

# History, B.A.

UVU's History Program is dedicated to developing the twenty-first century student. We provide the general student body a broad range of courses that increase global awareness, engagement and informed citizenship, as well as develop critical thinking, writing, and oral expression. In addition, History majors can choose from a large number of in-depth upper division courses that further their content knowledge and expand their abilities to critically analyze past and current events in a variety of regions and nations. In all courses, students and faculty observe the human experience by investigating the diverse historical perspectives of the past and present. History faculty endeavor to teach in ways that foster independent thinking, engage the students with historical conversations and debates, and improve students' ability to communicate in a variety of media. Students who successfully complete our programs will have a valuable set of skills for further study in graduate and professional programs, and careers in public service or private enterprise.

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>120</b>
<b>General Education Requirements</b>		<b>36 Credits</b>
ENGL 1010	Introduction to Academic Writing CC	3
or ENGH 1005	Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC	
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing CC	3
Complete one of the following:		3
MAT 1030	Quantitative Reasoning QL (3)	
MAT 1035	Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra QL (6)	
STAT 1040	Introduction to Statistics QL (3)	
STAT 1045	Introduction to Statistics with Algebra QL (5)	
MATH 1050	College Algebra QL (4)	
MATH 1055	College Algebra with Preliminaries QL (5)	
MATH 1090	College Algebra for Business QL (3)	
Complete one of the following:		3
HIST 1700	American Civilization AS (3)	
HIST 1740	US Economic History AS (3)	
POLS 1000	American Heritage AS (3)	
POLS 1100	American National Government AS (3)	
Complete the following:		
PHIL 2050	Ethics and Values IH	3
HLTH 1100	Personal Health and Wellness TE	2
or EXSC 1097	Fitness for Life TE	
Distribution Courses:		
Biology		3
Physical Science		3
Additional Biology or Physical Science		3
Humanities Distribution	(Fulfilled by completing Foreign Language Course 202G/2020)	4
Fine Arts Distribution		3
Social/Behavioral Science		3
<b>Discipline Core Requirements</b>		<b>21 Credits</b>
HIST 1500	World History to 1500 SS GI	3
HIST 151G	World History from 1500 to the Present SS GI	3
HIST 2700	US History to 1877 AS	3
HIST 2710	US History since 1877 AS	3
HIST 3010	The Historians Craft WE	3
HIST 4980	Senior Research Thesis Research Component WE	3
HIST 4990	Senior Research Thesis Writing Component	3

**Discipline Elective Requirements****18  
Credits**

European History: complete at least one course in European history		3
HIST 3110	Greek History (3)	
HIST 3130	Roman History (3)	
HIST 3150	Medieval Europe (3)	
HIST 3160	Renaissance and Reformation Europe 1350 to 1600 (3)	
HIST 3170	Absolutism Enlightenment and Revolution Europe from 1600 to 1815 (3)	
HIST 3180	Nineteenth Century Europe (3)	
HIST 3190	Twentieth Century Europe (3)	
HIST 3320	Modern Britain (3)	
HIST 3340	The French Revolution and Napoleon (3)	
HIST 366G	The History of Modern Russia--1864 to Present GI (3)	
HIST 4180	The Italian Renaissance WE (3)	
United States History: complete at least one course in US history		3
HIST 320G	Women in American History to 1870 GI WE (3)	
HIST 321G	Women in American History since 1870 GI (3)	
HIST 322G	History of the American West to 1850 GI WE (3)	
HIST 323G	History of the American West since 1850 GI WE (3)	
HIST 3260	History of Utah (3)	
HIST 3730	American Origins to 1790 (3)	
HIST 3731	US History-Early Republic through the Progressive Era (3)	
HIST 3732	U.S. History-Progressive Era to the 21st Century (3)	
HIST 3740	American Revolution (3)	
HIST 3745	Civil War and Reconstruction (3)	
HIST 3800	Environmental History of the United States (3)	
HIST 382G	American Indian History to 1890 GI (3)	
HIST 384G	American Indian History since 1890 GI (3)	
HIST 466G	Legacies and Reckonings in the American West GI WE (3)	
AIST 327G	Indians of Utah GI (3)	
AIST 3810	Precolumbian America (3)	
AIST 3830	Indians of the Great Plains (3)	
AIST 3850	The Struggle for Self-determination American Indians 1891 to present (3)	
World History: Complete at least one course in world history		3
HIST 204G	Colonial Latin America GI (3)	
HIST 205G	Modern Latin America GI (3)	
HIST 3030	Introduction to African History (3)	
HIST 330G	Mediterranean World 1500-1800 GI (3)	
HIST 3540	History of South Africa (3)	
HIST 421G	The Global Cold War GI (3)	
HIST 430G	Violence and Social Conflict in Latin America GI (3)	
HIST 4310	Violence and War in the Ancient World WE (undefined)	
HIST 461G	Peoples of the Atlantic World 1450-1800 GI (3)	
HIST 463G	Missions and Conversion in Early North America GI (3)	
Special Topics: complete at least one course in a special topic		3
HIST 3020	Public and Digital History (3)	
HIST 320R	Issues and Topics in Global History (3)	
HIST 3440	The History of World War I (3)	
HIST 345G	The History of World War II GI (3)	
HIST 371R	Issues and Topics in American History (3)	
HIST 4130	Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust (3)	
HIST 4140	Genocide in the Twentieth Century (3)	

HIST 420R	Issues and Topics in Global History (3)	
HIST 4320	History of Scientific Thought (3)	
HIST 471R	Special Issues and Topics in American History (3)	
HIST 482R	Public History Internship (2-9)	
HIST 491R	Directed Readings (2-4)	

Complete any two additional upper division History courses 6

**Elective Requirements** **45 Credits**

Complete additional 12 hours of one Foreign Language. 12

Any courses numbered 1000 or higher (15 credits must be upper division) 33

## Graduation Requirements

1. Completion of a minimum of 120 credits, 40 of which must be 3000 level or higher.
2. Minimum UVU GPA of 2.0 upon graduation, with no HIST course grade below a C-.
3. Completion of four semesters of one foreign language.
4. Comply with the catalog's rule on maximum number of years in the program.
5. Minimum of 30 credits must be taken at UVU.
6. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.
7. Successful completion of at least two Writing Enriched courses.

Notes: Students should frequently consult with his/her advisor on program requirements.

## Graduation Plan

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track (<http://www.uvu.edu/wolverinetrack/>).

### First Year

Semester 1		Credit Hours
ENGL 1010 or ENGH 1005	Introduction to Academic Writing CC or Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC	3
Quantitative Reasoning		3
Fine Arts		3
Foreign Language		4
HIST 1500	World History to 1500 SS GI	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>

Semester 2		Credit Hours
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing CC	3
PHIL 205G	Ethics and Values IH GI	3
HIST 2700	US History to 1877 AS	3
HLTH 1100 or EXSC 1097	Personal Health and Wellness TE or Fitness for Life TE	2
Foreign Language		4
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

### Second Year

Semester 3		Credit Hours
Biology		3
HIST 151G	World History from 1500 to the Present SS GI	3
Physical Science		3
HIST 2710	US History since 1877 AS	3
Foreign Language		4
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>

Semester 4		Credit Hours
Additional Biology or Science		3
Social/Behavioral Science		3
HIST 3010	The Historians Craft WE	3
Humanities (Foreign Language)		4
American Institutions		3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>

**Third Year****Semester 5**

U.S. History -upper division	3
European History	3
General Elective	3
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<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>
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**Semester 6**

Special Topics upper-division	3
Upper-division History	3
General Elective	3
General Elective	3
Upper-division Elective	3

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<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>
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**Fourth Year****Semester 7**

HIST 4980	Senior Research Thesis Research Component WE	3
World History		3
General Elective		3
Upper-division Elective		3
Upper-division Elective		3

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<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>
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**Semester 8**

HIST 4990	Senior Research Thesis Writing Component	3
Upper-division History		3
Upper-division Elective		3
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<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>12</b>
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<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>120</b>
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**Program Learning Outcomes**

1. Demonstrate critical reading, analytical thinking, advanced writing, and oral presentation skills.
2. Demonstrate proficiency with multiple historical methodologies.
3. Demonstrate competency in identifying various historical schools of thought (historiography).
4. Conduct and present research in the discipline using primary documents.