



Japan: The Built Environment, Planning, and the Exploration of Social Justice and Equity

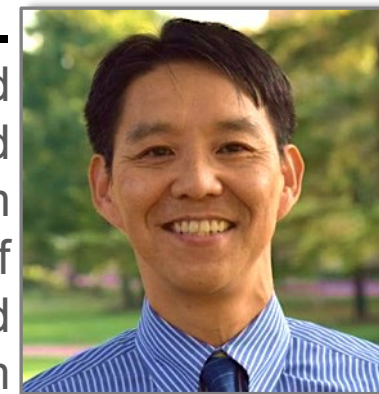


- This program is a unique opportunity for students to learn a variety of issues in the built environment and planning, including but not limited to social issues that arose in the historical and socio-economic contexts in Hiroshima and Kyoto – two major cities with rich history and culture. The City of Hiroshima is well known for its experience with the nuclear bomb in WWII and has been a major advocate for world peace and global justice, which is represented most visibly by the design of the Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park. The City of Kyoto is the old capital of Japan with many temples and shrines, unique architectural styles, and cityscapes.
- Program participants will see architecture, planning, historic preservation, development, and sustainable practices along with historical buildings and sites spanning and representing 4,000 years of cultural development in Japan.
- The second part of the course will be taught in cooperation with Hiroshima University.

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