ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES MINOR

Overview
Upon completing the minor in Asian American studies, students will
• understand fundamental concepts and disciplinary methods employed in Asian American studies, and know how to apply them thoughtfully and critically;
• understand major historical events that have shaped Asian racialization in western modernity, and know how to analyze their relevance to the contemporary moment;
• understand how Asian racialization relates to other forms of racialization, as well as other forms of social difference, and know how to analyze its role in broader social formations;
• know how to communicate their knowledge effectively so as to help empower Asian American and Asian diasporic communities, build meaningful coalitions among oppressed and/or marginalized social groups, and promote the cause of social justice; and
• possess a global frame of reference, informed by an ethical commitment to social justice.

Requirements
The minor in Asian American studies requires six (6) courses, as follows:

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Electives

Three AAST electives

One of the following:

One additional AAST subject code course

One additional AAST attribute code course

One AASR attribute code course

One of the following:

One advanced AFAM subject code course or AFAM attribute code course

One advanced LALS subject code course or LALS attribute code course

Asian American studies-related courses

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<td>SOCI 4408</td>
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Availability
The minor in Asian American studies is available at Fordham College at Rose Hill and at Fordham College at Lincoln Center. Students in Fordham's School of Professional and Continuing Studies may minor in Asian American studies only if they receive the approval of their advising dean and/or department, and their schedules are sufficiently flexible to permit them to take day courses at the Rose Hill or Lincoln Center campuses.

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