Centre for Buddhist Studies at Rangjung Yeshe Institute
Fall 2013 course offerings for Boston College program participants

Buddhist Studies:

Mandatory course
• TSTD 101 Buddhist Philosophy and Hermeneutics I (6 credits)
  BC students are expected to take this class, as it gives them the experience of traditional Tibetan Buddhist learning.

Electives
• BSTD 101 Buddhist Traditions: History and Culture I (3 credits)
• BSTD 205 Anthropological Study of Nepalese Religion (Sharkey) (3 credits)
• BSTD 206 Introduction to Tibetan Buddhism (3 credits)
• BSTD 405 Buddhist Art (3 credits)
  BSTD 410 Buddhism and Film (3 credits)
  (NB: Availability of the art course and film course is to be confirmed.)

Additional options
Students with a background in Buddhist Studies (at least one course) have the option to take:
• BSTD 203 Fundamentals of Buddhist Philosophy (3 credits)

Himalayan languages:
BC students must select one of these two spoken language courses, in conjunction with a homestay.
• NLAN 101 Nepali I (3 credits)
• TLAN 103 Colloquial Tibetan I (3 credits)

All courses are subject to final confirmation.