

# History

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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.

Lower division courses in U.S. History fill general education requirements for American Institutions; other lower division courses meet the social science distribution requirement. Upper division courses may be applied toward the BA in History, BS in History Education, an emphasis in the four-year Integrated Studies degree, or several interdisciplinary programs, such as American Indian Studies, Peace and Justice Studies, and

American Studies.

## AA/AS Pre Major in History and Political Science 62 CREDITS

### General Education Requirements: 35 Credits

- ENGL 1010 Introduction to Writing 3.0
  - ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing--Humanities/  
Social Sciences 3.0
- or ENGL 2020 Intermediate Writing--Science and  
Technology (3.0)

Complete one of the following: 3.0

- MATH 1030 Quantitative Reasoning  
(recommended for Humanities or  
Arts majors) (3.0)
- MATH 1040 Introduction to Statistics  
(recommended for Social Science  
majors) (3.0)
- MATH 1050 College Algebra (recommended for  
Business, Education, Science, and  
Health Professions majors) (4.0)

Complete one of the following: 3.0

- HIST 2700 US History to 1877 (3.0)
- and HIST 2710 US History since 1877 (3.0)
- HIST 1700 American Civilization (3.0)
- HIST 1740 US Economic History (3.0)
- POLS 1000 American Heritage (3.0)
- POLS 1100 American National Government  
(3.0)

Complete the following:

- PHIL 2050 Ethics and Values 3.0
  - HLTH 1100 Personal Health and Wellness (2.0)
- or PES 1097 Fitness for Life 2.0

Distribution Courses

- Biology 3.0
- Physical Science 3.0
- Additional Biology or Physical Science 3.0
- Humanities Distribution 3.0
- Fine Arts Distribution 3.0
- Social/Behavioral Science 3.0

### Discipline Core Requirements: 16 Credits

- Complete 16 Credits from any ARCH, ECON,  
GEOG, HIST, or POLS courses. 16.0

### Elective Requirements: 11 Credits

- FOR AS DEGREE: Complete any course  
numbered 1000 or higher 11.0
- FOR AA DEGREE: One Foreign Language 10.0
- and Complete any course numbered 1000 or higher 1.0

### Graduation Requirements:

- 1 Completion of a minimum of 62 semester credits.
- 2 Overall grade point average of 2.0 (C) or above.  
(Departments may require a higher GPA.)
- 3 Residency hours -- minimum of 20 credit hours through  
course attendance at UVU.
- 4 Completion of GE and specified departmental  
requirements.
- 5 For the AA degree, completion of 10 credit hours of  
course work from one language.

## BA in History 120 CREDITS

### General Education Requirements: 35 Credits

- ENGL 1010 Introduction to Writing 3.0
  - ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing--Humanities/  
Social Sciences 3.0
- or ENGL 2020 Intermediate Writing--Science and  
Technology (3.0)

Complete one of the following: 3.0

- MATH 1030 Quantitative Reasoning (3.0)
- MATH 1040 Introduction to Statistics (3.0)
- MATH 1050 College Algebra (4.0)

Complete one of the following: 3.0

- HIST 1700 American Civilization (3.0)
- HIST 1740 US Economic History (3.0)
- POLS 1000 American Heritage (3.0)
- POLS 1100 American National Government  
(3.0)

Complete the following:

- PHIL 2050 Ethics and Values 3.0
  - HLTH 1100 Personal Health and Wellness  
(2.0)
- or PES 1097 Fitness for Life 2.0

Distribution Courses

- Biology 3.0
- Physical Science 3.0

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- Additional Biology or Physical Science 3.0
- Humanities Distribution (Fulfilled by completing  
Foreign Language Course 2020) 3.0
- Fine Arts Distribution 3.0
- Social/Behavioral Science 3.0

### Discipline Core Requirements: 15 Credits

- GEOG 1300 Survey of World Geography 3.0
- HIST 1500 World History to 1500 3.0
- HIST 151G World History from 1500 to the  
Present 3.0
- HIST 2700 US History to 1877 3.0
- HIST 2710 US History since 1877 3.0

Emphasis:

Complete one of the following:

- General History 27.0
- Public History 27.0

### Elective Requirements: 43 Credits

- Any courses numbered 1000 or higher (15 credits  
must be upper division). 28.0
- Complete additional 15 hours of one Foreign  
Language. 15.0

### 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 Complete one of the two tracks in the Areas of Study  
requirements.
- 5 Comply with the catalog's rule on maximum number of  
years in the program.
- 6 Minimum of 30 credits must be taken at UVU (at least  
10 of which must be part of the final 45 credits earned).
- 7 Students completing a bachelor degree following the  
2008 or later catalog must complete one course that  
meets the Global/Intercultural Requirement, indicated  
by a course number ending in G.

NOTES:

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

## Emphasis in General History 30 Credits

### Emphasis Requirements: 9 Credits

- HIST 3010 The Nature of History 3.0
- HIST 4980 Senior Research Thesis Research  
Component 3.0
- HIST 4990 Senior Research Thesis-Writing  
Component 3.0

### Emphasis Elective Requirements: 21 Credits

Complete any three upper-division history courses 9.0  
Select at least one course from each Area of Study 12.0

#### A. European History

- HIST 3110 Greek History (3.0)
- HIST 3130 Roman Republic (3.0)
- HIST 3140 Roman Empire (3.0)
- HIST 3150 Medieval Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3160 Renaissance and Reformation--  
Europe 1350 to 1600 (3.0)
- HIST 3170 Absolutism Enlightenment and  
Revolution--Europe from 1600 to  
1815 (3.0)
- HIST 3180 Nineteenth Century Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3190 Twentieth Century Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3320 Modern Britain (3.0)
- HIST 3660 The History of Modern Russia--  
1864 to Present (3.0)

#### B. United States History

- HIST 3200 Women in American History to  
1870 (3.0)
- HIST 3210 Women in American History since  
1870 (3.0)
- HIST 3260 History of Utah (3.0)
- HIST 3460 US Military History (3.0)
- HIST 3520 The United States and Vietnam--  
1945 to Present (3.0)
- HIST 3730 American Origins to 1790 (3.0)
- HIST 3731 United States History 1790-1890  
(3.0)
- HIST 3732 United States History 1890-1945  
(3.0)
- HIST 3733 United States History since 1945  
(3.0)
- HIST 3800 Environmental History of the United  
States (3.0)
- HIST 381G Precolumbian America (3.0)
- HIST 383G Indians of the Great Plains (3.0)

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- HIST 385G The Struggle for Self-determination--American Indians 1891-present (3.0)
  - HIST 3870 Constitutional History to Plessey 1896 (3.0)
  - HIST 3880 Constitutional History since Plessey 1896 (3.0)
  - HIST 4600 Contemporary American Indian Political and Social Issues (3.0)
  - HIST 4620 History of the American West (3.0)
  - HIST 4740 American Revolution (3.0)
  - HIST 4750 Civil War/Reconstruction (3.0)
- C. World History
- HIST 3030 Introduction to African History (3.0)
  - HIST 3040 Colonial Latin America (3.0)
  - HIST 3050 Modern Latin America (3.0)
  - HIST 3430 Middle East History--1914-Present (3.0)
  - HIST 3530 History of Vietnam (3.0)
  - HIST 3540 History of South Africa (3.0)
  - HIST 3610 The Modern History of East Asia (3.0)
  - HIST 4300 Violence and Social Conflict in Latin America (3.0)
  - HIST 4430 History of Iran--1900 to Present (3.0)
- D. Public History/Special Topics
- HIST 3020 Introduction to Public History (3.0)
  - HIST 3450 The History of World War II (3.0)
  - HIST 3550 Memory and History (3.0)
  - HIST 3800 Environmental History of the United States (3.0)
  - HIST 400R History Practicum (3.0)
  - HIST 4100 Jewish History (3.0)
  - HIST 4130 Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust (3.0)
  - HIST 4140 Genocide in the Twentieth Century (3.0)
  - HIST 420R Issues and Topics in Global History (3.0)
  - HIST 4320 History of Scientific Thought (3.0)
  - HIST 4330 Machines in the Making of History (3.0)
  - HIST 435R Issues and Topics in the History of Science (3.0)
  - HIST 471R Special Issues and Topics in American History (3.0)
  - HIST 482R Public History Internship (2.0)
  - HIST 490R Independent Study (1.0)

## Emphasis in Public History 27 Credits

### Emphasis Requirements: 9 Credits

- HIST 3020 Introduction to Public History (3.0) 3.0
- HIST 400R History Practicum (3.0) 3.0
- HIST 482R Public History Internship\* (3.0) 3.0

### Emphasis Elective Requirements: 18 Credits

Complete any other upper-division history courses 9.0  
Complete at least three of the following courses in 9.0

- U.S. History
- HIST 3200 Women in American History to 1870 (3.0)
  - HIST 3210 Women in American History since 1870 (3.0)
  - HIST 3260 History of Utah (3.0)
  - HIST 3460 US Military History (3.0)
  - HIST 3520 The United States and Vietnam--1945 to Present (3.0)
  - HIST 3730 American Origins to 1790 (3.0)
  - HIST 3731 United States History 1790-1890 (3.0)
  - HIST 3732 United States History 1890-1945 (3.0)
  - HIST 3733 United States since 1945 (3.0)
  - HIST 3800 Environmental History of the United States (3.0)
  - HIST 381G Precolumbian America (3.0)
  - HIST 383G Indians of the Great Plains (3.0)
  - HIST 385G The Struggle for Self-determination--American Indians 1891-present (3.0)
  - HIST 3870 Constitutional History to Plessey 1896 (3.0)
  - HIST 3880 Constitutional History since Plessey 1896 (3.0)
  - HIST 4600 Contemporary American Indian Political and Social Issues (3.0)
  - HIST 4620 History of the American West (3.0)

- HIST 4740 American Revolution (3.0)
- HIST 4750 Civil War/Reconstruction (3.0)

### Footnotes:

- \* HIST 482R is a variable credit course. Students concentrating in Public History should arrange for internship experiences that are the equivalent of at least three credit hours.

## BS in History Education 120 CREDITS

### Matriculation Requirements:

- 1 Completion of at least 30 semester hours of college credit, 15 hours of which must be taken at UVU;
- 2 Completion of the Application for Admission to the Bachelor of Science Degree in History Education;
- 3 Completion of HIST 2030 and HIST 2040, or HIST 2700 and HIST 2710;
- 4 Payment of nonrefundable matriculation fee;
- 5 Minimum G.P.A. of 2.75.

### General Education Requirements: 36 Credits

- ENGL 1010 Introduction to Writing 3.0
  - ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing--Humanities/ Social Sciences 3.0
  - or ENGL 2020 Intermediate Writing--Science and Technology (3.0)
  - MATH 1050 College Algebra 4.0
- Complete one of the following:
- HIST 1700 American Civilization (3.0)
  - POLS 1000 American Heritage (3.0)
  - POLS 1100 American National Government (3.0)

### Complete the following:

- PHIL 2050 Ethics and Values 3.0
- HLTH 1100 Personal Health and Wellness (2.0)
- PES 1097 Fitness for Life 2.0

### Distribution Courses

- Biology 3.0
- Physical Science 3.0
- Additional Biology or Physical Science 3.0
- Humanities Distribution 3.0
- ENGL 2510 American Literature before 1865 (3.0)

or ENGL 2520 American Literature after 1865 (3.0)

or ENGL 2610 British Literature before 1800 (3.0)

or ENGL 2620 British Literature after 1800 (3.0)

- Fine Arts Distribution 3.0
- Social/Behavioral Science 3.0
- POLS 1010 Introduction to Political Science (3.0)

or POLS 2200 Introduction to Comparative Politics (3.0)

or POLS 2100 Introduction to International Relations (3.0)

### Discipline Core Requirements: 72 Credits

#### Complete the following:

- GEOG 1300 Survey of World Geography 3.0
- HIST 1740 US Economic History 3.0
- HIST 1500 World History to 1500 3.0
- HIST 151G World History from 1500 to the Present 3.0
- HIST 2700 US History to 1877 3.0
- HIST 2710 US History since 1877 3.0
- HIST 3010 The Nature of History 3.0
- HIST 3260 History of Utah 3.0
- HIST 4250 Teaching History in the Secondary Curriculum 3.0

### Professional Education Courses

- EDSC 2540 Development of the Adolescent Student 2.0
- EDSC 3000 Educational Psychology 3.0
- EDSC 3050 Foundations of American Education 2.0
- EDSC 3250 Instructional Media 2.0
- EDSC 4200 Classroom Management I 1.0
- EDSC 4250 Classroom Management II 1.0
- EDSC 4440 Content Area Reading and Writing 3.0
- EDSC 4450 Multicultural Instruction/ESL 2.0
- EDSC 4550 Secondary Curriculum Instruction and Assessment 4.0
- EDSC 4850 Student Teaching--Secondary (4.0) 8.0
- EDSP 3400 Exceptional Students 2.0

Choose one course from each of the following five 15.0

### AREAS OF STUDY\*:

#### United States\*

- HIST 3200 Women in American History to 1870 (3.0)
- HIST 3210 Women in American History since 1870 (3.0)

- HIST 3260 History of Utah (3.0)
- HIST 3520 The United States and Vietnam--1945 to Present (3.0)
- HIST 3730 American Origins to 1790 (3.0)
- HIST 3731 United States History 1790-1890 (3.0)
- HIST 3732 United States History 1890-1945 (3.0)
- HIST 3733 United States since 1945 (3.0)
- HIST 3800 Environmental History of the United States (3.0)
- HIST 381G Precolumbian America (3.0)
- HIST 383G Indians of the Great Plains (3.0)
- HIST 385G The Struggle for Self-determination--American Indians 1891-present (3.0)
- HIST 3870 Constitutional History to Plessey 1896 (3.0)
- HIST 3880 Constitutional History since Plessey 1896 (3.0)
- HIST 4600 Contemporary American Indian Political and Social Issues (3.0)
- HIST 4620 History of the American West (3.0)
- HIST 4740 American Revolution (3.0)
- HIST 4750 Civil War/Reconstruction (3.0)

### Latin America\*

- HIST 3040 Colonial Latin America (3.0)
- HIST 3050 Modern Latin America (3.0)
- HIST 4300 Violence and Social Conflict in Latin America (3.0)

### Europe/Russia\*

- HIST 3110 Greek History (3.0)
- HIST 3130 Roman Republic (3.0)
- HIST 3140 Roman Empire (3.0)
- HIST 3150 Medieval Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3160 Renaissance and Reformation--Europe 1350 to 1600 (3.0)
- HIST 3170 Absolutism Enlightenment and Revolution--Europe from 1600 to 1815 (3.0)
- HIST 3180 Nineteenth Century Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3190 Twentieth Century Europe (3.0)
- HIST 3320 Modern Britain (3.0)
- HIST 3660 The History of Modern Russia--1864 to Present (3.0)

### Comparative/Topical\*

- HIST 4330 Machines in the Making of History (3.0)
- HIST 3450 The History of World War II (3.0)
- HIST 3800 Environmental History of the United States (3.0)
- HIST 4100 Jewish History (3.0)
- HIST 4130 Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust (3.0)
- HIST 420R Issues and Topics in Global History (3.0)
- HIST 4320 History of Scientific Thought (3.0)
- HIST 435R Issues and Topics in the History of Science (3.0)
- HIST 471R Special Issues and Topics in American History (3.0)

### Africa/Asia/Middle East\*

- HIST 3030 Introduction to African History (3.0)
- HIST 3430 Middle East History--1914-Present (3.0)
- HIST 3530 History of Vietnam (3.0)
- HIST 3540 History of South Africa (3.0)
- HIST 3610 The Modern History of East Asia (3.0)
- HIST 4430 History of Iran--1900 to Present (3.0)

### Elective Requirements: 12 Credits

- Any courses numbered 1000 or higher. 12.0

### Graduation Requirements:

- 1 Completion of a minimum of 120 semester credits.
- 2 Overall grade point average of 2.0 (C) or above. (Departments may require a higher GPA.)
- 3 Residency hours -- minimum of 30 credit hours through course attendance at UVU, with at least 10 hours earned in the last 45 hours.
- 4 Completion of GE and specified departmental requirements.
- 5 Students completing a bachelor degree following the 2008 or later catalog must complete one course that meets the Global/Intercultural Requirement, indicated by a course number ending in G. For a complete listing, see page 25.

**Minor in History** 21 CREDITS

**Matriculation Requirements:**

- 1 Successful completion of one history course at UVU.
- 2 Admitted to a bachelor degree program at UVU.

**Discipline Core Requirements:** 12 Credits

- HIST 1500 World History to 1500 3.0
- HIST 151G World History from 1500 to the Present 3.0
- HIST 2700 US History to 1877 3.0
- HIST 2710 US History since 1877 3.0

**Elective Requirements:** 9 Credits

- Any three upper division history courses except HIST 4860 and HIST 4990. 9.0

**Graduation Requirements:**

- 1 Complete all history courses with a grade of "C-" or better.

**BA/BS in Integrated Studies** 123 CREDITS

The following Integrated Studies Emphasis is available (see the Integrated Studies section of this catalog for complete degree requirement listings.)

**Emphasis in History** 18 Credits

**Discipline Core Requirements:** 18 Credits

History Emphasis

Complete one of the following: 3.0

- HIST 3010 The Nature of History (3.0)
- or HIST 3260 History of Utah (3.0)
- or See Advisor

Complete an additional 15 credits from any HIST course 3000 or higher (see advisor) 15.0

See Course Descriptions section of the catalog for detailed course information. This department manages the following course prefixes:

- ARCH, Archaeology
- GEOG, Geography
- HIST, History
- POLS, Political Science
- SOSC, Social Science