

# FALL 2025 SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

August 25-December 14, 2025



## **BMIN600 Seminar: Buddhist Issues & Frameworks**

Course Description: Advanced critique of the history, key texts, & practice of Buddhist ministry. Students explore the background & issues that contextualize their research area.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV650

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 2 PM To: 5 PM Location:

## **BMIN607 Research Methods**

Course Description: Develops essential skills for engaging in quantitative & qualitative research at the doctoral level with focus on research methods relevant to the student's area of research.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Monica Sanford  
Mode: REMOTE Day: W From: 2 PM To: 5 PM Location:

## **BMIN610 Ethics in Buddhist Ministry**

Course Description: Advanced examination of the relationship between professional & personal ethics in the area of ministry.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV670

Section Instructor: Victor Gabriel  
Mode: REMOTE Day: T From: 9:30 AM To: 11:30 AM Location:

## **BMIN698A Dissertation Proposal Seminar**

Course Description: Focuses on development of the dissertation proposal. Topics include: selection of a topic, development of an original argument, situating the topic in relation to existing scholarship, & Buddhist-inspired strategies for writing & completing project.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Chair's approval

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
Mode: HY-CARE Day: T From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**BMIN698B Dissertation Writing Seminar**

Course Description: Reviews & develops strategies for dissertation writing. Topics to be discussed include Buddhist-inspired strategies for writing & completing the dissertation. Students are expected to complete a solid draft of one chapter of their dissertation.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy status

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
 Mode: REMOTE Day:T From: 10 AM To: 12:50 PM Location:

**BMIN710 Dissertation Research**

Course Description: Research for the dissertation. Upon advancement to candidacy & after the completion of coursework, students maintain continuous enrollment by registering for this course each semester until successful completion of the 12-unit research requirement.

Units: 3-9 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy status

Section Instructor: Jitsujo Gauthier  
 Mode: RES-JG Day: From: To: Location:

Section Instructor: Victor Gabriel  
 Mode: RES-VG Day: From: To: Location:

**BMIN715 Continuous Enrollment Research**

Course Description: Required for doctoral candidates who have completed all course & research requirements but must remain in continuous enrollment each semester until completion of exam, dissertation, etc.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy status

Section Instructor: Victor Gabriel  
 Mode: CE-VG Day: From: To: Location:

Section Instructor: Jitsujo Gauthier  
 Mode: CE-JG Day: From: To: Location:

**BUS200 Business Law**

Course Description: Introduces laws & regulations affecting the business environment, including contracts, product liability, business organization, employment, antitrust, & environmental protection. Incorporates ethical considerations & international perspectives.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): none

Section Instructor: Michael Arnold  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**BUS201 Principles of Microeconomics**

Course Description: Principles of individual consumer & producer decision making in various market structures, the price system, market performance, & government policy.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MATH102 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Chi Sheh  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T R From: 5 PM To: 6:20 PM Location:

**BUS210 Introduction to Financial Accounting**

Course Description: Fundamental concepts, theories, techniques & principles of accounting: analyzing/recording financial transactions, accounting valuation/allocation practices, financial statement preparation, analysis & interpretation, & international accounting issues.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MATH102 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Fredrick Ho  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day: R From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**BUS301 Managerial Economics**

Course Description: Applications of microeconomic theory to managerial decisions & planning. Analysis of resource & product markets of firms. Production functions, cost, output decisions & pricing strategies under various market constraints.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS201 & BUS303

Section Instructor: Yue-Yun (Bill) Chen  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M From: 3 PM To: 5:50 PM Location:

**BUS320 Organization & Management**

Course Description: Study of organizational behavior & environmental forces affecting today's management practices. Reviews various levels of management & their role in sustainable development & utilization of resources to achieve objectives & meet social responsibilities.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS308

Section Instructor: Meskerem Tadesse  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:W From: 3 PM To: 5:50 PM Location:

**BUS415 Financial Management**

Course Description: Focuses on the fundamental tools & techniques applicable to business & institutional financial planning. Covers valuation of securities, risk-return relationships, capital budgeting, management of current assets, & liabilities.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS303 & BUS307

Section Instructor: Chi Sheh  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:R From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**BUS417 Federal Tax Law**

Course Description: A survey of federal tax law including those relating to corporations & individuals. Estate, gift taxes, & taxation of the trusts will be covered. An introduction to federal tax research will be provided.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS307

Section Instructor: Suren Sahakyan  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day:M From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**BUS436 Advertising**

Course Description: Examines methods, objectives, & types of media & strategies used to deliver brand & product messages to target customers. Explores the use of traditional & nontraditional methods, media planning, creative message strategy/execution, & the promotional mix.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS330

Section Instructor: Stephen OSullivan  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:W From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**BUS439 Small Business & Entrepreneurial Marketing**

Course Description: Explores practical & cost-effective strategies & methods to generate leads & new customer acquisition. Topics include strategic partnerships, local marketing, search engine optimization, social networking, crowdsource funding, & niche marketing.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS330

Section Instructor: Murray Johannsen  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day:F From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**BUS452 Exporting & Importing**

Course Description: Introduces basic rules, principles, & current practices/procedures in import/export. Explores practical harmonization of custom services & regulations of different countries, intermediary services, & roles of related international organizations.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS351

Section Instructor: Meskerem Tadesse  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**BUS480 Capstone: Strategic Management**

Course Description: Provides an integrative perspective on strategy formation & management of an enterprise. Students apply multidisciplinary understanding of business planning & strategy by drawing on previous coursework in various functional areas of business.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS320, 330, & 415; Taken in final term before graduation

Section Instructor: Peng Chan  
Mode: ONLINE Day:R From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**CAP401 Capstone: Religion, Science & Society**

Course Description: Integrates students' general education by examining interactions between religion, science, & society. Topics include religion & social conflict, science & cultural change, gender & religion, the science vs. religion debate.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Completion of 42 units GE, incl. all GE Core Competencies.

Section Instructor: Christopher Johnson  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M W From: 1 PM To: 2:20 PM Location:

Section Instructor: Christopher Johnson  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M W From: 2:30 PM To: 3 PM Location:

**CONT301 Ethics in a Multicultural Context**

Course Description: Provides a space for students to learn about different ethical codes of conduct from different cultural and religious traditions, to practice those codes on a personal level, and to reflect on social issues and possible responses to these issues.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): CONT 110

Section Instructor: Christopher Johnson  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M From: 3 PM To: 4:20 PM Location:

**CONT520 Topics in Contemplative Practice**

Course Description: Seminar in special area of interest in the study of Buddhist contemplative practice. Topic to be announced each semester.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: William Chu  
Mode: REMOTE Day: M From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**CS101 Information Literacy & Academic Study Skills**

Course Description: Provides whole-person introduction to information literacy and academic study skills through high-impact activities, training, tips, and tools. Includes weekly lab.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): None

Section Instructor: Jennifer Avila  
Mode: HY-CARE Day: M From: 3 PM To: 4 PM Location:

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Mode: HY-CARE Day: M From: 3 PM To: 4 PM Location:

**ENGL090A Academic Writing**

Course Description: Prepares students for college-level composition. Focus includes writing from paragraph to essay, developing & organizing ideas, building unified & coherent compositions, & incorporating MLA citations & references.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Placement

Section Instructor: William Kennedy  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M W From: 1 PM To: 2:20 PM Location:

**ENGL100A College Writing**

Course Description: Essay writing for academic purposes. Students apply the writing process to organize & develop thesis-driven essays. Students practice effective expository writing incorporating outside sources & learn to develop arguments through multiple drafts.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL090A w/B- or higher or placement

Section Instructor: Jonathan Berk  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M W From: 1 PM To: 2:20 PM Location:

**ENGL100B College Speech**

Course Description: Speaking & listening requirements to prepare students for the American college classroom. Emphasizes public communication & presentation skills in a variety of academic settings.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL090B w/B- or higher or placement test

Section Instructor: William Kennedy  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M W From: 11 AM To: 12:20 PM Location:

**ENGL100D College Reading**

Course Description: Preparation for college-level reading. Focuses on developing critical & analytical reading skills for vocabulary development, comprehension, & information literacy.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL090D w/B- or higher or placement test

Section Instructor: Shana Wright  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T R From: 2:30 PM To: 3:50 PM Location:

**ENGL101 English Composition**

Course Description: Training in effective written composition. Assignments include expository & argumentative essays & preparation of a documented short research paper on themes that include issues of East/West cultural understanding.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL100A w/B- or higher or placement test

Section Instructor: Jennifer Avila  
Mode: HY-CARE Day: M W From: 1 PM To: 2:20 PM Location:

**ENGL102      Composition II: Critical Thinking**

Course Description: Introduction to the elements & applications of critical thinking & writing. Emphasis on argumentative, persuasive, analytical, & evaluative writing, along with the assessment & uses of sources.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): ENGL101 w/C or higher

Section      Instructor: Jennifer Avila  
Mode: HY-CARE      Day: M W      From: 11 AM      To: 12:20 PM      Location:

**ENGL413      Seminar: Literature & Other Arts**

Course Description: Investigates relationship of literature & other arts, including music, painting, photography, other visual arts, sculpture, performing arts, & architecture. Topics may include literature written in English as well as literature in translation.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): ENGL102

Section      Instructor: Ryan Gilmore  
Mode: HY-CAOL      Day: R      From: 6 PM      To: 8:50 PM      Location:

**FILM301      Focused Studies in Film History**

Course Description: Focuses on an aspect of film history & aesthetics (e.g. the silent era, animation, the western, comedy, science fiction).

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): ENGL101 w/C or higher

Section      Instructor: Ryan Gilmore  
Mode: HY-CAOL      Day: T      From: 6 PM      To: 8:50 PM      Location:

**HIST200      Big History I**

Course Description: Survey of the history of the universe from the Big Bang to the development of agrarian civilization. Explores how major patterns & thresholds emerged & converged into the new forms of complexity.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): None

Section      Instructor: Shawn Ragan  
Mode: CAMPUS      Day: W      From: 7 PM      To: 9:50 PM      Location:



**IDS330 Environmental Leadership**

Course Description: Preparation for informed, active engagement with personal & community challenges involving the natural world, Students evaluate key environmental issues at global, national, regional, state, & local levels & propose sustainable solutions.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL102 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Tom Moritz  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M W From: 9 AM To: 10:20 AM Location:

**JPN101 Beginning Japanese I**

Course Description: Introduction to the basics of Japanese including pronunciation, grammar, & basic reading & writing of Hiragana & Katakana with an emphasis on speaking & listening to standard conversational Japanese.

Units: 4 Prerequisite(s): none

Section Instructor: Kanae Omura  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T R From: 10 AM To: 11:50 AM Location:

**L&C120 Life & Culture 1: World Religions**

Course Description: Examines a good life from the perspective of world religion. Drawing from the study of world religions, students integrate aspects of design thinking with traditional religious models to determine what constitutes a good life to them & how to live it.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): none

Section Instructor: Calvin Baker  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T R From: 4:30 PM To: 5:50 PM Location:

**LANG301 Introduction to Linguistics**

Course Description: Introduces the scientific study of human language, with a focus on English. Considers languages as structured systems of form & meaning, with attention also to the biological, psychological, cultural, & social aspects of language & language use.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL101 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Jonathan Berk  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: M W From: 11 AM To: 12:20 PM Location:

**MATH030**      **Developmental Mathematics**

Course Description: Provides an understanding of, & competency in, basic mathematics, including operations in whole numbers, fractions, mixed numbers, decimals, geometry, measurement, ratio, proportion, percent, statistics & emphasis on problem solving.

Units: 3              Prerequisite(s):

Section              Instructor: Bobby Ojose  
Mode: CAMPUS                      Day: T R              From: 11:30 AM    To: 12 PM              Location:

Section              Instructor: Bobby Ojose  
Mode: CAMPUS                      Day: T R              From: 10 AM              To: 11:20 AM              Location:

**MATH102**      **Quantitative Reasoning I**

Course Description: Introduces fundamentals of algebra with emphasis on quantitative thinking. Reasoning quantitatively using tables & graphs, & application of linear functions, quadratic functions & linear systems to problems is emphasized.

Units: 3              Prerequisite(s): MATH025 w/C or higher or MPT placement

Section              Instructor: Bobby Ojose  
Mode: CAMPUS                      Day: T R              From: 2:30 PM              To: 3:50 PM              Location:

**MATH112**      **Quantitative Reasoning II**

Course Description: Strengthens & further develops students' quantitative reasoning skills & real life applications. The concepts emphasized are algebraic expressions, equations, inequalities, exponential-logarithmic functions, systems, & synthetic division.

Units: 3              Prerequisite(s): MATH102 w/C or higher

Section              Instructor: Bobby Ojose  
Mode: CAMPUS                      Day: T R              From: 1 PM              To: 2:20 PM              Location:

**MBA504**      **Principles of Management**

Course Description: Reviews different theories of management; focuses on managerial functions, including planning, organizing, controlling, & leading. Emphasizes how to apply management theory/methods to solve problems of organizations.

Units: 3              Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section              Instructor: Meskerem Tadesse  
Mode: CAMPUS                      Day: R              From: 7 PM              To: 9:50 PM              Location:

**MBA513 Managerial Accounting**

Course Description: Use & interpretation of financial statements; evaluation of accounting information systems; accounting for & analysis of costs; managerial use of accounting data for planning & decision making.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS210

Section Instructor: Chi Sheh  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**MBA516 International Finance**

Course Description: Advanced study of the environment & tools of international financial management. Covers financial, tax, economic, political, potential legal issues, foreign exchange rates, risk assessment, balance of payment, & financial alternatives & tradeoffs.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MBA515 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Yue-Yun (Bill) Chen  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:W From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**MBA521 Business Analytics**

Course Description: Application of scientific methods, techniques, and tools to provide solutions for the operation of systems, especially managerial decision-making problems. Major topics include decision analysis, statistical inference, regression, and linear programming.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS303

Section Instructor: Yue-Yun (Bill) Chen  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**MBA529 Seminar: Leadership**

Course Description: Examines the effectiveness of different approaches to leadership from both managerial & psychological viewpoints. Discusses issues in leadership & leadership training through case studies, workshops, & guest lectures.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MBA504 or MBA520 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Roger Frank  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day:T From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**MBA540 Management Information Systems**

Course Description: Managerial discussion of types of systems that support individual, work-group, & corporate goals & reviews hardware/software, the design, implementation, & management of information systems, & how to compete in the internet-based business environment.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Rafael Wu  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:F From: 5 PM To: 7:50 PM Location:

**MBA556 Global Economy**

Course Description: Surveys international trade theory, commercial trade policy, international finance, & open-economy macroeconomics. Discusses international flow of goods, services, assets, & payments & regulating policies. Evaluates government policies & current trends.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BUS201 or BUS202

Section Instructor: Wu-Long Lin  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M From: 6:30 PM To: 9:20 PM Location:

**MBA573 Decision Support Systems**

Course Description: Explores decision-making processes, model-based development, & knowledge management. Examines design, implementation, & evaluation of decision support systems. Introduces how to encapsulate, expand, & transfer knowledge by means of an intelligent machine.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MBA540 w/C or higher

Section Instructor: Wen Cheng  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day:F From: 6:30 PM To: 9:20 PM Location:

**MBA588 Business Philosophy & Ethics**

Course Description: Reviews relevant philosophies, discusses ethics from different religious perspectives, particularly humanistic Buddhism, & emphasizes how such philosophy & ethics can be effectively used in modern organizations & management.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Murray Johannsen  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day:W From: 7 PM To: 9:50 PM Location:

**MBA590 Internship**

Course Description: Provides students with meaningful hands-on experience working in organizations relevant to their area of study. Completion requires written evaluation & verification from employer & internship reflection paper.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): Completion of core courses & chair's approval

Section Instructor: TBA TBA  
Mode: HYCAREOL Day: From: To: Location:

**MDIV525 Chaplaincy Roles & Competencies**

Course Description: Introduces professional chaplaincy, personal & professional ethics, as well as the values, standards, competencies, & responsibilities involved in working in various clinical settings. Special attention is given to current trends & issues in chaplaincy.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Jieyan Zheng  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**MDIV540 Sacred Abrahamic Texts in Spiritual Care & Counseling**

Course Description: Provides a macroscopic view of sacred Abrahamic texts & their content, as well as resources for further exploration in order to help the Buddhist practitioner develop some comfort working with these texts in the context of Buddhist chaplaincy.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV526

Section Instructor: Shou-Jen Kuo  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 9 AM To: 11:50 AM Location:

**MDIV640 Seminar in Buddhist Ministry**

Course Description: Explores unique & particular issues in Buddhist chaplaincy. Attention is given to an overview of scriptures across Buddhist traditions that have informed ministry, spiritual care & counseling techniques, & the chaplain's personal spiritual practice.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV515 & MDIV676

Section Instructor: Jitsujo Gauthier  
Mode: REMOTE Day: W From: 3 PM To: 5:50 PM Location:

**MDIV650 Pastoral Theology**

Course Description: Introduces the history, key texts, & practice of pastoral theology. Students gain background & methods necessary to make their own contributions to this area of writing. Students explore important texts for the particular chaplaincies in which they work.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV640

Section Instructor: Victor Gabriel  
 Mode: REMOTE Day:T From: 9:30 AM To: 11:30 AM Location:

**MDIV655 Spiritual Formation for Buddhist Chaplains**

Course Description: Examines the ways influential thinkers have understood stages of transformation in spiritual development. Students explore the ways in which significant works may deepen their own personal practice as well as their approach to chaplaincy.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): MDIV646

Section Instructor: Jitsujo Gauthier  
 Mode: HY-CARE Day:T From: 2:30 PM To: 5 PM Location:

**MDIVGP501 Group Process 1**

Course Description: Explores “present moment” experiences, including roles, dynamics, feelings, responses happening in the present moment. Discuss and apply concepts and skills; foster social support, cohort and community connections

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Jieyan Zheng  
 Mode: CAMPUS Day:W From: 3 PM To: 4 PM Location:

**MDIVGP503 Group Process 3**

Course Description: Explores “present moment” experiences, including roles, dynamics, feelings, responses happening in the present moment. Discuss and apply concepts and skills; foster social support, cohort and community connections

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Jieyan Zheng  
 Mode: HY-CARE Day:W From: 2 PM To: 3 PM Location:

**MDIVSL503 Service Learning 3**

Course Description: Application of chaplain skills in real-world settings. SL3: Personal spiritual formation and interfaith understanding.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): MDIVSL502

Section Instructor: Jieyan Zheng  
Mode: HY-CARE Day:W From: 1 PM To: 2 PM Location:

**PSYCH210 E/W Perspectives on Cognitive Psychology**

Course Description: Introduces Buddhist & Western concepts & theories of cognitive psychology, with comparisons & contrasts between the two systems. Students are provided with opportunities for self-exploration particularly through these lenses.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL101 w/C or higher; PSYCH150 (concurrent enrollment okay)

Section Instructor: Tom Moritz  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M W From: 10:30 AM To: 11:50 AM Location:

**PSYCH310 Physiological Psychology**

Course Description: Focuses on the biological basis of individual thought & behavior. Brain structure, hormones, biochemical, & genetic factors are explored. Special attention is paid to behavioral health interventions & the mind-body connection.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL102 w/C or higher; MATH212; PSYCH300

Section Instructor: Norja Cunningham  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:M W From: 1 PM To: 2 PM Location:

**PSYCH340 Psychology of Personality**

Course Description: Surveys prominent & influential views of personality development, Cultural implications are addressed throughout.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL102 w/C or higher; MATH212; PSYCH220 & 300

Section Instructor: John Creet  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T R From: 1 PM To: 2:20 PM Location:

**PSYCH460 Buddhist Counseling**

Course Description: Introduces Buddhist philosophies & their counseling implications. Explores various practice methods, such as meditation, chanting, self-reflection, & repentance and their applications in school, family, marriage, career, loss, and relationships.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): ENGL102 w/C or higher; PSYCH150

Section Instructor: De Hong  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 9 AM To: 11:20 AM Location:

**PSYCH495 Capstone: E/W Perspectives on Contemporary Issues**

Course Description: Psychology capstone course. Contemporary issues from the perspectives of both Eastern & Western psychological views are explored. Special focus is placed on applications of counseling & psychotherapy techniques promoted by the two traditions.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Program advisor approval

Section Instructor: Wenli Jen  
Mode: IS Day: From: To: Location:

**PSYCH501 Experimental Design & Statistical Analysis**

Course Description: Introduces the creation of sound research questions. Students review advanced quasi-experimental & experimental design methods (quantitative & qualitative), examine methods to analyze research data, & discuss implications of data interpretation.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Staff Staff  
Mode: HY-REOL Day: W From: 6 PM To: 8:50 PM Location:

**PSYCH504 Counseling Children & Adolescents**

Course Description: Surveys contemporary, multicultural, & contextual approaches to counseling theory & intervention. Covers legal, ethical, & cultural considerations. Explores mindfulness based approaches, role play, & art & play therapy techniques.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Timothy Leslie  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 6 PM To: 8:50 PM Location:



**PSYCH505      Multicultural/Buddhist Community Mental Health**

Course Description: Introduces the MFT program, focusing on values exploration & acculturation/orientation to UWest, professional identity, & community mental health. Covers core learning areas while orienting students to Buddhist wisdom in the context of Western MFT.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section      Instructor: Joanne Kwoh-Maysami  
Mode: CAMPUS      Day:T      From: 1 PM      To: 3:50 PM      Location:

**PSYCH531      Theories I**

Course Description: Explores counseling & helping skills with an emphasis on traditional counseling & psychotherapy theory & skills. Discusses cultural sensitivity & limitations of traditional approaches for diverse populations, with a focus on recovery-oriented practice.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section      Instructor: Timothy Leslie  
Mode: CAMPUS      Day:T      From: 6 PM      To: 8:50 PM      Location:

**PSYCH532      Law & Ethics**

Course Description: Grounding in relevant ethical codes, practice standards, legal issues, & expectations of professional conduct. Ethical decision-making skills are honed using case studies & vignettes. Also addresses professional writing.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section      Instructor: Joanne Kwoh-Maysami  
Mode: CAMPUS      Day:R      From: 4:30 PM      To: 7:20 PM      Location:

**PSYCH538      Psychological Testing**

Course Description: Covers psychological assessment procedures such as clinical interviewing, evidence-based diagnostic assessment, & behavioral assessment. Addresses test administration ethics, psychometrics, & cultural limitations of assessment practices.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section      Instructor: Alexis Davis  
Mode: HY-REOL      Day:T      From: 1 PM      To: 3:50 PM      Location:

**PSYCH540 Counseling Through the Lifespan**

Course Description: Explores lifespan development from a bio-psychosocial perspective from conception to death, including age-change theories & human adaptations. Emphasizes research-based best practices & ethics of working with diverse older adults.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Norja Cunningham  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T From: 6 PM To: 8:50 PM Location:

**PSYCH617 Application of Mindfulness in Western Therapy**

Course Description: Introduces the concept of mindfulness & its influence on Western psychotherapeutic research & practice & historical & contemporary literature on the efficacy & effectiveness of mindful-based therapeutic approaches on the process & outcome of treatment.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Staff Staff  
Mode: ONLINE Day: From: To: Location:

**PSYCH623 Poverty, Dislocation, & Stigma**

Course Description: Seminar on the impact of poverty, deprivation, dislocation, social stress, & stigma upon mental health & recovery, with a focus upon culturally congruent therapeutic orientations & interventions.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): 18 units graduate work in Psychology

Section Instructor: Jonathan Wicks  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T From: 5 PM To: 7:50 PM Location:

**PSYCH633 Sex, Sexuality, & Gender**

Course Description: Seminar on human sexuality: the physiological, psychological, & sociocultural variables associated with sexual identity & sexual behavior, with an emphasis upon sexual dysfunctions.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): 18 units graduate work in Psychology

Section Instructor: Norja Cunningham  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T From: 1 PM To: 3:50 PM Location:

**PSYCH643 Trauma & Resiliency**

Course Description: Seminar on community disaster & trauma response, emphasizing developmental & multigenerational effects of trauma, & resiliency models for recovery.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): 18 units graduate work in Psychology

Section Instructor: Norja Cunningham  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:R From: 4:30 PM To: 7:20 PM Location:

**PSYCH700 Practicum**

Course Description: Clinical experience at an approved practicum site with a focus on multicultural psychotherapy theory & related interventions. Coursework focuses on group consultation, assessment, case conceptualization, intervention, self-of-the-therapist, & self-care.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): 18 units & chair's approval

Section Instructor: Joanne Kwoh-Maysami  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:R From: 1 PM To: 3:50 PM Location:

**PSYCH712 Continuing Practicum**

Course Description: Provides continued support for students' supervised clinical experience beyond the 6 units required for graduation. Units do not count toward graduation.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Chair's approval

Section Instructor: Joanne Kwoh-Maysami  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:R From: 1 PM To: 3:50 PM Location:

**QE Qualifying Examination**

Course Description: The qualifying examinations cover three subject fields to be determined individually between the student and members of the doctoral committee. Qualifying examinations must be completed within one semester following completion of 51 units of coursework.

Units: Prerequisite(s): Students are encouraged to take REL 705

Section Instructor: Miroj Shakya  
Mode: QE Day: From: To: Location:

**REL521 Buddhist Meditation Practicum**

Course Description: Lab-comparable component to the study of Buddhist meditation, providing a hands-on approach to understanding traditional &/or contemporary methods of mental cultivation in a live setting.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: William Chu  
Mode: REMOTE Day: M From: 9 AM To: 11:50 AM Location:

**REL600 History & Theory of the Study of Religion**

Course Description: Explores how scholars have approached religious practice & thought within the traditions & within the academic community. Religion is examined in relation to cross-cultural studies as well as the competing claims of objective data & subjective awareness.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: R From: 2 PM To: 4 PM Location:

**REL641 Topics in Buddhist Studies**

Course Description: Seminar in special area of interest in Buddhist Studies. Topic to be announced each semester. Course may be taken a maximum of three times for credit with advisor approval.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): BTHE 600 or REL 600

Section Instructor: Lewis Lancaster  
Mode: REMOTE Day: F From: 7 PM To: 9 PM Location:

**REL645 Seminar: Regional Buddhist Traditions**

Course Description: A regional study of Buddhism & Buddhist traditions. Regional focus is announced each semester & may include India, Southeast Asia, Central Asia, & East Asia.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): REL600 or 606; Waived for BC

Section Instructor: William Chu  
Mode: REMOTE Day: W From: 9 AM To: 11:45 AM Location:

Section Instructor: Shou-Jen Kuo  
Mode: CAMPUS Day: T From: 2:30 PM To: 5:20 PM Location:

**REL647 Seminar: Indian Mahayana Buddhism**

Course Description: A study of the rise of Mahayana Buddhism, ca. 100 CE, and its spread throughout India and beyond, with special emphasis on the development of the "Perfection of Wisdom" school of Buddhism and the Bodhisattva doctrine.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s):

Section Instructor: Miroj Shakya  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T From: 9 AM To: 11:50 AM Location:

**REL698A Dissertation Proposal Seminar**

Course Description: Focuses on development of the dissertation proposal. Includes selection of a topic, development of an original argument, situating one's topic in relation to existing scholarship, & Buddhist-inspired strategies for writing & completing the project.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Program advisor approval

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
Mode: HY-CARE Day:T From: 2 PM To: 4:50 PM Location:

**REL698B Dissertation Writing Seminar**

Course Description: Review & develop strategies for dissertation writing. Topics include Buddhist-inspired strategies for writing & completing the dissertation. Students are expected to complete a solid draft of one chapter of their dissertation or analogous goal.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy Status

Section Instructor: Jane Iwamura  
Mode: REMOTE Day:T From: 10 AM To: 12:50 PM Location:

**REL705 Qualifying Examination Preparation**

Course Description: Individual study for PhD qualifying examination preparation.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Chair's approval

Section Instructor: Miroj Shakya  
Mode: REMOTE Day: From: To: Location:

**REL710 Dissertation Research**

Course Description: Research for the dissertation. Upon advancement to candidacy & after completion of all coursework, students maintain continuous enrollment by registering for this course each semester until successful completion of 12-unit research requirement.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy Status

Section	Instructor: Shou-Jen Kuo				
	Mode: REMOTE	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

**REL715 Continuous Enrollment Research**

Course Description: Required for PhD students who have successfully completed all course & research requirements but must remain in continuous enrollment each semester until completion of exam, dissertation, etc.

Units: 1-3 Prerequisite(s): Candidacy Status

Section	Instructor: Shou-Jen Kuo				
	Mode: RSRC-SJK	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

Section	Instructor: Miroj Shakya				
	Mode: RSRC-MS	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

Section	Instructor: Shou-Jen Kuo				
	Mode: HY-CARE	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

**SNSK500A First Year Sanskrit I**

Course Description: Introduction to the devanagari script as well as the phonology, morphology, & syntax of the Sanskrit language with the goal of developing a reading knowledge of Sanskrit.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section	Instructor: Miroj Shakya				
	Mode: CAMPUS	Day: M	From: 9 AM	To: 11:50 AM	Location:

**SOC100****Introduction to Sociology**

Course Description: Study of social influences on human behavior focusing on cross-cultural examination of social patterns & processes, structure & function, conflict & change in society, & multicultural interaction.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): ENGL101 w/C or higher

Section      Instructor: Kanae Omura  
 Mode: CAMPUS      Day: T R      From: 1 PM      To: 2:20 PM      Location:

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**SRVLG100****Service Learning**

Course Description: Supervised service learning experiences in the local community. Examines social justice issues such as violence against women, hunger, homelessness, & environmental justice. Learning is both theoretical & experiential.

Units: 1      Prerequisite(s): none

Section      Instructor: Christopher Johnson  
 Mode: CAMPUS      Day: M      From: 5 PM      To: 6 PM      Location:

**TESOL400****Fndns of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**

Course Description: Explores current TESOL perspectives for English language teachers. Course focuses on second language acquisition theories, describing learners & teachers, managing learners, & learning resources in the classroom & focusing on the language.

Units: 3      Prerequisite(s): LANG301

Section      Instructor: William Kennedy  
 Mode: CAMPUS      Day: M W      From: 9:30 AM      To: 10:50 AM      Location:

Section      Instructor: William Kennedy  
 Mode: CAMPUS      Day: T      From: 1 PM      To: 3:50 PM      Location:

**TESOL420 Methods of Teaching Second Languages**

Course Description: Examines current principles, methods, approaches & techniques relevant to teaching in an English language learning classroom. Emphasis is placed on applying such methodologies in curriculum design, classroom management, & language assessment.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): LANG301

Section Instructor: Shana Wright  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:R From: 1 PM To:3:50 PM Location:

Section Instructor: Shana Wright  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T R From: 4 PM To: 5:20 PM Location:

**TIB500A First Year Tibetan I**

Course Description: Fundamentals of Tibetan, including recognition & handwriting of 30 Tibetan letters & four vowel symbols, & the methods of pronunciation & rules of spelling.

Units: 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing

Section Instructor: Tenzin Chopel  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:F From: 10 AM To:12:50 PM Location:

**WELL100 Yoga for Body & Mind**

Course Description: Basic Hatha Yoga includes pranayama (breathing techniques) combined with asanas (physical postures), meditation, & relaxation. Appropriate for all levels, emphasizing proper alignment, modifications, & restorative elements, renewing the mind & body.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): none

Section Instructor: Joanne Kwoh-Maysami  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:T From: 4:30 PM To:5:30 PM Location:

**WELL103 Expressive Arts & Movement**

Course Description: Introduction to basic principles of Expressive Arts, including visual art, movement, poetry, & theater. Emphasis is placed on process & self-expression, fostering empowerment & community through experiential learning & cultural inclusivity.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): none

Section Instructor: Sarah Ford  
Mode: CAMPUS Day:W From: 5 PM To: 6 PM Location:



**WELL130 Willpower**

Course Description: Cultivation of willpower to control choices, manage stress, & make positive life changes. Emphasizes an understanding of the latest scientific research while discarding damaging myths & beliefs. Students apply principles learned to a personal challenge.

Units: 1 Prerequisite(s): none

Section	Instructor: Kanae Omura				
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**WEXP499 Work Experience**

Course Description: For students working to gain skills & experience integral to their course of study. Performance evaluated by site supervisor & faculty of record.

Units: 1 - 3 Prerequisite(s): Chair's approval; DSO approval if F-1.

Section	Instructor: Yue-Yun (Bill) Chen				
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Section	Instructor: Staff Staff				
	Mode: WEXP	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

**WEXP599 Advanced Work Experience**

Course Description: For students working to gain skills & experience integral to their course of study. Performance evaluated by site supervisor & faculty of record.

Units: 1 - 3 Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing; Chair's approval; DSO approval if F-1.

Section	Instructor: Yue-Yun (Bill) Chen				
	Mode: GWEXP	Day:	From:	To:	Location:

Section	Instructor: Staff Staff				
	Mode: GWEXP	Day:	From:	To:	Location: