

Recent interest in **Burma** (aka **the Republic of the Union of Myanmar**) has surged. Its geo-political location has attracted the attention of world superpowers such as China, India, and the United States. Its rich religious heritage has drawn serious meditation practitioners and lovers of Buddhist philosophy and literature. Its recent political reforms have opened up lucrative business opportunities and urgent questions about its transition from military dictatorship to democratic governance. There has been no better time to learn more about this fascinating country. The Department of South Asian Studies announces the opening of an Introductory Course in Burmese through the language tutorial. Please contact the instructor and/or attend the first meeting if you are interested or have questions.



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