

# BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH A MAJOR IN HISTORY (BA)

## Degree Requirements

CIP: 54.0101.00

## Hours Required

A minimum of 120 semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)" section of this catalog.

## Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
<b>[University Core Curriculum] (<a href="https://catalog.tamtu.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/">https://catalog.tamtu.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/</a>)</b>		
Select 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation." History majors must choose GEOG 1303 as their Social Behavioral Science Elective		42
<b>Life &amp; Physical Science Lab</b>		
Select 1 SCH compatible with a Life & Physical Science course		1
<b>Foreign Language/Study Abroad</b>		
Students must complete 6 SCH to fulfill the foreign language requirement/study abroad requirement. This may be met by completing one of the following options:		6
1. Foreign Language Coursework: Students may take up to 6 SCH of foreign language* coursework (not credit by exam).		
2. Study Abroad: Students may take up to 6 SCH in any subject through a TAMU-approved study abroad program, provided they live in another country for at least 2 weeks.		
3. Foreign Language/ Study Abroad Coursework: Students may combine 3 SCH of study abroad with 3 SCH of foreign language coursework, following the guidelines previously provided.		
<b>Major</b>		
HIST 2301	Texas History	3
HIST 2321	Eastern Civilizations	3
HIST 2322	Western Civilization	3
HIST 3303	Historical Methods-WIN	3
HIST 4310	Historical Perspectives-WIN	3
<b>Directed Electives</b>		
Select 6 hours from the following:		6
HIST 2328	Mexican Amer History 1845-Pres	
HIST 2381	African American History	
HIST 2389	Applied History	
<b>International HIST</b>		
Select 9 SCH from the following:		9
HIST 3330	Colonial Latin America	
HIST 3331	Modern Latin America	
HIST 3332	Mexico	

HIST 3333	Central America & Caribbean	
HIST 3340	World Cultural History	
HIST 3352	World Historical Biography	
HIST 3353	World History and Film	
HIST 3379	World Intellectual History	
HIST 3386	World Immigration History	
HIST 3391	Islamic Civil 600-1400 CE	
HIST 3392	Contemporary Islamic World	
HIST 3393	History of Africa to 1880	
HIST 3394	History of Africa Since 1880	
HIST 3395	Contemporary South Asia	
HIST 3396	Borders & Identities in India	
HIST 4336	Greek History	
HIST 4337	Roman History	
HIST 4338	The Middle Ages	
HIST 4339	Renaissance & Reformation Euro	
HIST 4340	European Age of Enlightenment	
HIST 4341	19th-Century Europe	
HIST 4342	Modern Europe: 1914-1990	
HIST 4380	Women in the African Diaspora	
HIST 4385	European Women's History	
HIST 4391	Seminar in World History	
HIST 4392	Seminar in European History	
HIST 4393	Sem. in Latin American History	
HIST 4394	Seminar in Eastern History	
<b>US History</b>		
Select 9 SCH from the following:		9
HIST 3305	Introduction to Public History	
HIST 3310	Military History of the US	
HIST 3341	U.S. Cultural History	
HIST 3354	U.S. Historical Biography	
HIST 3355	U.S. History and Film	
HIST 3370	U.S. Women's History	
HIST 3371	History of US Workers	
HIST 3375	U.S. Southern History	
HIST 3380	Intellectual History of the US	
HIST 3381	Sport and US History	
HIST 3387	U.S. Immigration History	
HIST 4316	Colonial America: Dis-1763	
HIST 4317	Am Rev/Early Nat Era 1763-1815	
HIST 4318	Age of Jackson to Civil War	
HIST 4350	North American Borderlands	
HIST 4366	United States, 1865-1914	
HIST 4367	United States, 1914-1945	
HIST 4368	United States Since 1945	
HIST 4389	Environmental History of US	
HIST 4390	Seminar in US History	

## Minor

Select a minimum of 18 SCH from one discipline at least twelve of which must be at the 3000-4000 level. See Appendix C. Instead of a minor, students may complete 18 SCH of electives, 12 SCH of which must be at the 3000-4000 level, from any discipline, except the major field, outside the College of Nursing and Health Sciences. 18

**General Elective**

Select 14 SCHs, 12 of them must be at the 3000-4000 level. Students who do not elect to have a minor curriculum may use up to 9 hours of the resulting general electives in their major curriculum 14

**Total Semester Credit Hours 120**

\* Foreign Language/Study Abroad: For Spanish courses, a Spanish placement exam must be taken before course enrollment to identify competency level.

## Four-Year Degree Plan

Following is a suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**, meeting all course prerequisites, and **writing intensive course (WIN)** requirements for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online. (<https://catalog.tamui.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)

**Freshman**

Fall	Semester Credit Hours
ENGL 1301 English Composition I	3
HIST 1301 The US to 1877	3
UNIV 1201 Learn a Global Context I	2
MATH Core Course	3
Foreign Language/Study Abroad	3
Creative Arts	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>17</b>

**Spring**

ENGL 1302 English Composition II	3
GEOG 1303 General World Geography	3
HIST 1302 The US Since 1877	3
UNIV 1302 Signature Course	3
General Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**Sophomore**

Fall	Semester Credit Hours
HIST 2321 Eastern Civilizations	3
PSCI 2305 American National Government	3
Language, Philosophy & Culture	3
Life & Physical Science	3
Life & Physical Science Lab	1
Directed Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>16</b>

**Spring**

HIST 2322 Western Civilization	3
PSCI 2306 American State Government	3

Foreign Language/Study Abroad	3
Life & Physical Science	3
Life & Physical Science Lab	1
Directed Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>16</b>

**Junior**

**Fall**

HIST 2301 Texas History	3
HIST 3303 Historical Methods-WIN	3
HIST - U.S. History Elec	3
Minor/General Elective	3
Adv Minor/General Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**Spring**

HIST - U.S. History Elec	3
HIST - International Hist Elective	3
Adv General Elective	3
Adv General Elective	3
Adv Minor/General Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**Senior**

**Fall**

HIST - International U.S. Hist Elective	3
HIST - International U.S. Hist Elective	3
HIST - U.S. History Elec	3
Adv Minor/General Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	2
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>14</b>

**Spring**

HIST 4310 Historical Perspectives-WIN	3
Adv Minor/General Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	3
<b>Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>12</b>

**Total Semester Credit Hours 120**

\* Students who do not elect to have a minor curriculum may use up to 9 hours of their available electives in additional courses in their major curriculum.

*Actual degree plans may vary depending on availability of courses in a given semester.*

*Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.*