MAJOR IN HISTORY

In addition to the Core Curriculum requirements, History majors are required to complete 42 units with a grade equivalent of 2.00 or higher. The Bachelor of Arts degree may be earned by adding a foreign language to the major course requirements. The language requirement can be met by completing the intermediate courses (or their equivalent) of a modern foreign language. All History majors may transfer up to 18 units toward the major.

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<td>INTRODUCTION TO HISTORICAL STUDY</td>
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**History Electives - Lower-Level Survey Courses**

Select a minimum of one course in pre-modern history (history prior to 1500)
Select a minimum of one course in U.S. survey from the following:

- HIST 145 or 146 (Core 11)
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- Core 1 (or Core 2)
- Core 3
- Elective

Select a minimum of one course in European survey, for example:

- HIST 101
- HIST 102
- HIST 103

Select a minimum of two courses in global surveys which must be non-U.S. AND non-European history, for example:

- HIST 110
- HIST 111
- HIST 117
- HIST 118
- HIST 121
- HIST 122
- HIST 135
- HIST 160
- HIST 161

**History Electives - Upper-Level Courses**

Select seven upper-level courses including the following:

- A minimum of two courses in pre-modern history (history prior to 1500)
- A minimum of one course in U.S. history
- A minimum of one course in European history
- A minimum of two courses in global history

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**Total Units**

42

1. HIST 300 must be taken during the junior year or equivalent.
2. Of the four required global history courses (two lower-level and two upper-level), students must take at least one course from two of the five sub-regions (Africa, Middle East, Asia, Latin America, World History).
3. HIST 486 must be taken during the senior year.
4. HIST 300 and HIST 486 may not be taken in the same term.

**Suggested Four-Year Plan**

Based on course availability and student needs and preferences, the selected sequences will probably vary from those presented below. Students should consult with their adviser to make the most appropriate elective choices.

**Freshman**

**Term 1**

Select one of the following:

- Core 5
- Core 12

**Units**

3

**Term 2**

- HIST Global Survey Course

**Units**

3

**Sophomore**

**Term 1**

- HIST Global Survey Course

**Units**

3

**Term 2**

- Core 6
- Core 8
- Elective
- Elective

**Units**

15

**Junior**

**Term 1**

- HIST 300 (Core 9)
- HIST Upper-Level, Pre-Modern
- HIST Upper-Level, U.S.

**Units**

3

**Term 2**

- Core 12 (if not taken above)
- Core 14

**Units**

3

**Senior**

**Term 1**

- HIST 486
- HIST Upper-Level, Global
- Upper-Level Elective

**Units**

3
Global Survey Courses: HIST 110, HIST 111, HIST 117, HIST 118, HIST 121, HIST 122, HIST 135, HIST 136, HIST 160, HIST 161, HIST 202, HIST 275 or HIST 277

Pre-Modern Survey Courses: HIST 101, HIST 102, HIST 110, HIST 117, HIST 121, HIST 135, HIST 160 or HIST 275

1. Marshal and arrange appropriate historical evidence from primary and secondary sources to support historical arguments.
2. Demonstrate command of a body of historical knowledge related to major political, economic, social, and cultural events and issues in Western culture.
3. Demonstrate command of a body of historical knowledge related to major political, economic, social, and cultural events and issues in non-Western cultures.
4. Demonstrate information literacy, which includes technological competency.