

Master of Arts Program in Japanese Studies

Name of the program : Master of Arts Program in Japanese Studies

Tuition Fee : THB 140,000 for full program / THB 35,000 per semester

1. Curriculum Structure

1.1 Credit

Plan A Type A2 Degree Requirements a minimum of 36 credits

Plan B Degree Requirements a minimum of 36 credits

1.2 Curriculum Structure

1.2.1 Plan A Type A2

Degree Requirements a minimum of 36 credits

A. Course work a minimum of 24 credits

1. Graduate Courses a minimum of 24 credits

1.1. Field of concentrations courses a minimum of 24 credits

1.1.1 Required courses 12 credits

028701 History of Japan: From the Past to the Present 3 credits

028711 Political Economy of Japan 3 credits

028731 Principles of Research in Humanities and
Social Sciences 3 credits

028732 Research Seminar on Selected Topics 3 credits

1.1.2 Elective courses a minimum of 12 credits

028702 Japanese History During Selected Periods 3 credits

028712 Japanese Economic System During Selected Periods 3 credits

028713 Japanese Politics During Selected Periods 3 credits

028714 Business Translation in Japanese 3 credits

028721 Japanese Literature and Society 3 credits

028722 Exploring Japanese Culture 3 credits

028723 Japanese Women in the Modern Society
: From the Past to the Present 3 credits

028724 The Frontier of Japaneseness 3 credits

028725 Organizations in Modern Japanese Society 3 credits

028726 Reading Modern Japan in Newspapers 3 credits

1.2 Other courses none

2. Advanced Undergraduate Courses none

B. Thesis 12 credits

028799 Thesis 12 credits

C. Non-credit Courses

1. Graduate School requirement – a foreign language

2. Program requirement – none

D. Academic activities

1. A student has to present paper in a national or international conference at least once while he/she is in the program.

2. The whole or part of a thesis must be published /accepted for publication in journal or an academic medium which is accepted in that program, or published an academic print material with proceedings at least one full paper and the student must be the first author.

Note: Courses in the field of concentration are Japanese Studies (JA028)

1.2.2 Plan B

Degree Requirements	a minimum of	36 credits
A. Course work	a minimum of	30 credits
1. Graduate Courses	a minimum of	30 credits
1.1. Field of concentrations courses	a minimum of	30 credits
1.1.1 Required courses		12 credits
028701 History of Japan: From the Past to the Present		3 credits
028711 Political Economy of Japan		3 credits
028731 Principles of Research in Humanities and Social Sciences		3 credits
028732 Research Seminar on Selected Topics		3 credits
1.1.2 Elective courses	a minimum of	18 credits
028702 Japanese History During Selected Periods		3 credits
028712 Japanese Economic System During Selected Periods		3 credits
028713 Japanese Politics During Selected Periods		3 credits
028714 Business Translation in Japanese		3 credits
028721 Japanese Literature and Society		3 credits
028722 Exploring Japanese culture		3 credits
028723 Women in the Modern Society : From the Past to the Present		3 credits
028724 The Frontier of Japaneseness		3 credits
028725 Organizations in Modern Japanese Society		3 credits
028726 Reading Modern Japan in Newspapers		3 credits
1.2 Other courses	none	
2. Advanced Undergraduate Courses	none	
B. Independent Study		6 credits
028798 Independent Study		6 credits

C. Non-credit Courses

1. Graduate School requirement – a foreign language
2. Program requirement – none

D. Comprehensive Examination

Having submitted a request form to the Graduate School, approved by general advisor or major independent study advisor, a student must then complete a comprehensive examination.

Note: Courses in the field of concentration are Japanese Studies (JA028)

1.3 Graduate Courses

(1) Required courses

028701	History of Japan From the Past to the Present	3 (3-0-6)
028711	Political Economy of Japan	3 (3-0-6)
028731	Principles of Research in Humanities and Social Sciences	3 (3-0-6)
028732	Research Seminar on Selected Topics	3 (3-0-6)

(2) Elective courses

028702	Japanese History During Selected Periods	3 (3-0-6)
028712	Japanese Economic System During Selected Periods	3 (3-0-6)
028713	Japanese Politics During Selected Periods	3 (3-0-6)
028714	Business Translation in Japanese	3 (3-0-6)
028721	Japanese Literature and Society	3 (3-0-6)
028722	Exploring Japanese Culture	3 (3-0-6)
028723	Japanese Women in the Modern Society: From the Past to the Present	3 (3-0-6)
028724	The Frontier of Japaneseness	3 (3-0-6)
028725	Organizations in Modern Japanese Society	3 (3-0-6)
028726	Reading Modern Japan in Newspapers	3 (3-0-6)

(3) Other courses none

(4) Thesis and Independent Study

028799	Thesis	12 credits
028798	Independent Study	6 credits