

## COURSE DETAIL

### JAPAN AND ASIA

**Country**

Japan

**Host Institution**

Doshisha University

**Program(s)**

Japanese in Kyoto

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

128

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

JAPAN AND ASIA

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

JAPAN AND ASIA

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

3.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.00

## Course Description

While deepening exchanges between Japanese students and international students, this lecture provides a comprehensive overview of the relationship between Japan, China, and other Asian countries from both historical and contemporary perspectives. It aims to provide an understanding of global society in the 21st century. Among them, as clues for thinking about how two countries face each other; real-life culture shock experiences; misunderstandings due to expressions in Japanese, Chinese, and other foreign languages, and social and cultural differences. This course aims to think of international relations based on misunderstandings and grassroots forces that are not the logic of international politics, but at the individual level, such as what can a person living between Japan and China do? The main format of spring semester classes is expected to be (1) group discussion, (2) group work for research assignments, and (3) group activities for reading. The language used is a combination of Chinese and Japanese, and the Chinese level of Japanese students does not matter. The main topics for the spring semester are cultural diversity and recognition of others.

### Language(s) of Instruction

Japanese

### Host Institution Course Number

N/A

### Host Institution Course Title

JAPAN AND ASIA 1-51

### Host Institution Course Details

<https://syllabus.doshisha.ac.jp/html/2023/9003/99003147051.html>

### Host Institution Campus

Doshisha University

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

**Host Institution Department**

Center for Japanese Language and Culture

**Course Last Reviewed**

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