

# HISTORY, MINOR

This minor may only be completed by students admitted to Elementary Education options that include certification in K-9 or Middle Childhood through Early Adolescence. The Department of History is housed in the College of Letters & Science. Students may wish to consult with an undergraduate advisor in the department to discuss course selection and other issues related to this field of study.

Students have numerous advising resources available to them, including both professional and peer advisors. Information on the History advising team, how to contact an advisor, how to schedule an appointment, and drop-in advising hours can be found on the departmental website (<https://history.wisc.edu/undergraduate-program/undergraduate-advising/>). (<https://history.wisc.edu/undergraduate-program/undergraduate-advising/>)

Upcoming career events and internship opportunities are also available on the History Advising Blog (<http://uwhistoryadvising.blogspot.com>).

## HOW TO GET IN

This minor may be completed only by students admitted to the Middle Childhood through Early Adolescence options of Elementary Education. Students admitted to the Content Focus option (<http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/education/curriculum-instruction/elementary-education-bse/elementary-education-middle-childhood-through-early-adolescence-content-focused-minor-bse/>) are asked to identify the minor of their choice when admitted to the program. Students admitted to the other Middle Childhood through Early Adolescence options should fill out a minor declaration form available in the School of Education Student Services office, Room 139 Education Building.

## REQUIREMENTS

The History minor requires a minimum of 24 credits. **No more than three courses may be numbered below 300.** A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 is required, based on all history minor coursework taken on the UW–Madison campus.

### EUROPEAN HISTORY

Complete at least one course; includes British or Russian history.

#### European History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY/ CLASSICS 110	The Ancient Mediterranean	4
HISTORY 111	Culture & Society in the Ancient Mediterranean	3-4
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 112	The World of Late Antiquity (200-900 C.E.)	4
HISTORY 115	Medieval Europe 410-1500	4
HISTORY 119	Europe and the World, 1400-1815	4
HISTORY 120	Europe and the Modern World 1815 to the Present	4
HISTORY 123	English History: England to 1688	3-4

HISTORY 124	British History: 1688 to the Present	4
HIST SCI 201	The Origins of Scientific Thought	3
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (European topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 208	Western Intellectual and Religious History to 1500	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 209	Western Intellectual and Religious History since 1500	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 212	The History of Western Christianity to 1750	4
HISTORY/ JEWISH 220	Introduction to Modern Jewish History	4
HISTORY 223	Explorations in European History (H)	3-4
HISTORY 224	Explorations in European History (S)	3
HISTORY/ GEOG/POLI SCI/ SLAVIC 253	Russia: An Interdisciplinary Survey	4
HISTORY/ GEOG/POLI SCI/ SLAVIC 254	Eastern Europe: An Interdisciplinary Survey	4
HISTORY 270	Eastern Europe since 1900	3-4
HISTORY 271	History Study Abroad: European History	1-4
HISTORY 303	A History of Greek Civilization	3-4
HISTORY 307	A History of Rome	3-4
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4
HISTORY 320	Early Modern France, 1500-1715	3-4
HISTORY/ HIST SCI 323	The Scientific Revolution: From Copernicus to Newton	3
HISTORY/ HIST SCI 324	Science in the Enlightenment	3
HISTORY/ ENVIR ST 328	Environmental History of Europe	3
HISTORY 333	The Renaissance	3-4
HISTORY 348	France from Napoleon to the Great War, 1799-1914	3-4
HISTORY 349	Contemporary France, 1914 to the Present	3-4
HISTORY 350	The First World War and the Shaping of Twentieth-Century Europe	3-4
HISTORY 351	Seventeenth-Century Europe	3-4
HISTORY 357	The Second World War	3-4
HISTORY 358	French Revolution and Napoleon	3-4
HISTORY 359	History of Europe Since 1945	3-4
HISTORY 361	The Emergence of Mod Britain: England 1485-1660	3-4
HISTORY/ INTL ST 366	From Fascism to Today: Social Movements and Politics in Europe	3-4
HISTORY 367	Society and Ideas in Shakespeare's England	3-4
HISTORY/ GEN&WS 392	Women and Gender in Modern Europe	3-4

HISTORY 410	History of Germany, 1871 to the Present	3-4	HISTORY 109	Introduction to U.S. History	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 411	The Enlightenment and Its Critics	3	HISTORY 136	Sport, Recreation, & Society in the United States	3-4
HISTORY 417	History of Russia	3-4	HISTORY 145	America and China, 1776-Today	3-4
HISTORY 418	History of Russia	3-4	HISTORY 150	American Histories: The Nineteenth Century	4
HISTORY 419	History of Soviet Russia	3-4	HISTORY/ CHICLA 151	The North American West to 1850	3-4
HISTORY 420	Russian Social and Intellectual History	3-4	HISTORY/ CHICLA 152	The U.S. West Since 1850	3-4
HISTORY 424	The Soviet Union and the World, 1917-1991	3-4	HISTORY/ CHICLA 153	Latina/Latino/Latinx History	3-4
HISTORY 425	History of Poland and the Baltic Area	3-4	HISTORY/ ASIAN AM 160	Asian American History: Movement and Dislocation	3-4
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 426	The History of Punishment	3-4	HISTORY/ ASIAN AM 161	Asian American History: Settlement and National Belonging	3-4
HISTORY/ SCAND ST 431	History of Scandinavia to 1815	3	HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (U.S. topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ SCAND ST 432	History of Scandinavia Since 1815	3	HISTORY/ JEWISH 213	Jews and American Pop. Culture	3-4
HISTORY 474	European Social History, 1830-1914	3-4	HIST SCI/ MED HIST 218	History of Twentieth Century American Medicine	3
HISTORY 475	European Social History, 1914-Present	3-4	HISTORY/ JEWISH 219	The American Jewish Experience: From Shtetl to Suburb	4
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 476	Medieval Law and Society	3	HISTORY 221	Explorations in American History (H)	3-4
HISTORY/ ED POL 478	Comparative History of Childhood and Adolescence	3	HISTORY 227	Explorations in the History of Race and Ethnicity	3
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 502	Law and Colonialism	3	HISTORY/CHICLA/ GEN&WS 245	Chicana and Latina History	3
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 507	Health, Disease and Healing I	3-4	HISTORY/ASIAN/ ASIAN AM 246	Southeast Asian Refugees of the "Cold" War	4
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 508	Health, Disease and Healing II	3-4	HISTORY/C&E SOC/ POLI SCI/SOC 259	Forward? The Wisconsin Idea, Past and Present	1-3
HISTORY 514	European Cultural History Since 1870	3-4	HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 261	American Legal History to 1860	3
HISTORY/CURRIC/ JEWISH 515	Holocaust: History, Memory and Education	3	HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 262	American Legal History, 1860 to the Present	3
HISTORY/CLASSICS/ RELIG ST 517	Religions of the Ancient Mediterranean	3	HISTORY 269	War, Race, and Religion in Europe and the United States, from the Scramble for Africa to Today	3-4
HISTORY/ JEWISH 518	Anti-Semitism in European Culture, 1700-1945	3	HISTORY 272	History Study Abroad: United States History	1-4
HISTORY/CLASSICS/ HIST SCI/MED HIST/ S&A PHM 561	Greek and Roman Medicine and Pharmacy	3	HIST SCI/ AFROAMER/ MED HIST 275	Science, Medicine, and Race: A History	3
HISTORY/ SCAND ST 577	Contemporary Scandinavia: Politics and History	3-4	HISTORY/AFRICAN/ AFROAMER/ POLI SCI 297	African and African-American Linkages: An Introduction	4

## U.S. HISTORY

Complete at least one course.

### U.S. History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 101	Amer Hist to the Civil War Era, the Origin & Growth of the U S	4
HISTORY 102	American History, Civil War Era to the Present	4
HISTORY/ ED POL 107	The History of the University in the West	3
HISTORY 302	History of American Thought, 1859 to the Present	3-4
HISTORY 305	United States 1914-1945	3-4
HISTORY 306	The United States Since 1945	3-4
HISTORY/ AFROAMER 321	Afro-American History Since 1900	3-4
HISTORY/ AFROAMER 322	Afro-American History to 1900	3-4

HISTORY 329	History of American Capitalism	4
HISTORY/E A STDS/ INTL ST 332	East Asia & The U.S. Since 1899	3-4
HISTORY 344	The Age of the American Revolution, 1763-1789	3-4
HISTORY/ GEN&WS 353	Women and Gender in the U.S. to 1870	3-4
HISTORY/ GEN&WS 354	Women and Gender in the U.S. Since 1870	3-4
HISTORY/CHICLA/ LACIS/POLI SCI 355	Labor in the Americas: US & Mexico in Comparative & Historical Perspective	3
HISTORY/ AFROAMER 393	Slavery, Civil War, and Reconstruction, 1848-1877	3-4
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 394	Science in America	3
HISTORY 403	Immigration and Assimilation in American History	3-4
HISTORY 408	American Labor History: 1900-Present	3-4
HISTORY/ ED POL 412	History of American Education	3
HISTORY/CHICLA/ POLI SCI 422	Latino History and Politics	3
HISTORY 427	The American Military Experience to 1902	3-4
HISTORY 428	The American Military Experience Since 1899	3-4
HISTORY/ENVIR ST/ LEGAL ST 430	Law and Environment: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives	3
HISTORY 434	American Foreign Relations, 1901 to the Present	3-4
HISTORY/ CHICLA 435	Colony, Nation, and Minority: The Puerto Ricans' World	3
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 459	Rule of Law: Philosophical and Historical Models	3-4
HISTORY/ENVIR ST/ GEOG 460	American Environmental History	4
HISTORY/ECON 466	The American Economy Since 1865	3-4
HISTORY/ENVIR ST/ GEOG 469	The Making of the American Landscape	4
HISTORY/ AMER IND 490	American Indian History	3-4
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 504	Society and Health Care in American History	3
HIST SCI/ MED HIST 509	The Development of Public Health in America	3
HIST SCI/ AFROAMER/ MED HIST 523	Race, American Medicine and Public Health	3
HIST SCI/GEN&WS/ MED HIST 531	Women and Health in American History	3
HIST SCI/GEN&WS/ MED HIST 532	The History of the (American) Body	3
HIST SCI/ GEN&WS 537	Childbirth in the United States	3

HISTORY/ JOURN 560	History of U.S. Media	4
HISTORY/L I S 569	History of American Librarianship	3
HISTORY 607	The American Impact Abroad: The Historical Dimension	3
HISTORY/ ED POL 612	History of Student Activism from the Popular Front to Black Lives Matter	3
HISTORY/ AFROAMER 628	History of the Civil Rights Movement in the United States	3

## NON-WESTERN HISTORY (AFRICA, ASIA, LATIN AMERICA, MIDDLE EAST)

Complete one course; Russian history does not fulfill this requirement.

### African History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 105	Introduction to the History of Africa	3-4
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (African topics)	3-4
HISTORY/AFRICAN/ AFROAMER/ ANTHRO/GEOG/ POLI SCI/SOC 277	Africa: An Introductory Survey	4
HISTORY 278	Africans in the Americas, 1492-1808	3-4
HISTORY 279	Afro-Atlantic History, 1808-Present	3-4
HISTORY/AFRICAN/ AFROAMER/ POLI SCI 297	African and African-American Linkages: An Introduction	4
HISTORY 377	History of Africa, 1500 to 1870	3-4
HISTORY 444	History of East Africa	3-4
HISTORY 445	History of Equatorial Africa	3-4

### Central or East Asian History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 103	Introduction to East Asian History: China	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 104	Introduction to East Asian History: Japan	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 108	Introduction to East Asian History - Korea	3-4
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (Central or East Asian topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS/ POLI SCI 255	Introduction to East Asian Civilizations	3-4
HISTORY/GNS 265	An Introduction to Central Asia: From the Silk Route to Afghanistan	3
HISTORY/ASIAN/ ASIAN AM/ E A STDS 276	Chinese Migrations since 1500	3-4
HISTORY/E A STDS/ INTL ST 332	East Asia & The U.S. Since 1899	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 335	The Koreas: Korean War to the 21st Century	3-4

HISTORY 336	Chinese Economic and Business History: From Silk to iPhones	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 337	Social and Intellectual History of China, 589 AD-1919	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 341	History of Modern China, 1800-1949	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 342	History of the Peoples Republic of China, 1949 to the Present	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 363	China and World War II in Asia	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 454	Samurai: History and Image	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 456	Pearl Harbor & Hiroshima: Japan, the US & The Crisis in Asia	3-4

### South or Southeast Asian History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 142	History of South Asia to the Present	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ GEOG/POLI SCI/ SOC 244	Introduction to Southeast Asia: Vietnam to the Philippines	4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ ASIAN AM 246	Southeast Asian Refugees of the "Cold" War	4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ RELIG ST 267	Asian Religions in Global Perspective	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ RELIG ST 308	Introduction to Buddhism	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 319	The Vietnam Wars	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ RELIG ST 438	Buddhism and Society in Southeast Asian History	3-4
HISTORY 450	Making of Modern South Asia	3-4
HISTORY 457	History of Southeast Asia to 1800	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 458	History of Southeast Asia Since 1800	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 463	Topics in South Asian History	3

### Latin American History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 241	Latin America from 1780 to 1940	4
HISTORY/INTL ST/ LACIS 242	Modern Latin America	4
HISTORY/CHICLA/ GEN&WS 245	Chicana and Latina History	3
HISTORY/ AFROAMER/ ANTHRO/C&E SOC/ GEOG/LACIS/ POLI SCI/SOC/ SPANISH 260	Latin America: An Introduction	3-4
HISTORY 278	Africans in the Americas, 1492-1808	3-4
HISTORY 279	Afro-Atlantic History, 1808-Present	3-4
HISTORY/ AFROAMER 347	The Caribbean and its Diasporas	3
HISTORY/CHICLA/ POLI SCI 422	Latino History and Politics	3
HISTORY/ CHICLA 435	Colony, Nation, and Minority: The Puerto Ricans' World	3

HISTORY 441	Revolution and Conflict in Modern Latin America	3-4
HISTORY 533	Multi-Racial Societies in Latin America	3-4
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 564	Disease, Medicine and Public Health in the History of Latin America and the Caribbean	3

### Middle Eastern History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 139	Introduction to the Modern Middle East	3-4
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (Middle Eastern topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 205	The Making of the Islamic World: The Middle East, 500-1500	3-4
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 379	Islam in Iran	3
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 439	Islamic History From the Origin of Islam to the Ottoman Empire	3-4

### ANCIENT/MEDIEVAL HISTORY

Complete one European or Non-Western history course with a focus on the European or Mediterranean area before C.E. 1500 or with the history of Africa or Asia before these areas fell heavily under European influence. This course may also be counted toward the fulfillment of the other distribution requirements above.

### Ancient/Medieval History course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY/ CLASSICS 110	The Ancient Mediterranean	4
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 112	The World of Late Antiquity (200-900 C.E.)	4
HISTORY 115	Medieval Europe 410-1500	4
HISTORY 123	English History: England to 1688	3-4
HISTORY 200	Historical Studies (Ancient/Medieval topics)	3-4
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft (Ancient/Medieval topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 205	The Making of the Islamic World: The Middle East, 500-1500	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 208	Western Intellectual and Religious History to 1500	3-4
HISTORY 223	Explorations in European History (H) (Ancient/Medieval topics)	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 230	Judaism, Christianity, and Islam: Braided Histories	3
HISTORY 303	A History of Greek Civilization	3-4
HISTORY 307	A History of Rome	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ RELIG ST 308	Introduction to Buddhism	3-4

HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4
HIST SCI/ MEDIEVAL 322	Ancient and Medieval Science	3
HISTORY 333	The Renaissance	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 337	Social and Intellectual History of China, 589 AD-1919	3-4
HISTORY/ENGL/ RELIG ST 360	The Anglo-Saxons	3
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 379	Islam in Iran	3
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 426	The History of Punishment	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 439	Islamic History From the Origin of Islam to the Ottoman Empire	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN/ E A STDS 454	Samurai: History and Image	3-4
HISTORY 457	History of Southeast Asia to 1800	3-4
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 459	Rule of Law: Philosophical and Historical Models	3-4
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 476	Medieval Law and Society	3
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST 507	Health, Disease and Healing I	3-4
HISTORY/CLASSICS/ RELIG ST 517	Religions of the Ancient Mediterranean	3
HISTORY/CLASSICS/ HIST SCI/MED HIST/ S&A PHM 561	Greek and Roman Medicine and Pharmacy	3
HISTORY/HIST SCI/ MED HIST/ MEDIEVAL/ S&A PHM 562	Byzantine Medicine and Pharmacy	3

## HISTORICAL RESEARCH

Select one course. This course may also be counted toward the fulfillment of the other distribution requirements above. HISTORY 201 is specifically designed to be a research methods course and is strongly recommended. Multiple topics will be offered every fall and spring under this number.

### Historical Research course options

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 319	The Vietnam Wars	3-4
HISTORY/ GEN&WS 354	Women and Gender in the U.S. Since 1870	3-4
HISTORY 408	American Labor History: 1900-Present	3-4
HISTORY 418	History of Russia	3-4
HISTORY/ASIAN 458	History of Southeast Asia Since 1800	3-4
HISTORY 503	Irish and Scottish Migrations	3
HISTORY/ GEN&WS 519	Sexuality, Modernity and Social Change	3

HISTORY/ AFROAMER 628	History of the Civil Rights Movement in the United States	3
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## ELECTIVES

Complete additional coursework, if necessary, to reach the minimum of 24 credits. It is recommended that students completing the history minor take a one-year continuous course in American history (e.g., HISTORY 101 Amer Hist to the Civil War Era, the Origin & Growth of the U S and HISTORY 102 American History, Civil War Era to the Present).