

MINOR IN ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES

REQUIREMENTS

The following requirements must be fulfilled:

The general requirements stated under Columbian College of Arts and Sciences, Undergraduate Programs (<https://bulletin.gwu.edu/arts-sciences/#degreeregulationstext>).

18 credits, including one 3-credit required course, one 3-credit selected course, and 12 credits in elective courses. Not all courses are offered each year. Courses other than those listed below can count toward the minor with the permission of the program director.

Code	Title	Credits
Required		
ENGL 2100	Introduction to Asian American Studies through Literature	
3 credits in one introductory course in history selected from the following: ¹		
AMST 1050	Explorations in American Culture (on subtopic Race and Racism in U.S. History)	
AMST 2410	Modern U.S. Immigration	
or AMST 2410W	Modern U.S. Immigration	
Electives		
12 credits (four courses) selected from the list below; or 3 credits in ENGL 4470 Internship and 9 credits (three courses) selected from this list: ^{1,2}		
AMST 1050	Explorations in American Culture (on subtopic Race and Racism in U.S. History)	
AMST 1200	The Sixties in America	
AMST 2410	Modern U.S. Immigration	
or AMST 2410W	Modern U.S. Immigration	
AMST 2750	Latinos in the United States	
or AMST 2750W	Latinos in the United States	
AMST 3360	African American History to 1865	
ANTH 2501	The Anthropology of Gender: Cross-Cultural Perspectives	
or WGSS 2121	The Anthropology of Gender: Cross-Cultural Perspectives	

ENGL 3730	Topics in Global Postcolonial Literature and Film
or ENGL 3730W	Topics in Global Postcolonial Literature and Film
ENGL 3800	Hawaiian Literary Renaissance
ENGL 3960	Asian American Literature
or ENGL 3960W	Asian American Literature
ENGL 3965	Topics in Asian American Cultural Studies
ENGL 4470	Internship
HIST 2630	History of Korea
HIST 3611	History of Modern China
HIST 3621	History of Modern Japan
HIST 3640	History of Southeast Asia
HIST 3650	Modern South Asia, 1750-Present
JAPN 3162	Japanese Culture Through Film
PSYC 2101	Research Methods in Psychology
PSYC 3125	Cross-Cultural Psychology
PSYC 3126W	Multicultural Psychology
SOC 1001	Introduction to Sociology
or SOC 1002	The Sociological Imagination
SOC 2174	Sociology of Immigration
or SOC 2179	Race and Minority Relations

¹The following courses can be counted as either a required or an elective course, but not both: AMST 1050; and AMST 2410 or AMST 2410W.

²Up to 6 credits (two courses) in Psychology (PSYC) can be counted toward the elective requirement. PSYC 2101 is a prerequisite for PSYC 3125 and PSYC 3126W. For additional prerequisites for PSYC 2101 and PSYC 3125, consult the Psychology course listing (<https://bulletin.gwu.edu/arts-sciences/psychological-and-brain-sciences/#coursestext>) in this Bulletin. Because psychology courses on race and culture are 3000-level courses with up to four prerequisites, the psychology option is offered for psychology majors or those able to take two or three prerequisites outside this minor.

Up to 6 credits (two courses) in Sociology (SOC) can be counted toward the elective requirement, including one 1000-level course and one 2000-level course. SOC 1001 and SOC 1002 are prerequisites for SOC 2174 and SOC 2179.