

HISTORY MAJOR (HIST.BA)

<u>Required Courses</u>		<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Prereq.</u>	<u>Rec.Yr.</u>
HIST 131	World History II	3		Fr
HIST 201	Historical Methods	3	HIST or INST major	Soph
HIST 302	Public History	1	HIST major or P/I	Jr
HIST 2**	American History elective, 200 level	3		Soph-Sr
HIST 3**	History elective, 300 level or above	3		Soph-Sr
HIST 3**	History elective, 300 level or above	3		Fr-Sr
HIST 401	Final Year Portfolio Showcase	1	Coreq HIST 497	Sr
^HIST 497	Senior Seminar	3	HIST 201,HISTmaj	Sr
HIST 498	Senior Comprehensive Exam	1	HIST major	Sr

Select one of the following Early American or World History courses

HIST 101	History of United States I	3		Fr
HIST 110	The Colonies to the Republic	3		
HIST 111	Exploring the Long 19 th Century	3		
HIST 130	World History I	3		
HIST 188	100 level topics course in 17 th , and/or 18 th , and/or 19 th Century American or World History			

Select one of the following Modern American History courses

HIST 102	History of United States II	3		Fr
HIST 112	Modern American 20 th Century to Pres	3		
HIST 188	100 level topics course in 19 th , and/or 20 th , and/or 21 st century American History	3		

Select one of the following Global History courses

HIST 230	History of Modern Africa [Lens: CEXP]	3		
HIST 288/388	200 or 300 level topics course in Global History	3		Soph - Sr
HIST 358	History of Modern Middle East	3		
ENGL 337	Modern World Literature [Lens: AEXP]	3		
POLS 233	Gender & Politics around the World [Lens: CEXP]	3		
POLS 334	Sub-Saharan African Politics [Lens: CEXP]	3		
POLS 337	CAS: Latin America & the Caribbean [Lens: CEXP]	3		
POLS 338	CAS: Middle East & North Africa [Lens: CEXP]	3		
POLS 339	CAS: Asia & the Pacific [Lens: CEXP]	3		
POLS 348	Human Rights and International Law [Lens: ETSP]	3		
RELG 240	Judaism & Islam [Lens: ETSP]	3		
RELG 245	Hinduism & Buddhism [Lens: ETSP]	3		

Select one of the following European History courses

HIST 288/388	200 or 300 level topics course in European History	3		Soph - Sr
HIST 204	Medieval History	3		
HIST 228	History of Europe 1789-1890	3		
HIST 232	History of Europe 1890 to present	3		
HIST 325	Eastern Europe since 1900	3		
HIST 355	European Diplomatic History	3		
ENGL 251	British Literature I [Lens: AEXP]	3		
ENGL 252	British Literature II [Lens: AEXP]	3		
ENGL 255	Irish Literature	3		
ENGL 359	19 th Century British Literature	3		
ENGL 350	Shakespeare	3		
POLS 336	CAS: Western Europe [Lens: CEXP]	3		
RELG 253	History of Christianity [Lens: ETSP]	3		

Select one of the following options (3 credits)

HIST 2**	History elective 200 level or above			Soph - Sr
HIST 294	Self-Designed Research Modules (repeatable up to 3 times)			
HIST 395	History Internship			
HIST 396	History Self-Designed Independent Study			

36 total hours

****REMINDERS****

- Credit for HIST 101, 102 may be established by passing the appropriate College Level Examination Program (CLEP) or Advanced Placement (AP) examinations. No more than 6 hours of exam credit may be applied toward a major.
- Students double majoring in history and political science are required to complete Senior Seminars (HIST 497/POLS 499) and Senior Comprehensive Exams for both majors.
- A significant number of lens requirements may be satisfied through courses in the major.

^Satisfies advanced writing requirement

NAME: _____

B.A. Degree: History Major (for students entering in Fall 2026/Spring 2027)

In the "WHAT" column, enter the specific course number when applicable--e.g. HIST 121. In the "WHEN" column, enter the term and year in which the requirement is satisfied--e.g., sp '20.

Liberal Arts Core	
WHAT	WHEN
_____	ENGL 101* w/ C (2.0) [3 hrs]
_____	ENGL 110 w/ C (2.0) [3 hrs]
_____	COMM 211 w/ C (2.0) [3 hrs]
_____	Dept senior seminar/writing course
_____	Met by: _____ HIST 497 [2 hrs]
_____	FYEX 101 [3 hrs]
_____	FYEX 102 [1 hr]
_____	FYEX 103/104/105/106/107 [1 hr]
_____	FYEX 103/104/105/106/107 [1 hr]
_____	Foundational Scientific Inquiry [3-4 hrs]
_____	Foundational Quantitative Analysis [3-4 hrs]
_____	Foundational Humanities & Liberal Arts [3 hrs]
<i>No more than two lens courses may come from same departmental prefix and one lens must be taken at 300 level or above.</i>	
_____	Ethical/Spiritual Explor Lens (ETSP) [3 hrs]
_____	Aesthetic Expression Lens (AEXP) [3 hrs]
_____	Per & Soc Well Being Lens (PSWB) [3 hrs]
_____	Cultural Perspectives Lens (CEXP) [3 hrs]
_____	Experimental Inquiry Lens (EXIN) [3 hrs]
_____	39 - 41 Total semester hours
_____	120 semester hours required for graduation

*Enter NA (not applicable) if waived upon admission

NOTE: A significant number of lens course options may be satisfied through courses in the major, including AEXP, CEXP and ETSP. Please refer to the history major course outline for specifics.

#Lens option in the major

For students classified as transfers, FYEX course requirements are dependent upon total transferrable credit hours.

History Major	
WHAT	WHEN
_____	HIST 131 [3 hrs]
_____	HIST 201 [3 hrs]
_____	HIST 302 [1 hr]
_____	HIST 401 [1 hr]
_____	HIST 497 [3 hrs]
_____	HIST 498 [1 hr]
_____	HIST 101/110/111/130/188-17 th /18 th or 19 th Century American or World History [3 hrs]
_____	HIST 102/112/188-19 th /20 th or 21 st century American History [3 hrs]
_____	HIST #230/288/388- Global History /358/ENGL 337/POLS #233/#334/#337/#338/#339/#348/ RELG #240/#245 [3 hrs]
_____	HIST 204/228/232/288/388-European History/325/355/ENGL #251/#252/255 /359/350/POLS #336/RELG #253 [3 hrs]
_____	200 level HIST elective
_____	OR
_____	HIST 294 [1 hr]
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_____	OR
_____	HIST 395/396 [3 hrs]
_____	Amer HIST elective, 200 level or above [3 hrs]
_____	HIST elective, 300 level or above [3 hrs]
_____	HIST elective, 300 level or above [3 hrs]
_____	36 semester hours

➤Except in specifically approved majors, a maximum of 52 hours in an academic discipline may count toward graduation. Three hours over the limit may count to accommodate an internship in the discipline.

➤ Only six hours of any minor may overlap with the required credit hours of a student's chosen major. The overlap constraint is not applicable to courses that majors or minors MUST take in others departments.

➤Students double-majoring in history and political science are required to complete both Senior Seminars (HIST 497/POLS 499) and Comprehensive Exams for each major.