

Program Pathway – Bachelor of Arts History

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. Highlighted courses have been identified as "key courses." It is strongly advised that students make every effort to pass these courses on the first attempt with a "C" or higher in order to be successful in this program. The milestones listed below each year are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. Missing milestones could prevent you from being eligible for a particular program or could result in a delay in graduation. The Program Pathway serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term.

First Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
ENGL 1101 *	English Composition I	3	Minimum SAT/ACT/Accuplacer scores
MATH 1101 or MATH 1111	Mathematical Modeling or College Algebra	3	Minimum SAT/ACT/Accuplacer scores
HIST 2111 *	US History I	3	ENGL 0999 unless exempt
COMM 1110	Fundamentals of Speech	3	Co-requisite ENGL 0999, unless exempt.
SPAN 1001 or SPAN 1003	Elementary Spanish I or Accelerated Spanish	3	Varies by course selected
PRSP 1010*	Perspective Elective	1	
Semester Total		16	

First Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
ENGL 1102 *	English Composition II	3	ENGL 1101 ('C' or higher)
HIST 2112 *	US History II	3	ENGL 0999 unless exempt
HIST 1111 *	World History I	3	ENGL 0999 unless exempt
POLS 1101	American Government	3	ENGL 0999 unless exempt
SPAN 1002 or SPAN 2001	Elementary Spanish II or Intermediate Spanish I	3	Varies by course selected
Semester Total		15	

First Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet w/Advisor. • Complete ENGL 1101, ENGL 1102, Area A MATH, HIST 2111, and HIST 2112 with a C or better. • Complete Foreign Language Sequence. • Consider joining the Herodotus Society (History Club). • If you are planning to pursue certification to teach grades 6-12, you should change your major to BA History with Secondary Certification. You should also complete COMM 1110 and PSYC 1101 with a C or better in your first year.

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Second Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
HIST 1112*	World History II	3	ENGL 0999 unless exempt
HIST 3000*	The Study of History	3	HIST 2111 & HIST 2112 with a C or better
Literature	Literature Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Co-req w/ ENGL 1102
Lab Science	Lab Science Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	4	Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		13	

Second Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
Humanities or Fine Arts Elective	Literature or Fine Arts elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Varies by Course Selected
Social science	Social Science Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Varies by Course Selected
Lab Science	Lab Science Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	4	Varies by Course Selected
UL U.S. History Elective *	3000/4000 Level U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL non-U.S. History Elective*	3000/4000 Level non-U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		16	

Second Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet with your advisor. • Complete HIST 3000 and at least two other upper level History electives with a C or better. • Discuss History Internships with your advisor and/or Department Chair. • Consider joining Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor Society). • If planning to pursue graduate studies after graduation, explore fields of study and graduate programs. • If planning to enter the job market after graduation, begin exploring career options by discussing career opportunities with your faculty advisor, History instructors, and/or a DSC Career counselor. Also, consider job shadowing or interviewing professionals in the fields that you are most interested. • Attend the Graduate Studies Fair and/or the Career Fair.

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Third Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
Area E Elective	Social Science Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Varies by Course Selected
Area D Elective	Math/Science/Technology Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3 or 4	Varies by Course Selected
UL U.S. History Elective *	3000/4000 Level U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL non-U.S. History Elective*	3000/4000 Level non-U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL History Elective *	3000/4000 Level History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		15-16	

Third Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
Area F Elective	Major Related Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Varies by Course Selected
L.A. General Elective	Any Liberal Arts course at 2000/3000/4000 level – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	Varies by Course Selected
UL U.S. History Elective *	3000/4000 Level U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL non-U.S. History Elective*	3000/4000 Level non-U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL History Elective *	3000/4000 Level History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		15	

Third Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet with your advisor. • Complete six more approved upper level History courses. • Discuss History Internships with your advisor and/or Department Chair. If possible, complete HIST 4000 – History Internship this year. • If planning to pursue graduate studies after graduation, narrow your choices for graduate programs. In addition, begin reviewing application requirements and timelines for application, scholarships/assistantships, financial aid, and housing. Also, schedule and prepare for the GRE, LSAT, or other graduate admission exam required for your intended program. • If planning to enter the job market after graduation, create your resume and attend the Career Fair.

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Fourth Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
L.A. General Elective *	Any Liberal Arts course at 3000/4000 level – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL U.S. History Elective *	3000/4000 Level U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL non-U.S. History Elective*	3000/4000 Level non-U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL History Elective *	3000/4000 Level History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
L.A. General Elective	Any Liberal Arts course at 3000/4000 level – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		15	

Fourth Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
UL U.S. History Elective *	3000/4000 Level U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL non-U.S. History Elective*	3000/4000 Level non-U.S. History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
UL History Elective *	3000/4000 Level History Elective – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Senior Seminar *	Research Seminar Elective – Choose HIST 4900 or HIST 4910 or HIST 4920 or HIST 4930 - See DegreeWorks for area of emphasis	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
L.A. General Elective	Any Liberal Arts course at 2000/3000/4000 level – See DegreeWorks for an approved list	3	HIST 3000, Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		15	

Fourth Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit Graduation Application to Office of Enrollment Services • Discuss History Internships with your advisor and/or Department Chair. If possible, complete HIST 4000 – History Internship this year. Note: HIST 4000 may be repeated up to a maximum of six credit hours. • If planning to pursue graduate studies, you should submit application and supporting materials by advertised due dates. For most schools, these dates will be one year prior to the term of entrance. • If planning to enter the job market after graduation, update your resume, practice mock interviews, and attend the Career Fair.

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