

# B.A. IN HISTORY

*College of Arts and Humanities*

## Curriculum

**General Education Requirements** (<http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements>)

English Composition requirements	6
Mathematics requirement	3
Public Speaking requirement	3
Science requirements	6
Behavioral & Social Science requirements	6
Humanities requirements	6
Arts requirement	3
Diverse Communities requirement	3
Interdisciplinary requirement	3
Student Electives	9
Writing Emphasis requirements	9

### Language Requirement

Demonstrating language proficiency through the intermediate level (202). 0-12

### Major Requirements

HIS 101	History of Civilization I	3
HIS 102	History of Civilization II	3
HIS 151	History of the United States I	3
HIS 152	History of the United States II	3
HIS 300	Varieties of History	3

### History Field of Study

Students choose one of the three primary fields of study listed below:	24
American history primary field of study	
European history primary field of study	
World/regional history primary field of study	

### Related/Cognate Requirements

Under advisement, students take three courses in at least two disciplines related to history (such as American studies, anthropology, art history, economics, geography, literature, music history, philosophy, political science, psychology, sociology, and women's and gender studies). These courses are in addition to those taken to fulfill general education requirements. 9

### Electives

Additional Free Electives to complete 120 semester hours 12-24  
Students in the bachelor of arts in history program can complete an elective course of studies that will lead to social studies teacher certification. See department adviser for details.

**Total Minimum Credits Required** 120

## American History Primary Field of Study

United States History	9	
European History	6	
World/Regional History	6	
HIS 400	Seminar in History	3
Total Credits	24	

## European History Primary Field of Study

European History	9	
United States History	6	
World/Regional History	6	
HIS 400	Seminar in History	3
Total Credits	24	

## World/Regional History Primary Field of Study

World/Regional History	9	
European History	6	
United States History	6	
HIS 400	Seminar in History	3
Total Credits	24	

## United States History Courses

HIS 329	Gender and Peace	3
HIS 343	Colonial America	3
HIS 344	History of Pennsylvania	3
HIS 352	Modern American Military History	3
HIS 356	U.S. Environmental History	3
HIS 357	Diplomatic History of the United States	3
HIS 358	Economic History of the United States	3
HIS 360	Technology and American Life	3
HIS 361	Constitutional History of the United States	3
HIS 362	Violence in America	3
HIS 364	U.S. Urban History	3
HIS 365	American Popular Culture in the 20th Century	3
HIS 366	The Turbulent Sixties	3
HIS 367	American Material Culture	3
HIS 368	Gay America	3
HIS 369	American West	3
HIS 370	American Indians	3
HIS 371	Manhood in America	3
HIS 373	African-American History	3
HIS 376	American History at the Movies	3
HIS 378	Revolutionary America	3
HIS 380	History of U.S. Involvement in the Middle East	3
HIS 390	History on the Web	3
HIS 399	Topics in U.S. History	3
HIS 410	Independent Study in History	1-3
HIS 413	Atomic America	3
HIS 414	History of Health and Medicine	3
HIS 415	History of Science	3
HIS 440	American Jewish History	3
HIS 444	History of American Education	3
HIS 450	Internship In History	1-3
HIS 451	Women In History	3
HIS 458	History Of The Cold War	3
HIS 460	Field Studies In History	3
HIS 474	American Religions	3
HIS 480	Digital History	3

## European History Courses

HIS 318	The Ancient World	3
HIS 319	Medieval Europe	3
HIS 320	Renaissance and Reformation	3
HIS 321	Everyday Life in Early Modern Europe	3
HIS 323	Austrian Civilization	3
HIS 324	Imperial Russia	3
HIS 328	The French Revolution and Napoleon	3
HIS 329	Gender and Peace	3
HIS 331	20TH Century Europe	3
HIS 332	The Holocaust	3
HIS 390	History on the Web	3

HIS 398	Topics in European History	3
HIS 410	Independent Study in History	1-3
HIS 414	History of Health and Medicine	3
HIS 415	History of Science	3
HIS 416	Crime & Punishment In Europe: 1450-1789	3
HIS 417	Outcasts in Early Modern Europe	3
HIS 421	History Of England To 1688	3
HIS 422	History Of England Since 1688	3
HIS 423	Modern Germany	3
HIS 424	World of Communism	3
HIS 425	Twentieth-Century Russia	3
HIS 427	Modern France: 1789 To Present	3
HIS 428	History Of Spain	3
HIS 434	19th Century Europe	3
HIS 435	European Intellectual History Since 1800	3
HIS 450	Internship In History	1-3
HIS 458	History Of The Cold War	3
HIS 460	Field Studies In History	3
HIS 480	Digital History	3

### World/Regional Courses

HIS 302	Modern India	3
HIS 305	Modern China	3
HIS 306	Chinese Civilization	3
HIS 308	Introduction to the Islamic World	3
HIS 311	History of Africa to 1875	3
HIS 312	History of Africa Since 1875	3
HIS 314	Latin American Women's History	3
HIS 315	Colonial Latin America	3
HIS 316	Modern Latin America	3
HIS 317	History of Mexico	3
HIS 318	The Ancient World	3
HIS 349	The Jew in History	3
HIS 375	A History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict	3
HIS 380	History of U.S. Involvement in the Middle East	3
HIS 390	History on the Web	3
HIS 397	Topics in World History	3
HIS 407	History of Brazil	3
HIS 410	Independent Study in History	1-3
HIS 411	Middle East to 1700	3
HIS 412	Middle East Since 1600	3
HIS 415	History of Science	3
HIS 424	World of Communism	3
HIS 450	Internship In History	1-3
HIS 458	History Of The Cold War	3
HIS 460	Field Studies In History	3
HIS 480	Digital History	3

### Sample Course Plan

To track their individual degree progress, students are advised to access their Degree Progress Report (DPR) via myWCU regularly. For more information, visit [wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport](http://wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport).

The following is a suggested course sequence for this program; course offerings and availability are not guaranteed. Students should consult their academic advisor with any questions.

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Year One</b>		
<b>Semester One</b>		
WRT 120	Effective Writing I	3
HIS 152	History of the United States II	3
Social Science General Education Course		3
Arts General Education Course		3
Language 101		3
Credits		15
<b>Semester Two</b>		
WRT Course		3
HIS 101	History of Civilization I	3
HIS 151	History of the United States I	3
MAT 103	Introduction to Mathematics (or higher)	3
Language 102		3
Credits		15
<b>Year Two</b>		
<b>Semester Three</b>		
HIS 300	Varieties of History	3
HIS 102	History of Civilization II	3
Literature or Philosophy Course		3
Free Elective (optional minor)		3
Language 201		3
Credits		15
<b>Semester Four</b>		
HIS 300/400 level		3
Science General Education Course		3
SPK 208	Public Speaking (or other)	3
Free Elective (optional minor)		3
Language 202		3
Credits		15
<b>Year Three</b>		
<b>Semester Five</b>		
HIS 300/400 level		3
HIS 300/400 level		3
Cognate Course		3
Science General Education Course		3
Diverse Communities Course		3
Credits		15
<b>Semester Six</b>		
HIS 300/400 level		3
HIS 300/400 level		3
Cognate Course		3
Science General Education Course		3
Free Elective (optional minor)		3
Credits		15
<b>Year Four</b>		
<b>Semester Seven</b>		
HIS 300/400 level		3
HIS 300/400 level		3
Cognate Course		3
Free Elective (optional minor)		3
Free Elective (optional minor)		3
Credits		15
<b>Semester Eight</b>		
HIS 400 Seminar in History		3
Interdisciplinary Course		3

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Philosophy or Literature Course	3
Free Elective (optional minor)	3
Free Elective (optional minor)	3
Credits	15
Total Credits	120

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