

# HISTORY B.A.

Secondary Education Option

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## GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

### Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: [catalog.uccs.edu](http://catalog.uccs.edu)
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore History: [Home](#) | [Department of History \(uccs.edu\)](#)

Major Requirements			
History Major (30 hours)	Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The History major requires a minimum of 30 credit hours of course work and a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) HIST course work.</li> <li>• History majors are required to have grades of C or better in their history courses.</li> </ul> <p><b>HIST 4990 (Senior Thesis) may not be a transfer course. It is highly recommended that students complete HIST 3001 prior to taking HIST 4990.</b></p>	HIST 1010, 1020, 1025, 1030, 1040, 1050, 1510, 1520, 1530, 1540, 1550, 1560, 1563, 1570, 1575	<i>Complete 6 credit hours from the list below:</i>	6
	Global Histories and Histories of Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Middle East	<i>Complete 6 credit hours from the list below:</i>	6
	Global History	<i>Complete 3 credit hours from the list below:</i>	3
	HIST 4990	Senior Thesis Seminar: Approaches to the Study of History <b>Can only be taken after completing 9 Hours of HIST courses at UCCS.</b>	3
	Upper-Division Electives	<i>Complete an additional 12 hours of upper-division (3000+ level) HIST courses.</i>	12
<b>Education Courses</b> (43 hours)	<b>TELP Core Courses:</b> Complete the core courses before applying to TELP. <i>EDUC 3800 is recommended, but not required, and, if taken, will increase the total hours for the degree.</i>		
<p>Students need to attend a Group Advising Session in the College of Education prior to beginning the Core Courses.</p> <p>NOTE: A grade of "B-" or better must be earned in all Education courses.</p>	EDUC 2000	Introduction to Educational Psychology	3
	EDUC 2700	Schools, Society, and Diversity	3
	EDUC 3900	Early School Diversity Practicum	3
	EDUC 3994	Introduction to Professional Year - Secondary	1
	SPED 3001	Introduction to Special Education	3
	<b>Professional Year Courses:</b> All other course work must be completed before starting the Professional Year. All Professional Year courses should be taken in the specific semester listed.		
	EDUC 4600 (Summer)	Secondary Classroom Management	3
	EDUC 4720 (Summer)	Teaching Reading and Writing in the Content Area	3
	EDUC 4740 (Fall)	Differentiating Instruction for Secondary Teachers	3
	EDUC 4790 (Fall)	Secondary Curriculum, Instruction and Evaluation	3
	EDUC 4840 (Fall)	Secondary Social Studies Methods	3
	EDUC 4900 (Fall)	School Experience – Secondary	3
EDUC 4950 (Spring)	Secondary – Student Teaching	12	

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## General Education and Elective Requirements

<b>Core Writing Requirement</b> (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>)</li> <li>ENGL 1410</li> <li>PORT 3000 (0 Credits) – Writing Portfolio</li> </ul>	
<b>Reasoning Skills</b> (3 hours)	See the degree audit for course options.	
<b>Area Requirements</b> (28 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Humanities – 9 credit hours of which 3 credits must be HUM 3990.</li> <li>Social Sciences – 10 credit hours which must include ECON 1010, ECON 2020, and GES 1980 or 1990</li> <li>Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours of which at least 1 credit must be from a lab course</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.</p>	
<b>Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements</b>	One course from each list (see degree audit). <i>All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.</i>	
<b>Compass Curriculum</b> (12 hours)	<b>Component</b>	<b>Course</b>
	<b>Gateway</b>	GPS 1010
	<b>Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures</b>	See Degree Audit
	<b>Explore – Society, Behavior and Health</b>	PSC 1100
	<b>Explore – Physical and Natural World</b>	See Degree Audit
	<b>Navigate</b>	HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)
	<b>Summit</b>	EDUC 4950 (included in Education requirements)
	<b>Writing Intensive Courses (WIC)</b> <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)</li> <li>HIST 4990 (included in major requirements)</li> </ul>
<b>Inclusiveness</b>	GES 1980 or 1990	
	See Degree Audit	
<b>Sustainability</b>	See Degree Audit	

## FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			GPS 1010	3		ENGL 1410
		ENGL 1310	3		U.S. and Europe Course	3
		U.S. Course	3		Asia, Africa, Latin American, and Middle East Course	3
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		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Explore – Physical and Natural World	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			Global History Course	3		Upper Division (UD) HIST Elective
		ECON 1010	3		ECON 2020	3
		Humanities Elective	3		EDUC 2700	3
		Natural Science Elective w/ lab	4		EDUC 3900	1
		PSC 1100	3		Natural Science Elective	5
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			UD HIST Elective	3		HIST 4990
		UD HIST Elective	3		UD HIST Elective	3
		EDUC 2000	3		EDUC 3900	1
		EDUC 3900	1		EDUC 3994	1
		HUM 3990	3		GES 1980 or GES 1990	4
		Humanities Elective	3		SPED 3001	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			EDUC 4600 & 4720 (TAKEN SUMMER PRIOR)	6		EDUC 4950
		EDUC 4740	3			
		EDUC 4790	3			
		EDUC 4840	3			
		EDUC 4900	3			
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6/12</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>