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CAPS MINOR APPLICATION PACKET

Included in this packet:

1. Introduction to the CAPS minor
2. Course requirements for the CAPS minor
3. Request to become a CAPS minor
4. Photo, video, and audio Consent and Release form

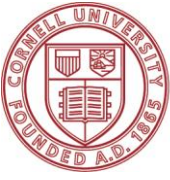
Procedure:

1. Fill out the information in the packet.
2. Obtain a transcript from the University Registrar's office.
3. Arrange to see the CAPS Program Manager, Professor XU Xin, in 105 Morrill Hall. He can be reached at 255-4741 or by email at xx12@cornell.edu.
4. After meeting with Xu Xin, return the following material to the Undergraduate Coordinator, at 105A Morrill Hall:
 1. The request to become a CAPS minor
 2. Your official transcript
 3. The Consent and Release form

If you have any questions regarding the above procedures, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you.

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CAPS Minor: An Introduction



China and Asia-Pacific Studies (CAPS) is an interdisciplinary program designed to train future leaders in various domains of U.S.-China relations. In addition to the CAPS Major, which is normally open to undergraduate students in the College of Arts and Sciences, **the program offers a China and Asia-Pacific Studies (CAPS) Minor to undergraduate students enrolled in any of the seven Cornell undergraduate colleges.** The minor provides a structured yet flexible arrangement for students to take advantage of the unique and rigorous CAPS curriculum for studying China's history, politics, economy, foreign relations, and especially U.S.-China relations both on and off campus.

Course Requirements

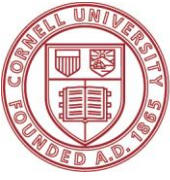
To complete the CAPS Minor, students need to complete at least 18 credits of coursework in China and Asia-Pacific Studies, including one of the CAPS gateway courses (CAPS, 3049, CAPS 3403, CAPS 3907 or CAPS 3827) and four more courses. At least two of these courses need to be chosen from the list of CAPS core courses, and the remaining two may be electives, generally to be chosen from the list of CAPS recommended courses (including the courses offered by the School of International Studies at Peking University in China), in consultation with the advisor. One of these electives will usually be a Chinese language course.

The CAPS course offerings are posted on the Arts and Sciences Course Roster and CAPS website (<http://caps.cornell.edu/major>). The list of electives, which is regularly updated, is intended to be representative but not exhaustive.

A minimum grade of C must be received for all courses counted towards the Minor. All courses used to fulfill the Minor requirements, including language courses, must be taken for a letter grade.

Language Requirements

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Off-campus Opportunities

Students in the Minor may be considered for one of the off-campus semesters (CAPS in D.C. or CAPS in Beijing) if space is available in the program, AND if they place into the language level appropriate for that semester's CAPS Chinese courses (2000 level for Beijing). Students who are interested in either of CAPS off-campus semesters must make an appointment to see the Program Manager, Dr. XU Xin, at xx12@cornell.edu, for consultation.

Enrollment

Students may enroll in the CAPS Minor at any point but are encouraged to do so early in order to be put on the CAPS listserv for announcements of news and activities of the program and to be considered for an off-campus study.

To apply:

- Obtain a "Minor in China and Asia-Pacific Studies" application packet from the CAPS Office, 105A Morrill Hall, or download the electronic application form on the CAPS website.
- Schedule an appointment with the Program Manager of the CAPS Program, Dr. XU Xin (contact information listed below), and bring along the completed form, a copy of your current Cornell transcript, and the completed Photo Consent and Release form to the appointment.
- Return the completed forms to the CAPS Office, 105A Morrill Hall.

Upon enrollment, students will be assigned an advisor from the CAPS faculty for consultation on their course of study.

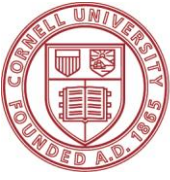
Students enrolled in the CAPS Minor are considered members of the China and Asia-Pacific Studies Program and are encouraged to participate in all program activities.

Completion

Transcripts reflect successful completion of the requirements for the Minor. In addition, students receive a certificate and a letter of confirmation signed by the Director of the CAPS Program.

How to Reach Us

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One CAPS gateway course:

CAPS minors must take any one of the following courses (taught in Ithaca), normally during the first two years:

- CAPS 3049 China's Next Economy (also GOVT 3044)
- CAPS 3403 China under Revolution and Reform (also GOVT 3403);
- CAPS 3827 China and the World (also GOVT 3827).
- CAPS 3907 Crises in Asia (also GOVT 3907, not offered 2017-18)

Other Required courses:

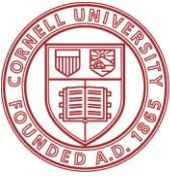
CAPS minors must complete at least two of the following courses:

- CAPS 3000 Seminar in American Relations with China (Washington, D.C.*);
- CAPS 4998 Politics and Policy: Theory, Research, and Practice, or alternately, CAPS 4997 Research Seminar in American Studies (also AMST 4997) (Washington, D.C.*); (8 credits, counts as 2 courses)
- CAPS 4001 China in Transition (Beijing);
- CAPS 4002 Chinese Perspectives on International and Global Affairs (Beijing);
- CAPS 4030 Issues in China and Asia-Pacific Studies (Ithaca).
- CAPS 3502 Becoming China Hands (Ithaca)

CAPS elective courses:

CAPS minors may choose one or two of the following courses to fulfill the CAPS elective requirement (depending on how many required courses they take). (Check the course catalog for all CAPS elective options):

- CAPS 1670 Understanding Modern China
- CAPS 1740 Imperial China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 1910 Introduction to Modern Asian History (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2209 Daoist Traditions (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2210 Pop Culture in China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2212 Introduction to China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2262 Medicine & Healing in China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2264 Contemporary Chinese Popular Culture (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2267 Women & Society in China (crosslisted)



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- CAPS 2271 China's Literary Heritage (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2281 Antiquity and Modernity in Contemporary China (crosslisted);
- CAPS 2840 Capitalism in China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 2940 History of China in Modern Times (also HIST 2940);
- CAPS 3140 U.S. in the World (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3303 Modern Chinese Literature in Translation (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3307 Readings in Classical Chinese Literature (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3325 Tales of Crime and Justice from Pre-Modern China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3329 Literature of Leaving China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3337 Love Stories of Early Modern China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3340 Contested Legacies of China's Past (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3370 Nature Imagined and Experienced: Ancient Chinese Travel Literature (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3380 China's Economy Under Mao & Deng (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3434 Chinese Empire and the Cambodian Experience (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3502 Becoming a China Hand (crosslisted)
- CAPS 3967 What is China? (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4071 Law Culture and Society in China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4127 The Body Politic in Asia (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4241 Religion and the State in Chinese History (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4355 Work and Labor in China (also ILRIC 4355);
- CAPS 4406 Readings in Chinese History and Business Culture (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4414 Politics, Violence and the Study of Cambodia (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4420 Tang Poetry: Themes and Contexts (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4650 Reading and Viewing Modern China (crosslisted)
- CAPS 4827 China, Tibet, and Xinjiang (also GOVT 4827);
- CAPS 4870 China and Asian Security (also GOVT 4877/6877);
- CAPS 4931 Vitality and Power in China (also HIST 4931)
- CAPS 4963 China's Early Modern (crosslisted)

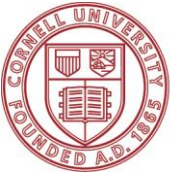
Students may choose other CAPS-related courses to fulfill the CAPS elective requirement upon permission of the Program Manager. Taking additional CAPS gateway courses counts toward fulfillment of the CAPS elective requirement.

Chinese Language Courses:

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Please refer to the CAPS website for details about our language requirements: <http://caps.cornell.edu/chinese-language-requirements>

For further details about course requirements for the CAPS minor, or about CAPS internships, please contact the Program Manager, Dr. XU Xin, at xx12@cornell.edu.



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Request for CAPS Minor

Name (Last, First): _____ Date: _____

CUID#: _____ Net ID: _____ Graduation Date: _____

Current Major(s): _____

Requirements:

- 1. Language: Complete the equivalent of second-year Chinese, or, if they place beyond the second year, then complete any single Chinese language course at a higher level (for advanced students this may be a literature or special topics class in Chinese)
2. Gateway Course: Either CAPS 3049, CAPS 3403, CAPS 3907 or CAPS 3827
3. CAPS Core Courses: At least two courses from CAPS core courses
4. CAPS Elective: At least two courses selected from CAPS recommended courses
5. 18 Credits of coursework in CAPS

Completed Courses:

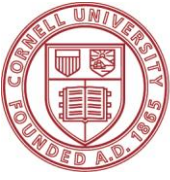
Highest Chinese Language Taken (Name, Date): _____

CAPS Gateway (CAPS 3049/3403/3827/3907, Date): _____

Remaining courses (Two courses must be from CAPS core courses and CAPS electives each):

Table with 3 columns: Course Name, Taken (Semester/Year), Credits. It contains 7 empty rows for listing courses.

Official Use Section: Date minor requirements have been met & advisor signature:



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From time to time, photographs, videos, direct quotes, and/or audio clips may be taken of students participating in CAPS classes & events. The China & Asia Pacific Studies Program requests the right to use all such photos, videos, print material and/or audio clips taken of students involved in these programs and activities. They may be used for a variety of purposes, including, but not limited to, publications, promotional brochures, promotions or showcase of programs on our Web sites, showcase of activities in local and/or national newspapers or programming, and other similar lawful purposes.

By signing this form, I consent and give permission to allow the China & Asia Pacific Studies Program unlimited right to use photos, videos, direct quotes, and/or audio clips that they have of me participating in CAPS programs or events. I agree to give up my rights with regards to CAPS photos, videos, direct quotes, and/or audio clips of me. Further, by signing this consent and release form, I acknowledge that I understand and agree to the above request and conditions. I sign this form freely and without inducement.

My Contact Information:

Name (print): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone

Number: _____