

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 |
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| General Education Requirements | | 36 |
| World Languages and Cultures Requirements | | 3-9 |
| Major Requirements | | 36 |
| Free Electives | | 45-39 |
| Total Credits | | 120 |

Major Requirements

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| Introductory Sequence | | |
| <i>Writing Requirement</i> | | |
| HIST 100 | The Study of History | 3 |
| <i>American History Required Course</i> | | |
| HIST 117 | History of the United States to 1876 | 3 |
| or HIST 118 | History of the United States Since 1876 | |
| <i>European History Required Course</i> | | |
| Select one of the following: | | 3 |
| HIST 103 | Foundations of Western Civilization | |
| HIST 105 | Emergence of European Civilization, 1500-1914 | |
| HIST 106 | Contemporary Europe, 1914 to the Present | |
| <i>Non Western History Required Course</i> | | |
| Select one of the 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 | |
| Elective Sequence | | |
| Select the 4 requirements from the list (see below) | | 12 |
| Research Sequence | | |
| <i>Seminar</i> | | |
| HIST 400 | Capstone in History | 3 |
| <i>Electives</i> | | |
| Select Research Sequence electives from the list below. | | 9 |
| Total Credits | | 36 |

Elective Sequence

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| Non-Western Elective | | |
| Select one of the following: | | 3 |

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| 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

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| 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 | |

200-300 Level Elective

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

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| 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 |

300 Level Elective

Select one of the following: 3

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| 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 |

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| 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 |

Total Credits 12**Research Sequence Electives****Code** **Title** **Credits****300-400 Level Elective**

Select one of the following: 3

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| 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 |
| 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 |

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| 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 |
| 400 Level Electives | |
| 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 |

Total 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 recommended 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 |
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| 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 |
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Third 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 |
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Fourth Year

| Fall | Credits | Spring | Credits |
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| 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 | | |
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Total Credits 120