

COURSE DETAIL

MODERN CHINESE HISTORY

Country

Japan

Host Institution

International Christian University

Program(s)

International Christian University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

125

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MODERN CHINESE HISTORY

UCEAP Transcript Title

MODERN CHINESE HIST

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

As a neighbor, China is geographically close but politically distant. At a glance, Chinese society seems similar to Japanese society; however, China has a large territory and various ethnic groups and thus cannot be understood easily as a “nation of the same race and same script.”

This course offers lectures on the Historical Change of Chinese society in the 17-19th centuries, in South China (Fujian, Guangdong, Guangxi provinces and Taiwan). It focuses on migration, ethnic minorities, unification of society, and secret sects. The course explores the following three problems: the migration that kept the population explosion in China; the relationships and conflicts between ethnic minorities and Han Chinese as the result of exploitation in the frontier area, and the unification of society that resulted as a process of migrant settlement.

Language(s) of Instruction

Japanese

Host Institution Course Number

HST236J

Host Institution Course Title

SOCIETY AND CULTURE IN MODERN CHINA

Host Institution Campus

International Christian University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

History

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