

ILA Courses 2026 for the International Specialization Program

Registration Code		Course Name	Class	Year	Term	Instructor	R= Required E= Elective	Credits	Ex= Exercise L= Lecture P= Practical training
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●Foundation Courses > Academic and Research Skills									
I 200I I 03	003	Academic Presentations and Debate	③	1 -	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	Ex
I 200I I 03	004	Academic Presentations and Debate	④	1 -	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	Ex
I 200I I 04	003	Academic Writing	③	1 -	Fall	Celeste BEBOSO	E	2	Ex
I 200I I 04	004	Academic Writing	④	1 -	Fall	Celeste BEBOSO	E	2	Ex
I 200I I 05		Mathematical Methods for the Social Sciences		1 -	Fall	Takehiko NAKAMA	E	2	Ex/L
I 200I I 07		Introduction to Social, Political, and Economic Thought		1 -	Fall	Huseyin RASIT	E	2	L
I 200I I 08		Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics		1 -	Fall	Federica SGARBI	E	2	L
I 200I I 09		Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods		2 -	Fall	Xinzhe HUANG	E	2	L
I 200I I 10		Introduction to Quantitative Research Methods		2 -	Fall	Takehiko NAKAMA	E	2	L
●Foundation Courses > Understanding Japan and Kyoto									
I 200I I 16		Geography of Japan		1 -	Fall	Taro FUTAMURA	E	2	L
I 200I I 17		Nature and the Environment in Japan		1 -	Fall	Hiroaki ISHII	E	2	L
I 200I I 18		Religion in Japan		1 -	Fall	Catherine LUDVIK	E	2	L
I 200I I 19	002	Understanding and Experiencing Work in Japan	②	2 -	Fall	Not Offered	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Introductory									
I 200I 201		What Makes Humans Human?		1 -	Fall	Xinzhe HUANG	E	2	L
I 200I 203		Manga and Anime Studies		1 -	Fall	Omar Yusef BAKER	E	2	L
I 200I 205		Introduction to the Arts		1 -	Fall	Haruhisa KAWAMURA	E	2	L
I 200I 206		Introduction to Media and Communications		1 -	Fall	José R.A. ERNULT	E	2	L
I 200I 208		World Civilizations		1 -	Fall	Masumi IZUMI	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Intermediate									
I 200I 209		Media in Japan		2 -	Fall	Urszula FREY	E	2	L
I 200I 210		Japanese and World Literature		2 -	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	L
I 200I 214		Social Foundations of Language		2 -	Fall	Gregory POOLE	E	2	L
I 200I 216		Modern Japanese History		2 -	Fall	David UVA	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Advanced									
I 200I 218		Nations and Nationalism		3 -	Fall	David UVA	E	2	L
I 200I 219		Advanced Themes in Anthropology		3 -	Fall	Gregory POOLE	E	2	L
I 200I 224		Migration and Transnationalism		3 -	Fall	Aiko KAJI	E	2	L

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●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Introductory									
I 200I 30I		Introduction to Contemporary Economics and Business		I -	Fall	Marcelo FUKUSHIMA	E	2	L
I 200I 302		Introduction to the Japanese Economy		I -	Fall	I-Chun CHEN	E	2	L
I 200I 304		Microeconomics		I -	Fall	Colin DAVIS	E	2	L
I 200I 306		Introduction to Business Administration		I -	Fall	Natsuko TOKAJI	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Intermediate									
I 200I 309		Consumers and the Market in Japan		2-	Fall	Tadashi YAGI	E	2	L
I 200I 3I0		Ecology and Economy in Japan		2-	Fall	Tamara LITVINENKO	E	2	L
I 200I 3I I		Industry and Labor in Japan		2-	Fall	Diane HARING	E	2	L
I 200I 3I 3		The Financial System in Japan		2-	Fall	Yukihiro NISHIMURA	E	2	L
I 200I 3I 5		Introduction to Marketing		2-	Fall	Binh NGHIEM-PHU	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Advanced									
I 200I 3I 7		Economic Growth		3-	Fall	Colin DAVIS	E	2	L
I 200I 3I 9		Corporate Strategy and Organization		3-	Fall	Natsuko TOKAJI	E	2	L
I 200I 320		Management Accounting in Japan		3-	Fall	Gustavo TANAKA	E	2	L
I 200I 323		Industry and Corporation in Kyoto		3-	Fall	Hadas KUSHELEVICH	E	2	L
I 200I 324		Contemporary Issues in Business and Economics		3-	Fall	Gustavo TANAKA	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Introductory									
I 200I 403		Introduction to Japanese Law		I -	Fall	Hadas KUSHELEVICH	E	2	L
I 200I 404		Power and Politics in Japan		I -	Fall	Taro TSUDA	E	2	L
I 200I 407		Comparative Politics		I -	Fall	Esta Tina OTTMAN	E	2	L
I 200I 408		Peace and Conflict		I -	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Intermediate									
I 200I 409		Citizen Politics in Japan and Beyond		2-	Fall	Robert Tor Erik NORDSTROEM	E	2	L
I 200I 4I 3		International Human Rights Law		2-	Fall	Ho Ching CHEUNG	E	2	L
I 200I 4I 4		Political Behavior, Campaigns and Elections		2-	Fall	Robert Tor Erik NORDSTROEM	E	2	L
I 200I 4I 5		Civic Engagement		2-	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Advanced									
I 200I 4I 8		Mass Media in the Policymaking Process		3-	Fall	Viriya CHEAMPHAN	E	2	L
I 200I 420		International Political Economy		3-	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
I 200I 42I		Development and Law		3-	Fall	Viriya CHEAMPHAN	E	2	L
I 200I 423		Social Movements and Contentious Politics		3-	Fall	Garth WARRIES	E	2	L
●Other Elective Courses									
I 200I 802	094	Special Lecture Series (Zen and Japanese Culture)	94	I -	Fall	Federica SGARBI	E	2	L
I 200I 802	096	Special Lecture Series (Portfolio Theory and Management)	96	I -	Fall	Yukihiro NISHIMURA	E	2	L