

Requirements for HISTORY MAJORS (with no concentration) 2016 Catalog to present

Spaces have been provided so you may write in the courses you have completed. Please remember that not all major courses are taught each semester. Consult the Tentative Course Rotation online at the Department of History website to help plan your semester schedule.

HISTORY MAJOR, BA DEGREE

A. General Education Core Requirements. 38 credits.

B. Additional Degree Requirements. 6 credits.

_____ Humanities (3 credits) not in the discipline of the major
_____ Foreign Language (3 credits) at the 202 level or above

C. Major Requirements. 40 credits (plus 4 hours included in General Education).

Core Foundations in Western Civilization and World History/3 credits

_____ Choose one course in Western Civilization:

HIST 100 Foundations of Western Civilization/3 credits (satisfies General Education Goal 7) **or**
HIST 110 Modern Western Civilization/3 credits (satisfies General Education Goal 7)

_____ Choose one of the following courses in Western Civilization or World History:

If you took HIST 100, then choose either HIST 110 Modern Western Civilization **or** HIST 130 World History: 1500 to present.

If you took HIST 110, then choose either HIST 100 Foundations of Western Civilization **or** HIST 120 World History to 1500

Note: HIST 120 or HIST 130 may not be used to satisfy General Education Goal 9 if the course satisfies the major Core Foundation requirement.

Core Major Requirements/7 credits

_____ HIST 221 United States History/3 credits

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_____ HIST 250 Historical Methods/3 credits

_____ HIST 450 Career Preparation in History/1 credit (taken in your last semester of coursework)

Area Electives/18 credits**

American History Electives/6 credits (300 level or above)

European History Electives/6 credits (300 level or above)

Non-Western History Electives/6 credits (200 level or above)

(Credits earned in HIST 490 or HIST 492 may not count for Core Major Requirements.)

****A minimum of six credits of Area Electives must be taken at the 400-level and must be taken in at least two different areas (American, European, Non-Western)**

Additional History Electives/12 credits

(Only three credits of HIST 490 or HIST 492 may count as History Electives.)

_____ One credit from the following three courses (satisfies General Education Goal 14):

HIST 490 Directed or Independent Study/1-18 credits

HIST 492 Internships in History/1-18 credits

HIST 498 Honors Research in History/3 credits (must be approved by the Senior Honors Committee)

D. General Electives: 36 credits.

E. Total credits required for BA in History - 120