

科目授業名 Course Title	Topics in Japan Studies E Japanese Religions		
担当者 Instructor	DROTT Edward		
開講期 Semester/Year	2016 SPRING	曜日・時限 Timetable	Tue 3 Tue 4
教室 Room	131	単位数 Credits	4.0
授業コード Class Code	B3J80E01E1	履修年次 Enrollment Year	-
科目ナンバリング			
授業内容 Course Description	This course traces the development and cultural impact of the diverse religious traditions of Japan. It will focus on the role that folk traditions, Buddhism, Shintō and New Religious Movements have had in the formation of Japanese culture, as well as the ways in which these traditions have adapted to the unique social and historical circumstances found in Japan.		
到達目標 (授業の狙い) Objectives	Students will learn the history of Japan's various religious traditions, and some of Japan's most important sacred sites. Students will be able to use what they have learned about religion in Japan to reassess broader generalizations about the nature of religion and gain experience analyzing how religious values inform diverse areas of human experience from aesthetics to ethics.		
授業方法 Method of Instruction	The course combines lecture and discussion, emphasizing student engagement. Time in class will occasionally be devoted to student presentations, in-class readings, films, quizzes, exams and preparation for the final paper and presentation.		
準備学習 Class Preparation	Students will be required to complete reading assignments prior to class and should come to class prepared to be quizzed on the content of those readings. Students will also need to work with group members to conduct research for and write a twelve to fifteen page final paper and prepare to present their findings to the class.		
教科書 Text	All readings will be posted online.		

参考文献 Reference Books	None
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授業計画 Course Outline

第1回	Introduction to the Course	第16回	Field trip: Visit to local temple
第2回	Features of Religion in Japan	第17回	Field trip: Visit to local shrine
第3回	Religion in Early Japan	第18回	Field trip: Visit to local shrine
第4回	Japan' s First Buddhists	第19回	Research Session
第5回	Esoteric Buddhism	第20回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第6回	Pure Land Buddhism	第21回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第7回	Religion in Medieval Japan	第22回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第8回	Honji suijaku and Kamakura Sectarian Movements	第23回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第9回	Zen	第24回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites; Exam 2
第10回	Zen and Medieval Culture	第25回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第11回	Religion in Early Modern Japan	第26回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第12回	Neo-Confucianism	第27回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites
第13回	Religion in Modern Japan	第28回	Final Presentations on Sacred Sites; Exam 3
第14回	State Shintō and New Religious Movements; Exam 1	第29回	Review
第15回	Field trip: Visit to local temple	第30回	Review

成績評価基準 Evaluation							
平常点% Class Evaluation	0	定期試験% Exam	30	レポート% Report	40	その他% Others	30
その他詳細 Details	Pop quizzes: %15 Optional reading presentations: %15						
特記事項 Particular Note							
授業に関する質問への対応 Professor Contact Hours	By email						