Welcome to Asian and Asian American Studies

Major Overview

The major in Asian and Asian American Studies offers three tracks: Asian American and diaspora studies, Asia comparative and South Asia.

Students majoring in one of these tracks will learn about the social, cultural and historical aspects of Asians in the U.S. and, more broadly, Asians in the Americas; comparative Asian studies encompassing two or more Asian countries; or the diverse cultures, peoples and regions of South Asia.

Courses to consider

- AAAS 104: Introduction to Asian Art and Architecture
- AAAS 105: Introduction to Asian Philosophy
- AAAS 106: Introduction to East Asian Civilizations
- AAAS 135: Introduction to the Cultures of China, Japan, and Korea
- AAAS 220: Asian American Cultural Representations
- AAAS 267: Asian American History

Post-Graduation

Potential careers: A track major in Asian and Asian American studies prepares students for careers demanding expertise in culture and language.

Additional resources: The Asian and Asian American studies program supports students’ ability to study abroad. Click study abroad for more information. [http://binghamton-oip.terradotta.com/]

To become involved within the department’s Community Engagement Program, click the link. [http://www.binghamton.edu/aaas/cep/index.html]

Research Areas

The department hosts the Peter T and Shun Yee Change Memorial Internship. To learn more about this opportunity, click the link. [http://www.binghamton.edu/aaas/cep/chang-internship.html]

Thank you!

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