

# **BA E Asian Stdy**

## **Bachelor of Arts in East Asian Studies**

Under Review | Fall 2026

# Proposal Information

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Active

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Approved | Faculty Senate Curriculum Committee Chair

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11/21/2025 8:41 AM

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**Changes**

- College
- Requirements
- Proposed Effective Term and Year
- Sponsoring faculty/staff member
- Sponsoring faculty/staff email

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## Proposal Information

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Proposed

**Sponsoring faculty/staff member**

Peng Yu

Existing

**Sponsoring faculty/staff member**

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Proposed

**College**

College of Arts & Sciences:

Humanities & Interdisciplinary

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Languages Cultures &

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Main Campus

Existing

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College of Arts & Sciences

## Effective Term and Year

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Proposed

**Proposed Effective Term and Year**

Fall 2026

Existing

**Proposed Effective Term and Year**

Fall 2024

## Justification

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Proposed

**Program Justification**

The Chinese program started offering the Chinese Calligraphy (CHIN 2150) course in Fall 2021. Since then the course has been regularly offered in fall semesters. It fulfills East Asian Studies (Chinese concentration) major and Chinese minor requirements. We would like to add this course to the official list of approved courses for EAS (Chinese) major and Chinese minor.

Reg Note: MS 10/16/25 CHIN 2150 is already included in the Chinese minor.

Existing

**Program Justification**

MS 5/22/24 Adding major code to match BANP

## Program Category and Level

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**Program Category**

Degree

**Program Level**

Undergraduate

**Degree, Minor, or Certificate Name**

Bachelor of Arts in East Asian Studies

**Certificate or Degree Type**

Bachelor of Arts

**Degree/Certificate Level**

Undergraduate

Proposed

**Is this program also offered online?**

No

Existing

**Is this program also offered online?**

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## File Uploads

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Proposed

**Document uploads**

- Chair's request.pdf
- EAS Director's response.pdf

Existing

**Document uploads**

## Associated Quali Forms

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Select any associated course forms that exist

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## Shared Credit and Dual Degree information

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**Interdepartmental Program**

No

# Catalog Information

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## Program Description

East Asian Studies is an interdisciplinary program bringing together the resources and faculty of various departments at the University of New Mexico relating to China and Japan. The program facilitates undergraduate major and minor courses of study, supports special courses and lectures with Chinese and Japanese content, and provides scholarships for students wishing to further their Chinese and Japanese language proficiency. An excellent university fosters a culturally comprehensive curriculum with a global perspective. Asia--the largest, historically oldest, and most populous segment of the world--should be prominent in the curriculum. East Asian Studies also emphasizes understanding the global village concept from the perspective of historical and everyday experiences of Chinese and Japanese countries and cultures. Minimum course grade of "C" or better is required to satisfy the East Asian Studies major requirements.

## Admissions Requirements

### Graduation Requirements

A minimum of 26 credit hours; 23 credit hours must be in courses acceptable toward graduation.

A cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00 on all work.

- Transfer students must have a 2.0 transfer GPA.
- Continuing UNM students must have a 2.00 institutional GPA.

Demonstrated academic achievement by satisfying the following:

- Completion of General Education Curriculum: Communication.
- Completion of General Education Curriculum: Mathematics and Statistics.
- Completion of General Education Curriculum: Second Language, preferably with either CHIN 1130 or JAPN 1130.

Completion of Asian Studies major admission coursework with grade of "C" or better:

- CHIN 1140 or JAPN 1135 or the equivalent. It is advised that students also complete CHIN 2110, CHIN 2120, JAPN 2110, JAPN 2120, or the equivalent.

# Professional Credential/Licensure Program Information

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## License/Certification associated with program

No

## Professional Accrediting Bodies

# Degree Information

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## Degree Hours

120

## Minimum Major Hours

30

# Degree Requirements

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## Requirements

- Complete 1 of the following

### Major Requirements: Chinese Option

- Complete all of the following
  - Complete the following:
    - CHIN301 - Third Year Chinese I (3)
    - CHIN302 - Third Year Chinese II (3)
    - CHIN305 - Intermediate Chinese Conversation (3)
    - CHIN401 - China Today: Advanced Readings in Chinese (3)
    - CHIN343 - Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - HIST2256 - Modern Eastern Civilization (3)
  - Earn at least 3 credits from the following:
    - JAPN339 - Topics in Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - JAPN341 - Introduction to Premodern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - JAPN342 - Introduction to Modern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - JAPN345 - The Supernatural in Japanese Fiction, Folklore and Drama (3)
    - JAPN370 - Topics in Japanese Culture through Film (3)
    - JAPN411 - Topics in Japanese Culture (3)
    - RELG2110 - Eastern Religions (3)
  - Earn at least 9 credits from the following:
    - CHIN320 - Study Abroad (3 - 6)
    - CHIN343 - Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - CHIN370 - Topics in Chinese Film (3)
    - PHIL336 - Chinese Philosophy (3)
    - **CHIN2150 - Chinese Calligraphy (3)**
  - Other China-related classes offered on campus may be taken based on pre-approval with the East Asian Studies advisor.
- Earn at least 90 credits from the following types of courses:

In addition to the program-specific requirements outlined here, all undergraduate students are required to fulfill UNM's General Education Program requirements and other general undergraduate degree requirements to earn a minimum of 120 credits. In some instances, courses included in an undergraduate degree program's requirement may also fulfill a General Education requirement. Please review the General Education Program in this Catalog for General Education information. Students within the College of Arts and Sciences must also complete 1) a major and a minor; or 2) two majors; or 3) one of the special curricula of the College that requires no minor.

### Major Requirements: Japanese Option

- Complete all of the following
  - Complete the following:
    - JAPN301 - Advanced Japanese I (3)
    - JAPN302 - Advanced Japanese II (3)
    - JAPN401 - Advanced Reading and Discussion in Japanese I (3)
    - JAPN402 - Advanced Reading and Discussion in Japanese II (3)
    - HIST2256 - Modern Eastern Civilization (3)
  - Complete at least 1 of the following:
    - JAPN341 - Introduction to Premodern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - JAPN342 - Introduction to Modern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)



- Earn at least 3 credits from the following:
  - CHIN320 - Study Abroad (3 - 6)
  - CHIN370 - Topics in Chinese Film (3)
  - RELG2110 - Eastern Religions (3)
  - PHIL336 - Chinese Philosophy (3)
  - CHIN343 - Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
  - **CHIN2150 - Chinese Calligraphy (3)**
- Earn at least 9 credits from the following:
  - JAPN320 - Japanese Society (3)
  - JAPN339 - Topics in Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
  - JAPN341 - Introduction to Premodern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
  - JAPN342 - Introduction to Modern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
  - JAPN345 - The Supernatural in Japanese Fiction, Folklore and Drama (3)
  - JAPN370 - Topics in Japanese Culture through Film (3)
  - JAPN411 - Topics in Japanese Culture (3)
- Other Japan-related classes offered on campus may be taken based on pre-approval with the East Asian Studies advisor.
- Earn at least 90 credits from the following types of courses:  
 In addition to the program-specific requirements outlined here, all undergraduate students are required to fulfill UNM's General Education Program requirements and other general undergraduate degree requirements to earn a minimum of 120 credits. In some instances, courses included in an undergraduate degree program's requirement may also fulfill a General Education requirement. Please review the General Education Program in this Catalog for General Education information. Students within the College of Arts and Sciences must also complete 1) a major and a minor; or 2) two majors; or 3) one of the special curricula of the College that requires no minor.

### **Second Major Requirements: Chinese Option**

- Complete all of the following
  - Complete the following:
    - CHIN301 - Third Year Chinese I (3)
    - CHIN302 - Third Year Chinese II (3)
    - CHIN305 - Intermediate Chinese Conversation (3)
    - CHIN401 - China Today: Advanced Readings in Chinese (3)
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    - RELG2110 - Eastern Religions (3)
    - HIST2256 - Modern Eastern Civilization (3)
  - Earn at least 6 credits from the following:
    - CHIN320 - Study Abroad (3 - 6)
    - CHIN343 - Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - CHIN370 - Topics in Chinese Film (3)
    - PHIL336 - Chinese Philosophy (3)
    - **CHIN2150 - Chinese Calligraphy (3)**

- Other Japan-related classes offered on campus may be taken based on pre-approval with the East Asian Studies advisor.

### **Second Major Requirements: Japanese Option**

- Complete all of the following
  - Complete the following:
    - JAPN301 - Advanced Japanese I (3)
    - JAPN302 - Advanced Japanese II (3)
    - JAPN401 - Advanced Reading and Discussion in Japanese I (3)
    - JAPN402 - Advanced Reading and Discussion in Japanese II (3)
    - HIST2256 - Modern Eastern Civilization (3)
  - Complete at least 1 of the following:
    - JAPN341 - Introduction to Premodern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
    - JAPN342 - Introduction to Modern Japanese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
  - Earn at least 3 credits from the following:
    - CHIN320 - Study Abroad (3 - 6)
    - CHIN343 - Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation (3)
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**Grand Total Credits: 27 - 120**

## **Concentrations**

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### **Program Concentrations**

**Code**

**Title**

### **Concentration Required**

No

## **Emphases**

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**Emphasis required**  
N/A

**Emphasis Hours**

**Emphasis Rules**

No Rules

# Sample Degree Plan

Sample Degree Plan Upload

# Program Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes

# Registrar Office Only

<b>CM Program Code</b> BA E Asian Stdy	<b>BANP</b>	<b>Banner Program Code</b> BA-EAST-AS	<b>Major Code</b> EAST
<b>Online Program Code</b>	<b>Online Major Code</b>	<b>Pre-major Program Code</b> BA-FEAS-AS	<b>Pre-major Major Code</b> FEAS
<b>CIP Code</b> 5.0104	<b>Concentration Inheritance</b> No		
<b>Catalog</b> Main Campus	<b>Catalog Activation Date</b> 08/01/24		
<b>Notes</b> MS 5/22/24 Adding major code to match BANP			