

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND HUMAN SCIENCES  
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY  
DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY – MAJOR: HISTORY  
For students entering under UG catalog 2021-2022

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduation Requirements:**

1. Minimum of 120 credit hours for the degree.
2. Minimum of 36 credits in history (maximum of 60 credits).
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 credits)\***

- 1). HIST 1004: Introduction to History (or equivalent) (3 credits) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) and 3). History Survey Sequence (1xx5, 1xxx6 **OR** 2xx5, 2xx6 sequence **OR** 2374 and 2384) (6 credits) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4). HIST 2004: Historical Methods (3 credits) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5). HIST 3914: Critical Readings and Analysis in History (3 credits) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Pre: HIST 2004)
- 6). HIST 4914: History Research Seminar (3 credits) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Pre: HIST 3914 and Junior standing or above)
- 7). Complementary Skills (choose 1 of the following): (3 credits) \_\_\_\_\_
  - 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.

\* Classes taken to fulfill the History Core Degree Requirements cannot be used to fulfill Pathways requirements.

**II. History Depth Studies (18 credits)**

Choose 2 courses each in 3 of the following groups. We encourage students to take classes that reflect geographic, chronological, and thematic diversity. All courses are 3 credits.  
*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 credits) _____
1224 Conquest and Culture in Latin American Empires	2384 (RLCL 2384) Gandhi in the Making of Modern India	3234 The North American West	3604 Russia to Peter the Great
2165, 2166 History of France	2484 Modern Germany	3294 Roman Britain	3614 Imperial Russia
2304 Africa in the Modern World	3004 Colonial America	3364 The Age of Revolution and Napoleon	3634 Mau Mau: Colonialism and Rebellion in Kenya
2346 History of the Middle East	3014 The American Revolution	3374 French Empire	3864 (AFST/IS 3864) Development and Humanitarianism in Africa
2364 History of Japan	3174 (AINS 3174) Native American History	3554 Age of Globalization	
	3274 The Greek City	3584 Colonial Latin America	
	3314 The Later Roman Empire	3594 The Rise of Modern Latin America	
HIST Group II (Ideas, Traditions, and Cultures)			(6 credits) _____
2224 (CLA 2224) Greek and Roman Women	2234 (CLA 2234) Classics in the Modern World	2264 America in the 1960s	2374 (RLCL 2374) Gods and Kings in Premodern India
	2244 (CLA 2244) Cities of Rome	2355, 2356 History of China	

2275, 2276 (AFST 2275, 2276) African-American History	3084 Recent America, 1917- Present	3155, 3156 History of American Cities	3504 (RLCL 3504) The Age of Crusades
2504 (CRIM 2504) Crime and Punishment in American History	3104 U.S. Social History 3105, 3106 Women in U.S. History	3164 Sexuality in American History	3684 Cultural History of the Soviet Union and the Successor States
2514 U.S. Food History	3124 (CRIM 3124) Murder in American History	3205, 3206 U.S. South 3214 History of Appalachia	3694 History through Film
3064 Emergence of Modern America, 1877-1917	3134 Sports in American History	3224 History of Virginia 3324 The Medieval World 3334 The Renaissance 3344 The Era of Reformation	3744 Social History of Film

HIST Group III (Science, Technology, Environment, and Medicine)		(6 credits)	_____
2054 (STS 2054) Engineering Cultures	2624 Topics in the History of Data in Social Context	3144 American Environmental History	3714 War & Medicine 3724 History of Disease, Medicine, and Health
2524 History of Agriculture	2715, 2716 (STS 2715, 2716) History of Technology	3624 Health and Illness in African History	3734 (STS 3734) History of Modern Biology
2604 (SOC/STS 2604) Introduction to Data in Social Context	3114 History of Capitalism	3705, 3706 (STS 3705, 3706) History of Science	

HIST Group IV (Conflict, War and Peace)		(6 credits)	_____
1354 Conflict and Security in Modern East Asia	3284 The Roman Revolution	3484 Twentieth-Century Germany	3644 Twentieth-Century Russia
2184 History of the Balkans	3304 The World of Alexander the Great	3494 (JUD 3494) The Holocaust	3654 Arab-Israeli Conflict
2345 History of the Middle East	3354 Reform and Revolution in Early Modern England	3524 European Military History to 1789	3664 Revolutionary China
3054 The American Civil War	3394 Europe Since World War II	3534 Modern Military History	
3254 The Vietnam War		3544 World War II 3564 The Cold War	

**Satisfactory Progress Toward Degree:**

1. Suggested completion of the Pathways to General Education (45 credits) by end of junior year.
2. Suggested completion of 15 hours of history, including HIST 2004, by semester in which you have attempted 72 credits.
3. GPA of 2.5 or above in all history courses by the end of semester in which you have attempted 18 credits of history.
4. GPA of 2.0 or above in all history courses by the semester in which you have attempted 96 credits.

**Pathways to General Education (45 credit 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**)

**Concept 1 – Discourse (9 credit hours) 1F – Foundational \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_ (3) 1A – Advanced/Applied \_\_\_\_ (3)**

*(Note: May complete 1F with ENGL 1105-1106 First-Year Writing, or ENG 1204H Honors Freshman English, or COMM 1015-1016 Communication Skills)*

**Concept 2 – Critical Thinking in the Humanities (6 credit hours) \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_ (3)**

**Concept 3 – Reasoning in the Social Sciences (6 credit hours) \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_ (3)**

**Concept 4 – Reasoning in the Natural Sciences (6 credit hours) \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_ (3)**

**Concept 5 – Quantitative and Computational Thinking (9 credit hours) 5f – Foundational \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_ (3) 5a – Advanced/Applied \_\_\_\_ (3)**

**Concept 6 – Critique and Practice in Design and the Arts (6 credit hours) 6d – Design \_\_\_\_ (3) 6a – Arts \_\_\_\_ (3)**

**Concept 7 – Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States (3 credit hours) \_\_\_\_ (3)**

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

**Free Electives (Remaining credit hours required to complete 120 credit hours required for the degree)**