HISTORY (B.A.)

120 credits of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.0 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.0 major GPA.

Program Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
General Education	on Requirements	36
World Language	s and Cultures Requirements	3-9
Major Requireme	ents	36
Free Electives		45-39
Total Credits		120

Major Requirements

Code	Title C	redits
Introductory Sec	quence	
Writing Requirem	ent	
HIST 100	Writing History	3
American History	Required Course	
HIST 117	History of the United States to 1876	3
or HIST 118	History of the United States Since 1876	
European History	Required Course	
Select one of the	e following:	3
HIST 103	Foundations of Western Civilization	
HIST 105	Emergence of European Civilization, 1500-1914	
HIST 106	Contemporary Europe, 1914 to the Present	
Non Western Hist	tory Required Course	
Select one of the	e following:	3
HIST 108	Introduction to African Civilization	
HIST 112	Introduction to the Modern Middle East	
HIST 114	Early Latin America	
HIST 116	Modern Latin America	
HIST 129	Modern Japan: A History of Japan From the Meij Through the Showa	i
HIST 131	Introduction to Indian Civilization	
HIST 132	Introduction to Chinese Civilization	
HIST 133	Modern Chinese Civilization	
HIST 138	Introduction to Modern South Asia	
HIST 141	Introduction to World History Since 1500	
Elective Sequen	ce	
Select the 4 requ	uirements from the list (see below)	12
Research Seque	nce	
Seminar		
HIST 400	Capstone in History	3
Electives		
Select Research	Sequence electives from the list below.	9
Total Credits		36

Elective Sequence

Code	Title	Credits
Non-Western E	lective	
Select one of the	ne following:	3

HIST 108	Introduction to African Civilization	
HIST 112	Introduction to the Modern Middle East	
HIST 114	Early Latin America	
HIST 116	Modern Latin America	
HIST 129	Modern Japan: A History of Japan From the Meiji Through the Showa	
HIST 131	Introduction to Indian Civilization	
HIST 132	Introduction to Chinese Civilization	
HIST 133	Modern Chinese Civilization	
HIST 138	Introduction to Modern South Asia	
HIST 141	Introduction to World History Since 1500	
HIST 223	Communist Revolution in China	
HIST 225	Politics, Society, and Cinema in the Modern Middle East	
HIST 250	Special Topics in History (only if section addresses a Non-Western subject)	
HIST 260	Screening the Past: Exploring History through Film (only if section addresses a Non-Western subject)	
HIST 300	Research Seminar (only if section addresses a Non-Western subject)	
HIST 330	Chinese Social History Through Literature	
HIST 333	History of Brazil	
HIST 334	Women and Gender in the Middle East: Past and Present	
HIST 339	Seminar in Latin American History	
HIST 340	History of Mexico	
200 Level Elective	•	
Select one of the	following:	3

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	HIST 201	The Crusades	
	HIST 203	History of the United States Civil War	
	HIST 205	Race and Ethnicity in United States History	
	HIST 211	Native American History	
	HIST 212	Social History of the United States	
	HIST 213	Economic History of the United States	
	HIST 214	History of United States Foreign Relations	
	HIST 215	U.S. Women's History	
	HIST 216	Italian America Past and Present	
	HIST 217	African American History	
	HIST 218	Political History of the United States	
	HIST 223	Communist Revolution in China	
	HIST 225	Politics, Society, and Cinema in the Modern Middle East	
	HIST 241	History of Public Health in the United States	
	HIST 245	Science Technology and Society	
	HIST 250	Special Topics in History	
	HIST 260	Screening the Past: Exploring History through Film	
	HIST 270	Introduction to Digital History	
	HIST 290	Historical Thinking and Communication	
	HIST 299	History Study Abroad	

200-300 Level Elective

Select one of the following:		3	
	HIST 201	The Crusades	
	HIST 203	History of the United States Civil War	

	HIST 205	Race and Ethnicity in United States History	
	HIST 211	Native American History	
	HIST 212	Social History of the United States	
	HIST 213	Economic History of the United States	
	HIST 214	History of United States Foreign Relations	
	HIST 215	U.S. Women's History	
	HIST 216	Italian America Past and Present	
	HIST 217	African American History	
	HIST 218	Political History of the United States	
	HIST 223	Communist Revolution in China	
	HIST 225	Politics, Society, and Cinema in the Modern Middle	
		East	
	HIST 241	History of Public Health in the United States	
	HIST 245	Science Technology and Society	
	HIST 250	Special Topics in History	
	HIST 260	Screening the Past: Exploring History through Film	
	HIST 270	Introduction to Digital History	
	HIST 290	Historical Thinking and Communication	
	HIST 299	History Study Abroad	
	HIST 300	Research Seminar	
	HIST 309	Feminist Ideas in Western Thought	
	HIST 312	Historical Geography of the United States	
	HIST 313	Biography in American History	
	HIST 314	Women and Migration	
	HIST 320	American Urban History Since 1880	
	HIST 321	History of American Workers Since 1860	
	HIST 322	Medieval European Civilization 450-1350	
	HIST 323	History of Russia to 1917	
	HIST 324	Russia Since 1917	
	HIST 330	Chinese Social History Through Literature	
	HIST 333	History of Brazil	
	HIST 334	Women and Gender in the Middle East: Past and	
		Present	
	HIST 339	Seminar in Latin American History	
	HIST 340	History of Mexico	
	HIST 342	Frontiers and Borderlands of the Americas	
	HIST 365	History of the Mass-Communication Media in the	
		United States	
3	00 Level Elective	2	
S	elect one of the	following:	3
	HIST 300	Research Seminar	
	HIST 309	Feminist Ideas in Western Thought	
	HIST 312	Historical Geography of the United States	
	HIST 313	Biography in American History	
	HIST 314	Women and Migration	
	HIST 320	American Urban History Since 1880	
	HIST 321	History of American Workers Since 1860	
	HIST 322	Medieval European Civilization 450-1350	
	HIST 323	History of Russia to 1917	
	HIST 324	Russia Since 1917	
	HIST 330	Chinese Social History Through Literature	
	HIST 333	History of Brazil	

Total Credits		12
HIST 365	History of the Mass-Communication Media in the United States	
HIST 342	Frontiers and Borderlands of the Americas	
HIST 340	History of Mexico	
HIST 339	Seminar in Latin American History	
HIST 334	Women and Gender in the Middle East: Past and Present	

Credits

Research Sequence Electives Title

Code

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300	300-400 Level Elective			
Sel	ect one of the	following:	3	
I	HIST 300	Research Seminar		
ŀ	HIST 309	Feminist Ideas in Western Thought		
I	HIST 312	Historical Geography of the United States		
ŀ	HIST 313	Biography in American History		
-	HIST 314	Women and Migration		
I	HIST 320	American Urban History Since 1880		
I	HIST 321	History of American Workers Since 1860		
I	HIST 322	Medieval European Civilization 450-1350		
-	HIST 323	History of Russia to 1917		
ŀ	HIST 324	Russia Since 1917		
I	HIST 330	Chinese Social History Through Literature		
I	HIST 333	History of Brazil		
ı	HIST 334	Women and Gender in the Middle East: Past and Present		
ŀ	HIST 339	Seminar in Latin American History		
I	HIST 340	History of Mexico		
ŀ	HIST 342	Frontiers and Borderlands of the Americas		
ı	HIST 365	History of the Mass-Communication Media in the United States		
I	HIST 401	Kingdoms in the Sun:Sicily and Southern Italy in Antiquity and the Middle Ages		
I	HIST 406	History of Capitalism in the United States		
I	HIST 407	U.S. Immigration History		
I	HIST 408	Independent Study European History		
I	HIST 409	Independent Study Non-Western History		
I	HIST 410	Independent Study in American History		
ı	HIST 411	Cultural and Intellectual History of the United States Since 1880		
I	HIST 413	The Philosophy of History		
I	HIST 415	European Social History		
I	HIST 419	Age of Renaissance, 1350-1517		
I	HIST 420	The Reformation Era, 1500-1650		
ı	HIST 421	Food, Drugs, and Society in Early Modern Europe, 1500-1800		
I	HIST 426	The Nazi Third Reich		
I	HIST 427	The Holocaust, 1939-1945		
I	HIST 430	Revolutions in Latin American History		
I	HIST 432	Development of Japanese Character and Culture		
I	HIST 433	American Colonial History 1607-1763		

	HIST 434	American Revolution and Early Republic,	
		1763-1828	
	HIST 435	The Civil War and Reconstruction Era, 1845-1877	
	HIST 436	The Gilded Age and Progressive Era, 1877-1920	
	HIST 437	The Rise and Decline of the New Deal Order: United States Politics and Society, 1920-1980	
	HIST 443	Internship in History	
	HIST 461	Capstone in Public History	
	HIST 462	Oral History Methods and Analysis	
	HIST 463	Archives and Publics: Theory and Practice	
	HIST 466	Historical Geographic Information Systems and Mapping	
	HIST 499	Special Topics in History	
4	00 Level Elective	es	
S	Select two of the	following:	6
	HIST 401	Kingdoms in the Sun:Sicily and Southern Italy in Antiquity and the Middle Ages	
	HIST 406	History of Capitalism in the United States	
	HIST 407	U.S. Immigration History	
	HIST 408	Independent Study European History	
	HIST 409	Independent Study Non-Western History	
	HIST 410	Independent Study in American History	
	HIST 411	Cultural and Intellectual History of the United States Since 1880	
	HIST 413	The Philosophy of History	
	HIST 415	European Social History	
	HIST 419	Age of Renaissance, 1350-1517	
	HIST 420	The Reformation Era, 1500-1650	
	HIST 421	Food, Drugs, and Society in Early Modern Europe, 1500-1800	
	HIST 426	The Nazi Third Reich	
	HIST 427	The Holocaust, 1939-1945	
	HIST 430	Revolutions in Latin American History	
	HIST 432	Development of Japanese Character and Culture	
	HIST 433	American Colonial History 1607-1763	
	HIST 434	American Revolution and Early Republic, 1763-1828	
	HIST 435	The Civil War and Reconstruction Era, 1845-1877	
	HIST 436	The Gilded Age and Progressive Era, 1877-1920	
	HIST 437	The Rise and Decline of the New Deal Order. United States Politics and Society, 1920-1980	
	HIST 443	Internship in History	
	HIST 461	Capstone in Public History	
	HIST 462	Oral History Methods and Analysis	
	HIST 463	Archives and Publics: Theory and Practice	
	HIST 466	Historical Geographic Information Systems and Mapping	
	HIST 499	Special Topics in History	
T	otal Credits		9

General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill General Education categories. (http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/general-education-requirements-ba-bs/)

Code Title	Credits
A. New Student Seminar	
Complete a 1 credit New Student Seminar course.	1
C. Communication	
1. Writing	3
2. Literature	3
3. Communication	3
D. Fine and Performing Arts	
Complete a 3 credit Fine and Performing Arts course.	3
F. Humanities	
1. Great Works and Their Influences	3
2. Philosophical and Religious Perspectives	3
G. Computer Science	
Complete a 3 credit Computer Science course.	3
H. Mathematics	
Complete a 3 credit Mathematics course.	3
I. Natural Science Laboratory	
Complete a 4 credit Natural Science Laboratory course.	4
J. Physical Education	
Complete a 1 credit Physical Education course.	1
K. Social Science	
1. American and European History	
Fulfilled in the major.	
2. Global Cultural Perspectives	
Fulfilled in the major.	
HIST 108 Introduction to African Civilization	
or HIST 112 Introduction to the Modern Middle East	
or HIST 114 Early Latin America	
or HIST 116 Modern Latin America	
or HIST 132 Introduction to Chinese Civilization	
or HIST 138 Introduction to Modern South Asia	
3. Social Science Perspectives	3
L. Interdisciplinary Studies	
Complete a 3 credit Interdisciplinary Studies course.	3
Total Credits	36

World Languages and Cultures Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill World Languages and Cultures categories. (http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/world-languages-and-cultures-requirements/)

Code Title Credits

World Languages

Based on placement exam complete one or two sequential courses in 3-6 one language.

World Cultures

Fulfilled in the major.

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HIST 108	Introduction to African Civilization
or HIST 112	Introduction to the Modern Middle East
or HIST 114	Early Latin America
or HIST 116	Modern Latin America
or HIST 129	Modern Japan: A History of Japan From the Meiji Through the Showa
or HIST 131	Introduction to Indian Civilization
or HIST 132	Introduction to Chinese Civilization
or HIST 133	Modern Chinese Civilization
or HIST 138	Introduction to Modern South Asia
or HIST 141	Introduction to World History Since 1500

Total Credits 3-6

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This four-year plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years. This plan is a recommendation and students should only use it in consultation with their academic advisor.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits	
GENERAL EDUCATION (A) New Student Seminar. GNED 199		1 GENERAL EDUCATION (C2) Literature		3
GENERAL EDUCATION (C1) Writing: WRIT 105		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (F2) Humanities – Philosophical and Religious Perspectives		3
GENERAL EDUCATION (C3) Communication: CMST 101		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (K2) Social Science – Global Cultural Perspectives		3
GENERAL EDUCATION (D) Fine and Performing Arts		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (K3) Social Science – Social Science Perspectives		3
HIST 100		3 HIST 117 or 118		3
HIST 103, 105, or 106		3		
		16		15

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits	
GENERAL EDUCATION (L) Interdisciplinary Studies		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (F1) Humanities – Great Works and Their Influences		3
World Language I		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (I) Natural Science Laboratory		4
World Cultures		3 World Language II		3
Non-Western History Elective I		3 Non-Western History Elective II		3
200 Level Major Elective		3 200-300 Level Major Elective		3
	1	15		16

	Year	

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits	
GENERAL EDUCATION (H) Mathematics		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (G) Computer Science		3
300 Level Major Elective		3 GENERAL EDUCATION (J) Physical Education		1
Free Elective/Minor course		3 300-400 Level Research Sequence Elective		3
Free Elective/Minor Course		3 Free Elective/Minor Course		3
Free Elective/Minor Course		3 Free Elective/Minor Course		3
		Free Elective/Minor Course		3
	1	5		16

Fourth Year

Fourth Year				
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits	
HIST 400		3 400 Level Research Sequence Elective II		3
400-Level Research Sequence Elective I		3 Free Elective/Minor Course		3
Free Elective/Minor Course		3 Free Elective/Minor Course		3
Free Elective/Minor Course		3 Free Elective/Minor Course		3
Free Elective/Minor Course		3		
	1	5		12

Total Credits 120