

2025 Course List for Japan Studies Program

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Categories	Sub-categories	Course Title	Credits	Enroll-ment Year	Course Level	Spring 2025		Fall 2025		Pre-requisites and memo
						Kawagoe	Ikebukuro	Kawagoe	Ikebukuro	
Japanese Language		Elementary Japanese 1A	4	1	100	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	Japanese Language Courses are required for JSP students. Courses are offered at various levels, from Elementary to Business Japanese. You will be placed at the level based on the results of your Japanese placement test. (※Please refer to the Note 3 below.)
		Elementary Japanese 1B	4	1	100	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	
		Elementary Japanese 2	4	1	100	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	
		Intermediate Japanese 1	4	1	200	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	
		Intermediate Japanese 2	4	1	200	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	
		Advanced Japanese 1	4	1	200		● JLI	● JLI	● JLI	
		Advanced Japanese 2	4	1	200		● JLI		● JLI	
		Upper-Advanced Japanese	2	1	200		● JLI		● JLI	
		Business Japanese	2	1	200				● JLI	
		Comparative Culture	4	2	200				● Mizun	
JSP Japan Studies (E-Track Major)		Japan and the Islamic World	4	1	200				● Rahmy	Previously named "Japanese Multinational Corporations"
		Contemporary Japanese Literature	4	3	300				●	
		Japanese Politics in Comparative Perspective	4	3	300				● Yamamoto	
		Japanese Popular Culture	4	3	300				● Mizun	
		Japanese Society	4	3	300		● Blackwood			
		Pre-Modern Japanese Literature	4	3	300		●			
		Topics in Japan Studies A	2	2	300				● Mueller	
		Contemporary Social Issues in Japan								
		Issues in Popular Culture (Seminar)	4	3	400		●			
		Japanese Corporations and the Global Economy	4	3	400		● Ishiguro			
E-Track Liberal Arts		Social Businesses in Japan	4	3	400		● Stanislawski			Previously named "Japanese Multinational Corporations"
		Business and Social Impact	4	1	100				● Toride	
		Food Value Chain and Sustainability	4	1	100		● Toride			
		Fundamentals of Mathematics	4	1	100	●(2)	1. Handika 2. Saito	●(2)	1. TBA 2. Saito	
		Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	4	1	100				● Iwan Hamza	
		Introduction to Diplomacy and Foreign Policy	4	1	100				● Ordaniel	
		Introduction to Informatics & Computing	4	1	100		● Ozaydin		● Ozaydin	
		Introduction to International Relations	4	1	100	● Yamaguchi		● Yamaguchi	● Shin	
		Introduction to Law	4	1	100		● Schifano			
		Introduction to Social Psychology	4	1	100				● Blackwood	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Introduction to Sociology	4	1	100		● Blackwood			Fundamentals of Mathematics
		Introduction to the Islamic World	4	1	100		● Rahmy			
		Labor Laws and Work Life	4	1	100				● Kumaigai	
		Principles of Economics	4	1	100	● Handika	●(2)	1. Kusuda 2. Over	●(2)	
		Principles of Management	4	1	100	● Rezwan	● Jackson	● Jackson	● 1. Razwan 2. Asgharali	
		Principles of Political Science	4	1	100	● Nagao	● Yamamoto	● Nagao	● Resnick	
		Statistics I	4	1	100		●(2)	1. Shimizu 2. Amponsah	● Amponsah	
		Sustainable Society	4	1	100				● Stanislawski	
		World Economy	4	1	100		● Amponsah		● Amponsah	
		Topics in Liberal Arts	2	1	100/200		—	—		
E-track BE/DBI Major		Topics in Liberal Arts	4	1	100/200		—	—		Not offered in 2025
		Business Communications and Productivity	4	2	200					
		Foundations of Python	4	2	200		●(2)	1. Ozaydin 2. Hamza	● Ozaydin	
		Introduction to Computer Networking	4	2	200		● Ozaydin		● Ozaydin	
		Introduction to Digital Privacy and Data Security	4	2	200		● Rafik Hamza			
		Macroeconomics	4	2	200		● Mitra		● Delgado	
		Mathematics for Business and Economics I	4	2	200		● Mitra		● Delgado	
		Microeconomics	4	2	200		● Watanabe		● Mitra	
		Principles of Marketing	4	2	200		● Stanislawski		● 1. Tajeddini 2. Asgharali	
		Statistics II	4	2	200				● Lubashevskiy	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Agricultural Economics and Management	4	2	300		● Over			Principles of Economics
		AI & Intelligent Product Development	4	2	300		● Kulkarni			
		AI & Machine Learning for Decision Making	4	2	300		● Kulkarni			
		Blockchain & Business Applications	4	2	300		● Ozaydin			
		Consumer Behavior	4	2	300		● Stanislawski			
		Corporate Finance	4	2	300		● Handika			
		Corporate Strategy	4	2	300					
		Creative Thinking for AI & IoT Innovations	4	2	300				● Kulkarni	
		Cybersecurity and Applications	4	2	300				● Rafik Hamza	
		Database and Big Data	4	2	300		● Hettiarachchi		● Hettiarachchi	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Development Economics	4	2	300				● Delgado	Microeconomics & Macroeconomics
		Digital Banking and Fintech	4	2	300		● Rafik Hamza			
		Digital Business Strategies	4	2	300		● Rajasekera			
		Digital Marketing	4	2	300		● Shankasi		● Shankasi	
		Digital Marketing and E-Commerce	4	2	300				● Arghashi	
		E-business & Payment Systems	4	2	300		● Lubashevskiy			
		Economics	4	2	300		● Delgado			
		Econometrics for Business Analytics	4	2	300		● Shankasi			
		Entrepreneurial Strategies	4	2	300				● Handika	
		Financial Accounting	4	2	300					
E-track BE/DBI Major		Game Theory	4	2	300					Microeconomics, Not offered in 2025
		Health Care Management and Economics	4	2	300		● Amponsah			
		Human Resources Management	4	2	300		● Ishiguro		● Ishiguro	
		Innovation and Value Creation for Entrepreneurs	4	2	300		● Asgan		● Asgan	
		International Business	4	2	300		●		● Tajeddini	
		Labor Economics	4	2	300					
		Marketing Strategy	4	2	300				● Stanislawski	
		Mathematics for Business and Economics II	4	2	300					
		Mining Unstructured Data: A Big Data Perspective	4	2	300				● Kulkarni	
		Mobile Technologies, IoT, & Business Apps	4	2	300				● Lubashevskiy	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Neuro Marketing	4	2	300		● Asgan		● Asgan	Principles of Marketing
		Operations and Service Management	4	2	300				● Rajasekera	
		Organizational Behavior	4	2	300				● Tajeddini	
		Organizational Psychology	4	2	300				● Rezwan	
		R Programming & Business Analytics	4	2	300		● Lubashevskiy			
		Service Management and Strategy	4	2	300		● Matsuo			
		Social Media and Business	4	2	300		● Arghashi		● Arghashi	
		Text Mining & Deep Learning	4	2	300				● Kulkarni	
		Topics in DBI: Supply Chain Analytics Project	4	2	300				● Koniya	
		Undergraduate Thesis Writing Seminar	4	3	300		● GTI		● GTI	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Web and Mobile Technology	4	2	300		● Souza			Foundations of Python
		Big Data and Analytics	4	3	400		● Shankasi			
		Topics in DBI: Business Analytics and AI Project	4	2	300				● Hettiarachchi	
		Blockchain, Cryptocurrency Technologies, and E-Money	4	3	400					
		Business Planning	4	3	400		● Ishiguro			
		Cross-Culture Management	4	3	400				● Rezwan	
		Customer Analytics and AI	4	3	400		● Arghashi			
		Digital Marketing Research	4	3	400				● Tajeddini	
		Entrepreneurial Strategy Practicum	4	3	400					
		Gender in Business	4	3	400				● Ishiguro	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Global Supply Chain Management	4	3	400				● Matsuo	Principles of Management
		Hospitality Management and Strategy	4	3	400				● Tajeddini	
		International Finance	4	3	400				● Mitra	
		International Trade	4	3	400		● Mitra			
		Investments	4	3	400				● Handika	
		IT Project Management	4	3	400				● Ozaydin	
		Japanese Corporations and the Global Economy	4	3	400		● Ishiguro			
		Leadership, Creativity and Organizational Renewal	4	3	400					
		Managerial Accounting	4	3	400		● Handika			
		Marketing Modeling	4	3	400				● Shankasi	
E-track BE/DBI Major		Money and Banking	4	3	400				● Mitra	Principles of Economics
		Neuro Marketing Project	4	3	400				● Asgan	
		Python for Data Science and AI	4	3	400				● Rafik Hamza	
		Quantum Information and Computation	4	3	400		● Ozaydin			
		Research Methods & Data Analysis in Business	4	3	400					
		Start-up Funding and VC Strategies	4	3	400		● Asgan			
		Strategic Brand Management	4	3	400				● Arghashi	
		Sustainability Economics and Policy	4	3	400		● Over			
		Topics in DBI: Advanced Database Management	4	3	400				● Hettiarachchi	

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		Comparative Politics	4	2	200			● Yamamoto			● Yamamoto	
		Global Sociology	4	2	200						● Blackwood	
		Human Rights	4	2	200			● Lamont			● Lamont	
		International Law	4	2	200			● Schifano			● Schifano	
		International Political Economy	4	2	200			● Munier			● Kim	
		International Politics	4	2	200						● Yamaguchi	
		International Security	4	2	200			● Resnick			● Resnick	
		Maritime Security and Ocean Governance	4	2	200						● Ordaniel	
		Political Economy of Development	4	2	200			● Shin			● Shin	
		Political Theory	4	2	200			● Munier				
		Understanding Globalization	4	2	200			● Li				
	Advanced	Chinese Politics in Comparative Perspective	4	3	300						● Li	
		Comparative Political Institutions	4	3	300						● Munier	
		International Development	4	3	300							Not offered in 2025
		International Environmental Policy	4	3	300			● Li				
		International Integration	4	3	300			● Kim				
		International Organization	4	3	300						● Schifano	
		International Relations of Asia-Pacific	4	3	300						● Li	
		International Relations of Europe	4	3	300			● Lamont				
		International Relations of South Asia	4	3	300			● Shin				
		International Relations of Southeast Asia	4	3	300			● Ordaniel				
		International Relations of the Middle East	4	3	300							Not offered in 2025
		Media and Society in Japan	4	3	300						● Maxim	
		Political Philosophy	4	3	300						● Munier	(New Course)
		Transport Governance and Security	4	3	300			● Yamaguchi				(New Course)
		U.S. Politics and Foreign Policy	4	3	300						● Resnick	(New Course)
		War and Peace in East Asia	4	3	300			● Murali				
		Entrepreneurial Strategy Practicum	2 or 4	3	300							Not offered in 2025
	Seminar	Critical Approaches to Development Politics	4	3	400						● Shin	Previously named "Asia's Entrepreneurs"
		Gender in International Relations	4	3	400						● Blackwood	
		International Relations of China	4	3	400			● Li				Previously named "Theories of International Relations"
		International Relations of Japan	4	3	400						● Nagao	
		Military Alliances and Security Cooperation	4	3	400			● Resnick				(New Course)
		Political Development of Asia	4	3	400						● Yamamoto	
		Regional Governance in Asia	4	3	400						● Schifano	
		Resource Politics	4	3	400			● Munier				
		Transitional Justice	4	3	400						● Lamont	
		U.S. Policy toward Asia	4	3	400			● Ordaniel				Previously named "U.S.-East Asian Relations"
		Topics in International Relations	2 or 4	4	400							Not offered in 2025
E-Track Special Courses	Advanced Argumentation & Debate	2	2	200				● Sakurai				
	Business Project E	4	2	200							● Sakurai	

*1) Course titles will be announced on a semester-by-semester basis for Topics in Liberal Arts, Topics in Business Economics and Topics in Japan Studies

*2) Depending on the semester, some courses may be cancelled or altered

【Important Notes】

Note 1: 2025 Spring and Fall syllabi is now available. Please refer to Academic Packet for instructions on how to access the syllabi.

Note 2: JSP students usually register between 16 and 20 credits.

Note 3: For Japanese language courses, students will take the course that have been placed as a result of the placement test. Please note that the number of credits that can be taken varies depending on the course level. Students may take 8 credits per semester for Elementary Japanese 1A & 1B, but 4 credits per semester for Elementary Japanese 2 through Advanced Japanese 2, and only 2 credits per semester for Upper-Advanced Japanese and Business Japanese. You cannot take different levels at the same time.

Note 4: The transfer of credits is at the discretion of your home institution. Please contact your university's Academic Registrar's Office to confirm if courses you wish to take are eligible for credit transfer. As a reference, 1 TIU credit = 2 ECTS credits = 4 UK credits. Different credit systems and/or conversion ratios might apply.

【Course Credits】			【Contact】	
COURSE	NUMBER OF WEEKS (total hours per week)	TOTAL CREDITS	If you have questions, please contact the relevant offices: ● Academics (Courses, Class schedule, etc.): E-Track Academic Affairs Office at <etrack-academics@tiu.ac.jp> ● Visa/immigration restrictions, program withdrawal or deferral: International Exchange Office at <etrack-student@tiu.ac.jp>	
Lecture	100 min/week x 13.5 weeks	2 credits		
	200 min/week x 13.5 weeks	4 credits		
Japanese Language Course	200 min/week x 13.5 weeks	2 credits		
	400 min/week x 13.5 weeks	4 credits		
	800 min/week x 6.75 weeks	4 credits		