

Course Name	Thinking about Christian Meiji Thinkers		
Semester, Year	Second Semester, 2018	Number of Credits	2 credits
Course level	1000	Course Number	27079
Instructor(s) (Institution)	LA FAY MICHELLE KAY (大学院文学研究科)		
Course Objectives	Students will learn how Japanese in the Meiji and Taisho eras became Protestant Christians and what struggles they faced as a result. Students will investigate how and in what areas these Protestant Christians influenced Japanese society.		
Course Goals	Students will understand how Japanese Christians tried to integrate Christianity into their lives, and by extension, how these processes shaped various areas of society.		
Course Schedule	<p>Week 1: Introduction and class expectations</p> <p>Week 2: Protestant Christianity: An overview</p> <p>Week 3: Protestant Christianity missionaries to Japan</p> <p>Week 4: The Kumamoto Band</p> <p>Week 5: The Yokohama Band</p> <p>Week 6: The Sapporo Band</p> <p>Week 7: Uchimura Kanzo: A case study</p> <p>Week 8: Protestant Christianity and education (1)</p> <p>Week 9: Protestant Christianity and education (2)</p> <p>Week 10 & 11: Student Presentations : How did Protestant Christians affect Japanese society?</p> <p>Week 12: Indigenous Movements (1)</p> <p>Week 13: Indigenous Movements (2)</p> <p>Week 14: Protestant Christianity in Japan today</p> <p>Week 15: Final Interviews</p>		
Homework	Research for presentations and readings will be done outside of class.		
Grading System	<p>Class work: 25%</p> <p>Presentations: 50%</p> <p>Final interview: 25%</p>		
Textbooks / Reading List			
Websites			
Website of Laboratory			
Additional Information			