

International Master's
Program in Inter-Asia
Cultural Studies,
University System of
Taiwan (IACS-UST)



About

International Master's Program in Inter-Asia Cultural Studies, University System of Taiwan (IACS-UST) (IACS-UST) seeks to advance new forms of interdisciplinary knowledge that connect academic learning to inter-Asian as well as global problems and contexts. It highlights four curricula clusters: Critical Theory and Asian Modernity, Contemporary Thought-trends and Social Movements, Gender / Sexuality Studies, and Visual Culture Studies. With a pool of 72 outstanding teachers in the humanities and social sciences, IACS offers an ideal environment for students who are interested in the socio-historical-political-cultural studies of Asia in the global context. This program is designed for:

- Students whose interests cut across traditional modes of study in the Humanities and Social Sciences.
- Students who intend to develop sophisticated understandings of various cultural forms and practices through studying diverse cultural texts in critical context
- Students preparing for professional careers in government and cultural organization. °

Program Features

1. Trans-disciplinary, trans-cultural, trans-national cultural studies
2. Outstanding faculty pool
3. Four research clusters
4. Facilitated by four member universities
5. Inspiring and friendly learning environment
6. Immersion in Chinese language and culture
7. Rich resources in Inter-Asia network
8. Scholarship & Financial Aid

Core Faculty

Joyce C.H. LIU
Kuan-Hsing CHEN
Ding-Tzann Lii
Cho-Ying Lee
Pin Chia Feng
Earl Jackson
And more on

Josephine Ho
Nai-Fei Ding
Juliette Yueh-tsen Chung
Hung-Yue Lan
Hans Tao-Ming Huang
NING, YING-BIN

http://140.113.199.26/zh_tw/faculty/research_0/bygroup

Degree Requirements

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MA : The completion of 24 credits of coursework (9 credits in the chosen concentration), and the thesis within four years of registration.

Required Courses:

All incoming students will take

- *Introduction to Inter-Asia Cultural Studies (3 credits)* and
- *Research Methodology and Thesis writing (3 credits)*; exact course titles will be listed in course schedule each semester.

All Students will choose one specialty area from the four major research concentrations in the Program and take at least 9 credits of it.—

1. "Critical Theory and Asian Modernity,"
2. "Contemporary Thought-trends and Social Movements,"
3. "Gender / Sexuality Studies,
4. "Visual Culture Studies

Admission

Important Date

2017 Fall Intake Application					
University	Degree Offered		Application deadline	Results Release	enrollment
	MA	Ph.D			
NCTU	●	●	Mar 31	May 15	Mid- Sep
NTHU	●		Mar 15	Jun 30	
NCU	●		Apr 15	Jun 17	
NYMU	●		Apr 20	Late May	



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Application Requirements:

The Program admits students who hold a BA. (for master's) degree or equivalent qualifications recognized by the Ministry of Education (MOE).

Application Procedures

(1) Prepare all required documents.

(2) Send application to your Preferred University among UST. (NCTU, NTHU, NCU, NYMU)

Ph.D program is open for application through Inter-Asia Culture Studies Group of Inst. Social Research and Cultural Studies, NCTU

(3) Additionally, fill out the Application Form for International Program in Inter-Asia Cultural Studies 2017

(4) Delivering personally or the complete application document must arrive at each university before the deadline.



Application materials should include:

- A completed online application form
- Bachelor and/or Master Degree Certification
- Academic transcript for coursework completed beyond the high school level
- Two letters of recommendation
- Statement of Purpose, research project, area of concentration, and/or advisor.
- Certificate of English proficiency

The minimum requirements (or equivalent) are :

TOEFL PBT 500 / CBT 173 / iBT 73, TOEIC 650 or IELTS

For More Information

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