

COURSE DETAIL

WISDOM OF ASIAN CULTURES

Country

Korea, South

Host Institution

Korea University

Program(s)

Korea University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

32

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

WISDOM OF ASIAN CULTURES

UCEAP Transcript Title

WISDOM ASIAN CULTUR

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This introductory survey course is an exploration of the enduring philosophical and spiritual traditions of Asia, focusing on key ancient and modern texts that illuminate timeless human concerns. From the ethical teachings of Confucius to the contemplative insights of Buddhism and the flowing harmony of Taoist thought, this course invites students to engage deeply with foundational ideas that have shaped Eastern civilizations. We also consider how these traditions respond to and converse with global philosophical currents, offering a rich comparative perspective. Through close reading and discussion, students gain not only historical and cultural understanding but also personal insight into ways of living wisely in a complex world.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HANM110

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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