

**COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND HUMAN SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY
DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, MAJOR: HISTORY
MAJOR OPTION: UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH/THESIS**

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For students graduating in calendar year 2022 and for student date of entry under UG Catalog 2020-2021.

Name: _____ Last 4 of I.D.# _____ E-mail: _____

Graduation Requirements:

1. Minimum of 120 semester hours for the degree.
2. Minimum of 36 hours in history (maximum of 60 hours).
3. Completion of HIST 2004 and HIST 3914 with a grade of C or above.
4. Students must earn a C- or above for a history course to count toward their major requirements.
5. Overall GPA and in-major GPA of 2.0 or above. The in-major GPA is calculated using all HIST courses.

HISTORY REQUIREMENTS

I. History Core Degree Requirements (21 hours)**

- 1). HIST 1004: Introduction to History (or equivalent) (3 hours) _____
- 2) and 3). History Survey Sequence (1xx5, 1xx6 or 2xx5, 2xx6 or 2374, 2384 sequence)* (6 hours) _____
- 4). HIST 2004: Historical Methods (3 hours) _____
- 5). HIST 3914: Critical Readings and Analysis in History (Pre: HIST 2004) (3 hours) _____
- 6). HIST 4914: History Research Seminar (Pre: HIST 3914 and Junior standing or above) (3 hours) _____
- 7). Complementary Skills (choose 1 of the following): (3 hours) _____
 - a. HIST/SOC/STS 2604: Introduction to Data in Social Context
 - b. HIST 2624: Topics in the History of Data in Social Context
 - c. HIST 3754: Public History
 - d. HIST 3764: Oral History: Methods and Practices
 - e. HIST 3774: Digital History
 - f. Any of the following Foreign Language courses: 2105, 2106, 3105, 3106
 - g. The second introductory semester of a foreign language not used to satisfy the admissions foreign language requirement.

II. Undergraduate Research/Thesis Option/Depth Studies Requirements (24 credit hours)

Requires completion of a significant research project and submission of this project for public presentation or publication. Examples include but are not limited to: 25-50 page thesis, video or audio documentary, web site or other digital project.

1. Research/Thesis Option (6 hours)

Option A – Year-long senior or honors thesis

Undergraduate Research (HIST 4994 or 4994H) (6 hours) _____

Option B – Semester-long project building on work completed in HIST 4914

Undergraduate Research (HIST 4994 or 4994H) (3 hours) _____

History Elective: any 2000-, 3000-, or 4000-level HIST course not used to complete History Core Degree or Depth Studies requirements (3 hours) _____

2. Depth Studies (18 hours)

Choose 2 courses each in 3 of the following groups. We encourage students to take classes that reflect geographic, chronological, and thematic diversity. HIST 1014, 1984, 2984, 3984, 2104, 2114, and 2124 can be substituted to appropriate groups. Please see course schedule or advisor for more information.

HIST Group I (Empires, Colonialism, and Globalization)

(6 hours) _____

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| 1224 Conquest and Cultures in Latin American Empires | 2384 (RLCL 2384) Gandhi and the Making of Modern India | 3294 Roman Britain | 3604 Russia to Peter the Great |
| 2165, 2166 History of France | 2484 Modern Germany | 3364 Age of Revolution and Napoleon | 3614 Imperial Russia |
| 2304 Africa in the Modern World | 3004 Colonial America | 3374 French Empire | 3634 Mau Mau: Colonialism and Rebellion in Kenya |
| 2346 History of the Middle East | 3014 American Revolution | 3554 Age of Globalization | 3864 (AFST 3864) Development and Humanitarianism in Africa |
| 2364 History of Japan | 3274 The Greek City | 3584 Colonial Latin America | |
| | 3314 The Later Roman Empire | 3594 The Rise of Modern Latin America | |
| | 3234 The North American West | | |

HIST Group II (Ideas, Traditions, and Cultures)

(6 hours) _____

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| 2224 (CLA 2224) Greek and Roman Women | Modern World | 2275, 2276 (AFST 2275, 2276) African-American History | 3064 Emergence of Modern America, 1877-1917 |
| 2264 America in the 1960s | 2355, 2356 History of China | 2504 (CRIM 2504) Crime and Punishment in American History | 3084 Recent America, 1914-Present |
| 2234 (CLA 2234) Classics in the | 2374 (RLCL 2374) Gods and Kings in Premodern India | | |

3104 U.S. Social History
3105, 3106 Women in U.S.
History
3124 Murder in American History
3134 Sports in American
History

3155, 3156 History of American
Cities
3164 Sexuality in American
History
3205, 3206 U.S. South

3214 History of Appalachia
3224 History of Virginia
3324 The Medieval World
3334 The Renaissance
3344 The Era of Reformation
3504 (RLCL 3504) The Age of
Crusades

3684 Cultural History of the
Soviet Union and
Successor States
3694 History through Film
3744 Social History of Film

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HIST Group III (Science, Technology, Environment, and Medicine)

2054 Engineering Cultures
2604 (SOC/STS 2604)
Introduction to Data in
Social Context
2624 Topics in the History of
Data in Social Context

2715, 2716 (STS 2715, 2716)
History of Technology
3114 History of Capitalism
3144 American Environmental
History

(6 hours) _____

3624 Health and Illness in
African History
3705, 3706 (STS 3705, 3706)
History of Science
3714 War & Medicine

3724 History of Disease,
Medicine, and Health
3734 (STS 3734) History of
Modern Biology

HIST Group IV (Conflict, War and Peace)

1354 Conflict and Security in
Modern East Asia
2184 History of the Balkans
2345 History of the
Middle East
3054 The American Civil War

3254 The Vietnam War
3284 Roman Revolution
3304 The World of Alexander
3354 Reform and Revolution in
Early Modern England

(6 hours) _____

3394 Europe Since World War II
3494 (JUD 3494) The Holocaust
3524 European Military History
to 1789
3534 Modern Military History
3544 World War II

3564 The Cold War
3644 Twentieth-Century Russia
3654 The Arab-Israeli Conflict
3664 Revolutionary China

Satisfactory Progress Toward Degree:

1. Suggested completion of the Pathways to General Education (45 hours) by end of junior year.
2. Suggested completion of 15 hours of history, including HIST 2004, by semester in which you have attempted 72 hours.
3. GPA of 2.5 or above in all history courses by the end of semester in which you have attempted 18 hrs of history.
4. GPA of 3.0 or above in all history courses by the semester in which you have attempted 96 hours.

Pathways to General Education (45 hours)

Foreign Language

Complete one of the following options:

3 years or more of a single foreign language in high school **OR** 2 years of a single foreign language in high school **plus** 1106 or equivalent in college **IF** <2 years of a single foreign language in high school—must complete 1105-1106 or equivalent in college (**these 6 hours do not count toward the 120 required for graduation**)

CORE CONCEPTS

*1a) Advanced/Applied Discourse (3 hours) _____

1f) Foundational Discourse (6 hours) _____

(NOTE: May complete with ENGL 1105-1106 or 1204H, or COMM 1015-1016)

*2) Critical Thinking in the Humanities (6 hours) _____

*3) Reasoning in the Social Sciences (6 hours) _____

4) Reasoning in the Natural Sciences (6 hours) _____

(NOTE: Must complete 2 non-duplicating courses in a single science; labs not required for major)

5a) Advanced/Applied Quantitative and Computational Thinking (3 hours) _____

*5f) Quantitative and Computational Thinking (6 hours) _____

6a) Critique and Practice in the Arts (3 hours) _____

6d) Critique and Practice in Design (3 hours) _____

*7) Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States (3 hours) _____

* NOTE: With the exception of courses used to satisfy History Core Degree Requirements, area may be met with approved History courses

In accordance with university guidelines, courses satisfying degree requirements may not be double counted to satisfy other areas of a degree (e.g. Pathways).

FREE ELECTIVES 36 -57 hours, depending on courses used to fulfill Pathways requirement.