studies, webpage: www.asianet.fi

Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomat opintokokonaisuudet ja jaksot

700599P: Business in East and Southeast Asia, 6 op

700596P: Contemporary East Asia, 6 op

700598P: Contemporary South Asia, 5 op

700597P: Contemporary Southeast Asia, 5 op

700565P: History of East-Asia, 5 - 6 op

700586P: Other Asian Studies, 5 - 15 op

Opintojaksojen kuvaukset

Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomien opintokokonaisuuksien ja -jaksojen kuvaukset

700599P: Business in East and Southeast Asia, 6 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies Laji: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits: 6 ECTS credits

Language of instruction: English

Learning outcomes:

The course aims at giving an insight into the East and Southeast Asia as a macro region with increasing integration into the global economy. The course focuses on the interplay between the international, national, and sub-national systems in Pacific Asia. Economic and political institutions as well as business environments are discussed. An analysis of the region as an operational environment for multinational enterprises will be offered. **Contents:**

The course consists of two parts: part 1) lectures, readings, assignments and exam, and part 2) term paper. The student can either take part 1 (4 ECTS credits) or parts 1 and 2 together (6 ECTS credits).

Mode of delivery:

1) Virtual lectures, assignments, course readings, and final exam (4 ECTS credits), and

2) Term paper (2 ECTS credits) that discusses regional economic cooperation of a chosen country from East and Southeast Asia.

Target group:

Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies **Prerequisites and co-requisites:** Students must apply for Asian studies courses at <u>www.asianet.fi</u> **Assessment methods and criteria:** Exam based on the lectures and a term paper **Grading:** 0–5 **Person responsible:**

Aalto University School of Business, Center for Markets in Transition (CEMAT)

700596P: Contemporary East Asia, 6 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies Laji: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits: 6 ECTS credits Language of instruction: English Learning outcomes:

Students will acquire basic knowledge of today's social, political and economic phenomena in East Asia. **Contents:**

The course provides the students with basic knowledge of the current social, political and economic trends and challenges in East Asia. In addition to addressing recent developments in individual countries, the course also deals with the emerging regional forms of cooperation.

Mode of delivery:

Lecture course (2 ECTS credits), book exam (2 ECTS credits) and web course (2 ECTS credits). You can choose between two options: 1) the whole module (6 ECTS credits), or 2) the lecture course (2 ECTS credits).

Learning activities and teaching methods:

All teaching is conducted through the Internet and all lectures and materials are on the Internet.

Target group:

Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies

Prerequisites and co-requisites:

Students must apply for Asian studies courses at www.asianet.fi

Grading:

0–5

Person responsible:

Centre for East Asian Studies, University of Turku

700598P: Contemporary South Asia, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -**Opiskelumuoto:** Basic Studies Laii: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä **ECTS Credits: 5 ECTS credits** Language of instruction: English Learning outcomes: The course aims to construct a holistic view of the societies and cultures of South Asia with a special focus on globalisation. Other topics include politics, religion, gender, development and urbanisation. Mode of delivery: Lecture series (approx. 12 hrs online) by different South Asia specialists combined with related literature. Target group: Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies Prerequisites and co-requisites: Students must apply for Asian studies courses at www.asianet.fi Assessment methods and criteria: Students will write an essay based on the online lecture series and related literature. Grading: 0 - 5Person responsible: Department of History and Ethnology, University of Jyväskylä

700597P: Contemporary Southeast Asia, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies Laji: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits: 5 ECTS credits Language of instruction: Enalish Learning outcomes: Students will acquire a general understanding of the Southeast Asian history and cultures, and its main economic and political developments. **Contents:** Course topics cover Southeast Asia through the eras of colonialism, nationalism, independence and postcolonialism. Mode of delivery: Online lectures, readings, exam and assignments Target group: Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies Prerequisites and co-requisites: Students must apply for Asian studies courses at www.asianet.fi Assessment methods and criteria: Exam and assignments

700565P: History of East-Asia, 5 - 6 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies Laji: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opettajat: Seija Jalagin Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Leikkaavuudet:

ay700565P History of East-Asia (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits: 6 ECTS credits Language of instruction: Finnish/English Learning outcomes: Upon completion of the course, students will be able to describe and explain the main historical developments of the East Asian cultures and states. Target group: Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies **Recommended or required reading:** Alternatively the course Culture of East and Southeast Asia offered by the Finnish University Network for Asian Studies, webpage: www.asianet.fi Assessment methods and criteria: Book exam or a course organised by the Finnish University Network for Asian Studies Grading: 0 - 5Person responsible: Seija Jalagin

700586P: Other Asian Studies, 5 - 15 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2015 -Opiskelumuoto: Basic Studies Laji: Course Vastuuyksikkö: Faculty of Humanities Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

ECTS Credits: 5–15 ECTS credits Language of instruction: Finnish/English Learning outcomes: Upon completion of the course, students will have become familiar with a language or a culture in East, Southeast or South Asia, for example, by taking special courses or completing exchange studies or other studies elsewhere. Contents:

Lectures, learning diaries, essays, book exams.

Target group: Students minoring in East and Southeast Asian Studies Prerequisites and co-requisites: Students must apply for Asian studies courses at <u>www.asianet.fi</u> Grading: 0–5 Person responsible: Seija Jalagin