

**PAAS 100:**  
**INTRODUCTION TO PACIFIC-ASIAN STUDIES**

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**Course description:**

In this survey course we will examine key figures, movements, and events of Pacific-Asia and its interlocutors through the medium of literature, film, and minutiae.

**Proposed assignments:**

- Pop quizzes: 20 points
- Discussion responses: 20 points
- Attendance 10 points
- Midterm #1: 10 points
- Midterm #2: 10 points
- Final Exam: 30 points
- **Total: 100 points**

**Proposed reading list:**

Helen Siu, Eric Tagliacozzo, Perter Perdue (eds.), "Asia Inside Out: Volumes 1-3" (Harvard University Press 2015 & 2019).

Joshua Barker, Erik Harms, Johan Lindquist (eds.), "Figures of Southeast Asian Modernity" (University of Hawaii Press 2013).

Linh Dinh, "8 Postcards from Vietnam" (Literary Review 45: 4, 2002).