# COURSE DETAIL

| RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY IN JAPAN |
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| **Country**<br>Japan |
| **Host Institution**<br>International Christian University |
| **Program(s)**<br>International Christian University |
| **UCEAP Course Level**<br>Upper Division |
| **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**<br>Religious Studies Philosophy |
| **UCEAP Course Number**<br>123 |
| **UCEAP Course Suffix** |
| **UCEAP Official Title**<br>RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY IN JAPAN |
| **UCEAP Transcript Title**<br>RELIGN & PHIL JAPAN |
| **UCEAP Quarter Units**<br>4.00 |
| **UCEAP Semester Units**<br>2.70 |

**Course Description**

This course surveys the religious traditions of Japan aimed at identifying and defining the most characteristic aspects of Japanese thought and belief. It covers religion in pre-historic Japan; Shinto mythology, deities, and worship; the introduction of Buddhism; Esoteric Buddhism and Shugendo; Pure Land, Nichiren and Zen Buddhism; introduction of Christianity and Kakure Kirishitan; folk shamanism, and modern New Religions

**Language(s) of Instruction**
English

**Host Institution Course Number**
PHR240E

**Host Institution Course Title**
RELIGIONS IN JAPAN

**Host Institution Course Details**
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**Host Institution Campus**
International Christian University

**Host Institution Faculty**

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**
Philosophy and Religion

**Course Last Reviewed**
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