ASDP/ARC PROFILE

**BLACK HAWK COLLEGE**

**Institution Name:**
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**Brief Institutional Description:** Comprehensive community college with 8,231 credit students. Headcount: 11,439. Full-time Faculty: 133. Part-time faculty: 188. Two campuses: Quad Cities Campus in Moline, Illinois; East Campus in Kewanee, Illinois. Largest geographical community college district in Illinois (2,200 sq. miles).

**Asian/International Stage of Development:**  Curricula on Asia include: Agriculture of Developing Countries; Comparative Religions; Cultural Anthropology; Eastern Literatures in Translation; Global Issues; History of Asia I; History of Asia II; History of the Middle East since 1700; Intercultural Communication; International Business Cultures; Intro to International Business; International Relations; Minority American Literature; Non-European Government; Non-Western Music; Regional Geography; Societies & Psychology of Asia; Survey of Non-Western Art; Survey of Asian Art.

**Recent/Planned Activities:** Since 1990, we have sent more than twenty employees to the ASDP Infusing Institute. Holds an Annual International Festival and Chinese New Year Celebration. History movies on Asian history topics. Hosts Chinese high school students in summer for *Rivers as Bridges* program. Traditional Chinese Culture festival (2013): calligraphy and history of Chinese writing art exhibit, calligraphy and tai chi demonstrations.

**Faculty Active in Asian Studies:** Anthropology: John Hawry, Rachel Horner-Bracket. Art: Melissa Hebert-Johnson (**ASDP alum**), Marilyn Davis (**ASDP alum**). Comparative Religions: Richard Morthland. Economics: Jim Johnson (**ASDP alum**). Government: Joan Eastlund (**ASDP alum**). History: Mark Esposito (**ASDP alum**). Humanities: Galen Leonhardy. Literature: Diana Badur (**ASDP alum**), Nicole Banks (**ASDP alum**). Music: Jim Fudge, Jon Palomaki. Natural Sciences and Engineering: Matlub Ahmad, Xixuan Collins (**ASDP alum**). Psychology: Traci Davis (**ASDP alum**). Sociology: Bruce LeBlanc (**ASDP alum**).