

UMBC ASIAN STUDIES PROGRAM

Spring 2013 Course Offerings

ASIA 300-01/THTR 470 – Japanese Performance Arts (combined class)

MW 1-2:15 p.m., Instructor: Alan Kreizenbeck

Drama Seminar: Japanese Performance Arts: An inquiry into various modes of Japanese performance, to include religious ceremonies, social events, and traditional and contemporary theatre and dance. Students will be asked to conduct independent research, and to present their findings through oral presentations, formal papers, and performance.

ASIA 300-02/MLL 327 Medieval Chinese Literature (combined class)

TuTh 1-2:15 p.m., Instructor: Dr. Anna Shields

This course is an introduction to important works of the classical literary tradition of China from the Zhou Dynasty (1045-221 BCE) through the Northern Song dynasty (976-1127 CE). In a chronological survey of the important writers of the early and medieval periods, the course tackles some fundamental questions of the Chinese literary tradition, including the meanings of the word that came to mean “literary writing,” *wen*, and the place of *wen* in traditional Chinese culture; which genres of writing became the most prominent in the early tradition, and why; and the ways in which the scope of Chinese literature broaden and changed. The course is taught in English, with no knowledge of Chinese language required.

ASIA 300-03: Classics of Japanese Literature, Past and Present

Wed. 4:30-7:00 pm, Instructor: Dr. Leslie Winston

This course examines important works of Japanese literature that have withstood the test of time, from the Heian period (794-1185) to the modern, as well as popular contemporary works, including graphic fiction (manga). All readings will be in English translation.

ASIA 300-04/POLI 309: Korean Politics and International Relations (combined class)

TuTh 1-2:15 p.m., Instructor: Mr. David Walker

This course explores Korean politics and international relations, from Japan's colonization of Korea to the present day. Domestically, it examines the processes that led both to a richly democratic, culturally dynamic, and economically powerful South Korea, and to an impoverished, if militarily threatening, communist dynasty in North Korea. In terms of international relations, it focuses primarily on Japan's colonization of Korea, inter-Korean relations since World War Two, and Seoul's and Pyongyang's respective relations with China, Japan, and the US in the post-war era.

CHIN 102 01 2107 Elementary Chinese II Lecture

TuTh 9:00 - 10:40 a.m., Instructor: Brown, William I

CHIN 102 02 2108 Elementary Chinese II Lecture

MW 09:00 - 10:40 a.m., Instructor: Zhou, Chengcheng

CHIN 202 01 2109 Intermediate Chinese II Lecture (Hybrid)

TuTh 04:00 - 05:15 p.m., Instructor: Zhou, Chengcheng

CHIN 202 is a hybrid course that meets face-to-face three hours per week; a fourth credit hour consists of interactive web-based activities completed in a supervised format.

CHIN 300 01 2110 Spec Projects In Chinese Independent Study

TuTh 10:00 - 11:15 a.m., Instructor: Shields, Anna M.

Introduction to Literary Chinese

CHIN 300 02 6610 Spec Projects In Chinese Independent Study

Days: TBA Time: TBA Instructor: Brown, William I

CHIN 300 03 8274 Spec Projects In Chinese Independent Study

Days: TBA Time: TBA Instructor: Shields, Anna M.

CHIN 302 01 2111 Advanced Chinese II Lecture

TuTh 11:30 - 12:45 p.m., Instructor: Brown, William I

CHIN 315 Introduction to Literary Chinese

TuTh 10-11:15 a.m., Instructor, Dr. Anna Shields

CHIN 319 01 2112 Chinese Translation

TuTh 01:00 - 02:15 p.m., Instructor: Brown, William I

HIST 103-01 East Asian Civilization

MWF 9:00-9:50 am, Instructor: Dr. Julie Oakes

HIST 380-01 Women and Gender in Asia

MWF 11-11:50 am, Instructor: Dr. Julie Oakes

HIST 382-01 Pacific Crossings: Race, War and Gender in Asian Migrations

Th 4:30-7:00 pm, Instructor: Dr. Meredith Oyen

In this course, we will study the transpacific history of Asian migrations from the mid-nineteenth century to the present, placing particular focus on Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Filipino, Indian, Vietnamese, and Hmong movements to the United States. We will examine the tumultuous history that both sparked migrations and, at times, tried to prevent them in an effort to understand what was happening in homelands left behind and American destinations, along with the networks of communication and travel that connect them.

HIST 459-01/659-01 Japan Since 1800

MW 8:30-9:45 a.m., Instructor, Dr. Constantine Vaporis

HIST 480-01/680-01 Contemporary China, 1949-present

TuTh 11:30-12:45, Instructor, Dr. Ka-che Yip

JPNS 102 01 2848 Elem Japanese II Lecture

TuTh 10:00 - 11:15 a.m., Instructor: Walcott, Yasuko N

Students registering for JPNS 102 must also register for JPNS 102 DIS.

JPNS 102 03 3337 Elem Japanese II Lecture

TuTh 01:00 - 02:15 p.m., Instructor: Walcott, Yasuko N

Students registering for JPNS 102 must also register for JPNS 102 DIS.

JPNS 102 02 2849 Elem Japanese II Discussion

Th 09:00 - 09:50 a.m., Instructor: Walcott, Yasuko N

Discussion sections for Japanese meet the first week of classes.

JPNS 102 04 3338 Elem Japanese II Discussion

Th 2:30 - 3:20 p.m., Instructor: Walcott, Yasuko N

Discussion sections for Japanese meet the first week of classes.

JPNS 202 01 6538 Intermediate Japanese I Lecture

TuTh 04:00 - 05:15 p.m., Instructor: Walcott, Yasuko N

Students registering for JPNS 202 must also register for JPNS 202 DIS.

Discussion sections for Japanese meet the first week of classes.

JPNS 302 01 7984 Continuing Japanese II Lecture

MW 05:30 - 06:45 p.m, Instructor: Tojo, Noriko

KORE 102 01 2851 Elementary Korean II Lecture

MWF 09:00 - 09:50 a.m., Instructor: Krippes, Yeon K.

This section of KORE 102 is intended for students with NO PRIOR or HERITAGE BACKGROUND. Students with a heritage language background will be placed in another class. Students are always welcome to consult with the Korean language coordinator, Dr. Yoon, about their level: kyoon@umbc.edu.

KORE 102 02 5809 Elementary Korean II Lecture

MWF 11:00 - 11:50 a.m., Instructor: Krippes, Yeon K.

This section of KORE 102 is intended for students OF KOREAN HERITAGE. Students at a higher level than elementary will be placed in another class, so make sure about the level through a placement test with the Korean language coordinator, Dr. Yoon, first: kyoon@umbc.edu.

KORE 102 03 6802 Elementary Korean II Discussion

M 10:00 - 10:50 a.m., Instructor: Kim, Youngja L

KORE 102 04 6803 Elementary Korean II Discussion

W 1:00 - 1:50 p.m., Instructor: Kim, Youngja L

KORE 202 01 2852 Intermediate Korean II Lecture

MWF 10:00 - 10:50 Instructor: Krippes, Yeon K.

KORE 202 02 6804 Intermediate Korean II Discussion

M 9:00 - 9:50 a.m. Instructor: Kim, Youngja L

KORE 302 01 4121 Advanced Korean II Lecture

MWF 10:00 - 10:50 a.m., Instructor: Yoon, Kyung-Eun

KORE 310 01 6805 Kor in Soc/Cult Context Lecture

MWF 11:00 - 11:50 a.m., Instructor: Dr. Kyung-Eun Yoon

MLL 220 01 Chinese Film and Society

TuTh 2:30-3:45 pm, Instructor Dr. William Brown

MLL 315 01 (6353) Contemporary Korean Films

TuTh 1:00-2:15 pm, Instructor Dr. Kyung-Eun Yoon

MLL 329 01 Medieval Chinese Literature (cross listed with ASIA 300-02)

TuTh 1-2:15 pm, Instructor: Dr. Anna Shields

MUSC 230 Musics of the World

TuTh 11:30 – 12:45 p.m., Instructor: Ms. Gina Beck

PHIL 334 Asian Philosophy

TuTh 4-5:15 p.m. Instructor: Mr. Bryan Miller

POLI 371 Comparative Asian Politics

Dr. Brian Grodsky

POLI 472 Modern Indian Politics

TuTh 11:30-12:45 p.m. Instructor: Dr. Devin Hagerty