

## HIST COURSES OFFERED IN SEMESTER 1, 2025-2026

### HIST1205

World History: Civilizations in Contact (E)  
Prof. Joseph Scalice

### HIST1405

History, Heritage and Human Communities (E)  
Prof. Kwong Chi Man  
Prof. Patricia Sauthoff

### HIST2105

Introduction to Modern Chinese History (E)  
Dr. Law Yuen Han

### HIST2107

Introduction to Spatial History (E)  
Prof. Kwong Chi Man

### HIST2305

China and the West since 1500 (E)  
Dr. Ding Jie

### HIST3105

Contemporary China (E)  
Prof. Chu Yik Yi

### HIST3127

Historical Interactions of China and the World (E)  
Prof. Ha Yiming

### HIST3135

The Socialist and Communist Traditions (E)  
Prof. Joseph Scalice

### HIST3205

Themes in Modern European History (E)  
Prof. Nikolaos Mavropoulos

### HIST3207

History of the United States since 1877 (E)  
Prof. Liu Zifeng

### HIST3216

History of Japan since 1912 (E)  
Prof. Noriaki Hoshino

### HIST3226

History of Korea (E)  
Dr. Fan Wing Chung

### HIST3316

Colonialism and Modern Asia (E)  
Prof. Catherine Ladds

### HIST4106/7540

Contemporary Chinese Political Thought (E)  
Prof. Chu Yik Yi

### HIST4135

Topic Studies in Chinese History: An In-depth Study of *Shiji* (P)  
Prof. Chow Kai Wing  
Prof. Lam Kai Yin  
Prof. Lee Kam Keung

### HIST4207

Topic Studies in Asian History: Introduction to AI-Powered Digital Historical Data Processing (E)  
Prof. Kwong Chi Man

### HIST4315

Introduction to Museum Studies (E)  
Prof. Elvan Cobb

**HIST4316**

Global History of the Seas, 1400-1950 (E)  
 Prof. Catherine Ladds

**HIST4406**

Topic Studies in Cultural History: Built Heritage and Its  
 Conservation in Hong Kong (E)  
 Prof. Chung Po Yin

**HIST7310**

Global Colonial and Postcolonial Cultures (E)  
 Prof. Nikolaos Mavropoulos

**HIST7520**

Chinese Culture in  
 Transformation (E)  
 Dr. Liu Yan

**SOSC1006**

Invitation to SOSC (E)  
 Dr. Kwok Kam Chau

## GE COURSES OFFERED IN SEMESTER 1, 2025-2026



### Level 1:

**GFHC1037 / GFCC1037**

The Individual and Society (E)  
 Prof. Orazio Coco

(3 Sessions)

**GFHC1046 / GFCC1046**

An Introduction to Gender,  
 Class, and Race (E)

Dr. Ding Jie

(2 Sessions)

**GFHC1055 / GFCC1055**

Global China in the Modern  
 Age (E)

Dr. Kwok Kam Chau

Dr. Liu Yan

(3 Sessions)

**GTCU2027**

Inter-Asian Contacts and  
 the Invention of Everyday Cultures (E)  
 Dr. Fan Wing Chung

(2 Sessions)

**GTCU2056**

Adventures, Treasures, and  
 Archaeology in China (E)

Prof. Tam Ka Chai

Prof. Patricia Sauthoff

(2 Sessions)



### Level 2:

**GTCU2057**

Rejected "Knowledge" and Ancient Systems of Thought (E)  
 Prof. Adam Craig Schwartz (JAS)

(2 Sessions)

**GTSC2015**

Disease and Public Health in China  
 since 1800 (E)

Dr. Law Yuen Han

(2 Sessions)



# COURSES IN TOPIC STUDIES OFFERED IN SEMESTER 1, 2025-2026

**HIST4135**

**Topic Studies in Chinese History: An In-depth Study of *Shiji* (P)**  
中國史專題：《史記》研究

這個科目選取《史記》中有代表性的篇章，以精讀的方式深入探討《史記》的內容、體例與撰述方法，及司馬遷編著此書的宗旨和經過，從而說明紀傳體對歷代「正史」的影響。藉着本科，可以進一步認識中國史學的特色及其重要性。

Prof. Chow Kai Wing, Prof. Lam Kai Yin, Prof. Lee Kam Keung

**HIST4207**

**Topic Studies in Asian History: Introduction to AI-Powered Digital Historical Data Processing (E)**

This innovative course teaches students to use Artificial Intelligence and related tools to process historical documents about Hong Kong and South China from the 19th and 20th centuries, with a focus on multilingual materials (Chinese, English, and Japanese). Students will learn OCR through prompt engineering, name entity recognition, Python programming, and database design. The course includes hands-on workshops, archive visits, and collaborative research projects using authentic historical materials. Students work in groups to develop digital history projects that demonstrate both technical skills and historical understanding.

Prof. Kwong Chi Man

**HIST4406**

**Topic Studies in Cultural History: Built Heritage and Its Conservation in Hong Kong (E)**

This course explores Hong Kong's rich architectural heritage, examining its historical, cultural, and socio-political significance. Students will engage with key concepts of heritage conservation, such as preservation policies, adaptive reuse, and community engagement. Through case studies of iconic structures, such as colonial-era buildings, temples, shophouses, and urban landmarks, the course will address the challenges of conserving heritage in a rapidly developing metropolis. Discussions will cover legal frameworks, conservation techniques, and the role of stakeholders in shaping the city's built environment. Field visits and expert lectures provide hands-on learning experiences that foster a deeper understanding of heritage conservation in practice.

Prof. Chung Po Yin