



COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

HISTORY PROGRAM

PROSPECTUS

The Field

Indispensable to the educated individual, an understanding of history embraces both the development of states and social and cultural institutions. As the story and interpretation of human experience and achievements, history gives perspective to related subjects in the humanities and social sciences.

Usage and Careers

Students may major in History to gain historical knowledge, to acquire the historical method, to pursue research interests, or to prepare for a career in teaching, the professions, or government service.

Why UOG?

The faculty of UOG's History Program seek to prepare students for citizenship and leadership in the community. They also seek to develop programs to serve community needs in the areas of social and economic development, history, culture, and social problems.

The History program offers courses for either a general knowledge of the history of civilization or for a special knowledge of particular topics and limited time periods.

A Bachelor of Arts degrees may be obtained with a major or minor in History.

No additional language requirement exists for students majoring or minoring in History. Majors, however, are encouraged to complete at least two years of a relevant language.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon completing a bachelor's in History, students will be expected to:

1. Be knowledgeable of major historical themes, developments, and events;
2. Read, interpret, and evaluate historical evidence carefully and analytically;
3. Develop skills in conducting independent historical research, including the ability to define a historical problem, locate appropriate evidence, organize information logically, and articulate findings clearly; and
4. Express their historical analyses clearly and persuasively both in written and oral forms.

TRACKS

HISTORY TRACKS

All History majors must meet the requirements of one of the following tracks and should seek [faculty advisement](#) within their respective track:

History

The History track emphasizes the accumulation of in-depth knowledge in multiple fields of historical inquiry as well as considerable training and practice in historical research, analysis, and writing. This track is recommended for students who plan to work in professional fields that require research, writing, and analysis or for students who plan to use the history degree as a step toward law school or graduate studies in fields such as history, anthropology, English literature, political science, or business.

History for Education

The History for Education track consists of similar course requirements to the History track but additionally ensures that students acquire the knowledge needed to meet the national content standards for social studies in secondary education. Students will complete coursework in the fields of history, political science, and geography. Students who choose this track should double major in [Secondary Education](#), complete the BA + program, or obtain a Master of Arts in Teaching after graduation.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

HISTORY TRACK REQUIREMENTS (46 CREDIT HOURS)

Required Courses (31 credit hours)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI121	WORLD HISTORY I	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI122	WORLD HISTORY II	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI201	EARLY AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI202	MODERN AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI308	THE HISTORIANS' CRAFT	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS
HI313	RESEARCH METHODOLOGIES IN HISTORY	3	FALL ONLY/ ODD YEARS
HI371	HISTORY OF EAST ASIA TO 1600	3	FALL ONLY
HI372	HISTORY OF EAST ASIA SINCE 1600	3	SPRING ONLY/ ALL YEARS
HI444	MODERN PACIFIC HISTORY FROM 1850 TO THE PRESENT	3	SPRING ONLY/ EVEN YEARS

Course	Title	Credits
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Course	Title	Credits
HI492	CAPSTONE IN HISTORY	3

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And choice of:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI211	HISTORY OF GUAM	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI243	HISTORY OF MICRONESIA	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

Elective Courses (15 credit hours)

15 credits of any upper division History (HI) courses, which may include:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
PI301	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY I	3	FALL ONLY/ ODD YEARS
PI302	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY II	3	SPRING ONLY/ EVEN YEARS

General Education Requirements (Recommended Courses)

See the **Student Advisement Sheet** for General Education requirements and include under:

Tier II: Direction Building (9-11 credit hours)

1) CF, DF, or UU as prerequisite (can be within a declared major):

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI308	THE HISTORIANS' CRAFT	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

2) DF or major exploration:

One of the following:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI121	WORLD HISTORY I	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI122	WORLD HISTORY II	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS

3) DF or UU exploration outside major requirements (may apply to a minor or second major):

Any courses

Tier III: Capstone Experience

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI492	CAPSTONE IN HISTORY	1 - 3	

HISTORY FOR EDUCATION TRACK REQUIREMENTS (49 CREDIT HOURS)

Required Courses (34 credit hours)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI121	WORLD HISTORY I	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI122	WORLD HISTORY II	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI201	EARLY AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI202	MODERN AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI308	THE HISTORIANS' CRAFT	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS
BA110	PRINCIPLES OF ECONOMICS	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
PS101	INTRODUCTION TO GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
PS202	GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI313	RESEARCH METHODOLOGIES IN HISTORY	3	FALL ONLY/ ODD YEARS

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HISTORY

Choice of:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI211	HISTORY OF GUAM	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI243	HISTORY OF MICRONESIA	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

Choice of:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
GE101	INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
GE201	WORLD REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS

Elective Courses (15 credit hours)

15 credits of any upper division History (HI) courses, which may include:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
PI301	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY I	3	FALL ONLY/ ODD YEARS
PI302	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY II	3	SPRING ONLY/ EVEN YEARS

General Education Requirements (Recommended Courses)

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Tier II: Direction Building (9-11 credit hours)

1) CF, DF, or UU as a prerequisite (can be within a declared major):

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI308	THE HISTORIANS' CRAFT	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

2) DF or major exploration:

One of the following:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
PS101	INTRODUCTION TO GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI121	WORLD HISTORY I	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI122	WORLD HISTORY II	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI243	HISTORY OF MICRONESIA	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

3) DF exploration outside major requirement (may apply to a minor or second major):

Any course

Tier III: Capstone Experience

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI492	CAPSTONE IN HISTORY	1 - 3	

MINOR REQUIREMENTS

HISTORY MINOR REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDIT HOURS)

Required Courses (18 credit hours)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI121	WORLD HISTORY I	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI122	WORLD HISTORY II	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI308	THE HISTORIANS' CRAFT	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

Choice of:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI211	HISTORY OF GUAM	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI243	HISTORY OF MICRONESIA	3	FALL ONLY/ ALL YEARS

Choose one group:

GROUP 1

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI201	EARLY AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS
HI202	MODERN AMERICA	3	FALL/SPRING/ ALL YEARS

GROUP 2

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI371	HISTORY OF EAST ASIA TO 1600	3	FALL ONLY
HI372	HISTORY OF EAST ASIA SINCE 1600	3	SPRING ONLY/ ALL YEARS

GROUP 3

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
HI444	MODERN PACIFIC HISTORY FROM 1850 TO THE PRESENT	3	SPRING ONLY/ EVEN YEARS
HI450	TOPICS IN PACIFIC HISTORY	3	SPRING ONLY/ ALL YEARS

Elective Courses (6 credit hours)

6 credits of any upper division [History \(HI\)](#) courses, which may include:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Term Offered
PI301	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY I	3	FALL ONLY/ ODD YEARS
PI302	HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY II	3	SPRING ONLY/ EVEN YEARS

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