

Hokkaido University Syllabus					
 Course Title					
Inter-Graduate School Classes(Educational Program):One program for Global Goals					
 Subtitle					
SDGs Field study: Past and Present of Hokkaido -History of Ishikari and Sorachi- (NJE3)					
 Instructor (Institution)					
TANGIKU Itsuji (Center for Ainu & Indigenous Studies)					
 Other Instructors (Institution)					
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 Course Type				 Open To Other Faculties / Schools	OK
 Year	2026	 Semester	1st Semester (Summer Term)	 Course Number	101601
 Type of Class	Seminar	 Number of Credits	2	 Year of Eligible Students	~
 Eligible Department / Class				 Other Information	
 Numbering Code	IGS_IDS 5071				
 Major Category Code	 Major Category Title				
IGS_IDS	Inter-Graduate School Classes_Inter-Disciplinary Sciences				
 Level Code	 Level				
5	Specialized Subjects (basics) in graduate level (Master's Course and Professional Course), Inter-Graduate School Classes				
 Middle Category Code	 Middle Category Title				
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 Small Category Code	 Small Category Title				
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 Language Type					
Classes are in English.					
 Course list by the instructor with practical experiences					

 Key Words

Hokkaido, Ainu people, Indigenous peoples, Sapporo city, Development of Hokkaido, Industrial Development, Coal Mine, culture

 Course Objectives

Sapporo city and the suburban area hold a lot of traces of Indigenous Ainu people's life and several museums exhibit and preserve historic remains and historical sources. You can learn the history of Indigenous Ainu people and the emigration,

settlement, and reclamation of Japanese people (Wajin), and also traces of the achievement of economic development and the culture in the pre-war and post-war time in the central area of Hokkaido through observing historical resources. You can learn through the activity mentioned above by explanation and guidance in English under the cooperation of visiting museums.

You can understand the outline of the history of Hokkaido through learning the history of Sapporo and central area of Hokkaido.

This course offers the basic knowledge to become a mediator between Hokkaido and participants' native country continuously in the future.

■ ■ Course Goals

After taking this course, you will be able to

- Explain the outline of the history of Hokkaido (Ainu, Wajin), from the prehistoric age and its uniqueness in the Japanese history.
- Explain how museums clearly exhibit the results of scientific studies to the citizens.
- Explain the uniqueness of the modern history and culture of Hokkaido.

■ ■ Course Schedule

Day 1: guidance and lecture

Day 2: Visit Hokkaido Museum and Historical Village of Hokkaido (JR)

1. The prehistoric age in Hokkaido
2. The history and culture of the Hokkaido and Sakhalin Ainu people

Day 3: Visit Otaru-city Museum, The Bank of Japan Otaru Museum ,

3. Economic development of Otaru
4. Sakhalin (Karafuto) and Hokkaido

Day 4: Lecture and Discussion, explanation of the assignment.

Day 5: Visit Asahikawa City Museum and Kawamura Kaneto Aynu Memorial Museum (chartered bus)

5. The history of the Ishikari and Sorachi Ainu people

Day 6: Visit Sapporo-city historical sites.

6. The history of Sapporo-city and the Ainu people

- This is last year's schedule. Please note that it is subject to change.

■ ■ Homework

Students are required to read an English booklet with explanation of showpieces of each museum in advance.

■ ■ Grading System

Grades will be given based on comprehensive assessment of class attendance and reports.

report 60%

presentation 20%

discussion 20%

A rubric (an evaluation standard indicating the level of learning achievement) will be incorporated in the grading.

■ ■ Practical experience and utilization for classes

■ ■ Condition of tasking the subject

■ ■ Textbooks

■ ■ Reading List

■ ■ Websites

[This course will be provided as part of the Hokkaido Summer Institute.](#)
[For more information \(invited lecturers, course details, etc.\), please visit the website below:](#)
<https://hokkaidosummerinstitute.oia.hokudai.ac.jp/en/courses/CourseDetail=G102>

■ ■ Website of Laboratory

<https://oggs.oia.hokudai.ac.jp/en/>

■ ■ Additional Information

Admission fee: approximately 3,000 yen (arranged in advance by the university)
Transportation fee: approximately 3,000 yen (uses public transportation)
Fees are subject to change according to circumstances.

This course is under One program for Global Goals (OGGs), but any graduate school students can take this course.

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■ ■ Class Method

face to face