

CULTURAL & COMPARATIVE STUDIES – JAPAN FOCUS
SUMMARY OF PH.D. PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
 Based on Requirements For Students Entering 2006-2007

Name _____ Evaluation Date _____

MA DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Institution and department that granted your MA degree _____

Month/Year degree awarded _____

If your MA was not completed in the Asian Languages & Cultures department at UCLA, please complete the following section.

You will need to show that you have fulfilled the 200-series course requirements and language requirements of our M.A. degree. If your MA was completed at UCLA, please continue at the top of the next page.

Language Requirement: Students in Cultural and Comparative Studies (Japan Focus) must demonstrate competence in modern Japanese (equivalent to successful completion of Japanese 101B) and in classical Japanese (equivalent to completion of Japanese 110).

Please indicate below how you fulfilled this requirement (coursework, native speaker, waived by advisor, etc.)

Modern Japanese equivalent to 101 B: _____
*Include advisor signature and reason for waiver if language requirement has been waived

Classical Japanese equivalent to 110: _____
*Include advisor signature and reason for waiver if language requirement has been waived

200-Course & Classical Japanese Course Requirements: Students in Cultural and Comparative Studies (Japan Focus) must take two courses from 200A-200B-200C-200D. Students in Japanese are also required to take at least one graduate-level course (not a 200 course) employing material in classical Japanese.

| | <u>Course number</u> | <u>Course Title</u> | <u>Quarter Taken</u> | <u>Grade Received</u> |
|----|----------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. | Japanese 200 | _____ | | |
| 2. | Japanese 200 | _____ | | |
| 3. | | _____ | | |
| | | Graduate Level Classical Japanese Course | | |

In exceptional cases, and with the approval of their faculty advisor and the Director of Graduate Studies, students may substitute a similar bibliography/research methods course offered in another department or a specialized bibliography/research methods course supervised by a departmental faculty member. If you are substituting a course/courses for this requirement, please write the following information:

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| Course number | Course Title | Quarter Taken | Advisor Signature |
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Language Requirement:

Students in Cultural and Comparative Studies (Japan Focus) must complete either (a) Chinese 110C, plus Chinese 6 or 10 or Korean 6, or (b) Chinese 100C or Korean 100C, or (c) two years of Chinese or Korean (i.e., Chinese 6 or Korean 6), plus a translation examination in French or German 3G. You may also take a translation exam in your alternate Asian language, French, or German to show that you are proficient at either the first, second or third year level.

Language(s): _____

How did you fulfill this requirement?

- Coursework (please indicate courses used) _____
- Translation Exam (please include examiner name and date of exam) _____
- Waived because I am a native speaker

Course Requirements

A minimum of five graduate courses (not including courses taken to meet the language requirements) beyond the M.A. degree is required for the Ph.D. degree. In addition, Students in Cultural and Comparative Studies **must take Asian 210** as part of their five course requirement. If Asian 210 was taken before the MA degree was awarded, please list a sixth course.

| | <u>Course number</u> | <u>Course Title</u> | <u>Quarter Taken</u> | <u>Grade Received</u> |
|----|----------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. | Asian 210 | Proseminar: Cultural and Comparative Studies | | |
| 2. | | | | |
| 3. | | | | |
| 4. | | | | |
| 5. | | | | |

*** Please attach copy of current transcript with courses highlighted ***

Ph.D. Committee - Your Ph.D. Committee must be approved by the Graduate Division before taking the qualifying exams.

Committee Signatures: _____, Chair

Inside Member

Inside Member

Inside Member

_____ Department _____

Outside Member

Additional Member (not required)

Additional Member (not required)

If you are unable to easily obtain the signatures of your committee members, please have them send an email to the SAO indicating that they agree to be on your committee.

Written Qualifying Exams

Once all language and course requirements are satisfied and your committee has been approved, the qualifying examinations may be taken. **All examinations must be completed within a four-week period.** With the consent of the department, the examinations may be repeated only once.

Students in Cultural and Comparative Studies must take examinations in four fields selected in consultation with the student's academic adviser, including at least two fields within the department and at least one with a comparative or theoretical focus. These four fields must be selected so that at least two are from the student's primary language area and two from a specific discipline.

| | <u>Language Area</u> | <u>Discipline</u> | <u>Examiner/Home Department</u> | <u>Scheduled Date of Exam</u> |
|----|---|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. | Exam #1 - check all that are applicable: Comp/Theoretical Focus _____ Dpt Field #1 _____ Dpt Field #2 _____ Primary Lang Area _____ Specific Discipline _____ | | | |
| 2. | Exam #2 - check all that are applicable: Comp/Theoretical Focus _____ Dpt Field #1 _____ Dpt Field #2 _____ Primary Lang Area _____ Specific Discipline _____ | | | |
| 3. | Exam #3 - check all that are applicable: Comp/Theoretical Focus _____ Dpt Field #1 _____ Dpt Field #2 _____ Primary Lang Area _____ Specific Discipline _____ | | | |
| 4. | Exam #4 - check all that are applicable: Comp/Theoretical Focus _____ Dpt Field #1 _____ Dpt Field #2 _____ Primary Lang Area _____ Specific Discipline _____ | | | |

Oral Qualifying Exam

Preferably within six months, but no more than a year after the written examinations, the student must pass the University Oral Qualifying Examination on the dissertation proposal. With the department's consent, the examination may be repeated only once.

Scheduled date for oral qualifying exam _____

Contingent upon successful completion of all qualifying exams, the signatures below indicate that this summary is accepted and approved as partial fulfillment of the Ph.D. program requirements in Asian Languages and Cultures.

Faculty Advisor _____ Date _____

Director of Graduate Studies _____ Date _____

Doctoral Committee Approval date: _____

Date oral qualifying exam passed: _____

Official Advancement to Candidacy date: _____