

COURSE DETAIL

JAPANESE INTELLECTUAL HISTORY

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Waseda University

Program(s)

Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy History

UCEAP Course Number

163

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

JAPANESE INTELLECTUAL HISTORY

UCEAP Transcript Title

JAPAN INTEL HISTORY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course discusses the main intellectual movements in the search for a modern Japanese identity. Since the Meiji period, Japanese intellectuals have devoted themselves both to introducing Western thought and to creating a Japanese identity in response. This course emphasizes the complicated interplay between Japanese traditions and modern Western thought. Following a discussion of the complex issues of tradition and reception, the course discusses Buddhism, Confucianism and Nativism (*Kokugaku*) and their impact on modern Japanese thought; then, the course explores liberalism and socialism in modern Japan.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PR409

Host Institution Course Title

MOVEMENTS IN JAPANESE INTELLECTUAL HISTORY

Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.wsl.waseda.jp/syllabus/JAA104.php?pKey=210PR40900512023210PR4090021...>

Host Institution Campus

SILS

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

SILS - Philosophy & Religion

Course Last Reviewed

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