CERTIFICATE OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDY IN ASIAN PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGION

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Foundational Requirement (3 s.h.):

Religions of Asia (REL 10230) or Asian Thought (PHIL 09231)

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