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科目名/Subject [JYPE] Japanese Culture A

科目群/Categories JYPF Subject

曜日·講時/Day/Period Wednesday /10:30-12:00

開講年度/Year 2024

セメスター/Semester Fall Semester

単位数/Credit(s)

担当教員(所属) /Instructor (Position)

Koii SHIDARA

対象/Fligibility

使用言語/Language English

備考/Notes

授業題目 /Class Subject Japanese Culture

目的と 概要 /Objectives

and Summary of Class

An exploratory culture course, Japanese Culture A is offered for foreign students to learn about and share insights into various aspects of the living culture of Japan. The course comprises three basic approaches: discussing certain cultural characteristics of the nation; reading some representative literature; and conducting fieldwork at locations of cultural significance. Students can sign up with either Japanese Culture A or Japanese Culture C. In large part, the course contents of both classes alternate between fall and spring semesters. Those students who are here only for the fall semester are allowed to sign up with one class but may join fieldwork activities of the other class if there are openings available.

到達目標 /Goal of Study

Students will gain a new perspective of the culture of this nation by examining the interconnection of various elements including the history and culture of Tohoku Region, rebuilding effort from the 2011 earthquake and tsunami, as well as the intent to reach out to the rest of the world.

Class Schedule 2024:

- 1. 10/2 General course guidance & short lecture "What's in a name?"
 2. 10/9 Reading movie script "Even Unto the World's End"—Sendai's 17th-century mission to the Vatican
 3. 10/16 Surviving the 2011 Tsunami: Reading and discussing survivor accounts
- $4.\,10/23$ "King" of oyster farming: A youth from Okinawa starts up new industry in Ishinomaki $5.\,10/30$ Culture of sake

授業内容

- ・方法と 進度予定 /Contents

5. 11/2 (Sat.) Visiting Miyagi Prefecture's oldest working sake brewery and meet its proprietor
7. 11/6 Coming to terms with the 2011 tsunami: Reading Warm Hands
8/9. 11/9 (Sat.) Full-day fieldwork in Ishinomaki to see rebuilding status from 2011 tsunami effects and to visit the newly reopened museum dedicated to Sendai's mission to the Vatican. Destinations include nursery school, Sant Juan Bautista Museum, Buddhist Dogenin Temple and surrounding communities.

- 10. 11/20 Historical overview of Japan and Tohoku Region
- 11. 11/27 Hiking the Sendai Castle ruins (during class hour)
 12. 12/4 "Millennium Hope Hills"—a coastal green embankment and its cultural roots
- 13. 12/11 Reading novel based on the 17th-century mission to the Vatican
- 14. 1/8 Student presentation15. 1/15 Student presentation

成績評価 方法 /Evaluation

and Class Schedule

Evaluation will be based on attendance, weekly web assignments, final paper and presentation.

教科書 および 参考書 /Textbook and references

No	書名	著者名	出版社	出版 年	ISBN/ISSN	資料種
1.	[Warm Hands]	Miki Onosaki	Pantaka	2013	ISBN 978-4-938532- 34-5	Textbook
2.		Editorial Office of the Ishinomaki Kahoku	Junposha	2014	ISBN9784845113514	Textbook
3.	『Japan: The Story of a Nation』	Edwin O. Reischauer	Tuttle Publishing	2012	ISBN 978-4-8053- 0666-6	Reference
4.	『The Samurai』	Shusaku Endo	New Directions Books	1997	ISBN 978-0-8112- 1346-2	Reference

Books

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> [Strong in the Rain: Surviving Japan's Earthquake, Tsunami, and Fukushima Nuclear Lucy Birmingham et Palgrave 2012 ISBN9780230341869 Reference Macmillan

関連 URL /URL Google Classroom

授業時間外 学修 /Preparation Students are required to post reflections on the topic of each lecture on class web site every week.

and Review

-The university will subsidize part of the cost involved with fieldwork, and transportation arrangements will be determined once semester

その他 /In addition

begins and class size is known.

-Please note that class schedule may need to be revised as semester proceeds due to restrictions related with certain circumstances.

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One-credit courses require 45 hours of study. In lecture and exercise-based classes, one credit consists of 15-30 hours of class time and 30-15 hours of preparation and review outside od class. In laboratory, practical skill classes, one credit consists of 30-45 hours of class time and 15-0 hours of preparation and review outside of class.

