



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

November 10, 2011

Vice Chancellor J.W. Harrington
University of Washington, Tacoma
Box 358430

Dear J.W.:

Based upon the recommendations of the Faculty Council on Academic Policy, the Faculty Assembly has recommended approval of the revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in History. A copy of the change is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the Office of Academic Affairs is authorized to specify these requirements beginning autumn quarter 2011.

The new requirements should be incorporated in printed statements and in individual department websites as soon as possible. The *General Catalog* website will be updated accordingly by the Registrar's Office.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael K. Young".

Michael K. Young
President

Enclosure

cc: Dr. Larry Knopp (with enclosure)
Dr. Jenny Quinn (with enclosure)
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)
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UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
**CREATING AND CHANGING UNDERGRADUATE
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

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After college/school/campus review, send a signed original and 8 copies to the Curriculum Office/FCAS, Box 355850.

For information about when and how to use this form: <http://depts.washington.edu/uwcr/1503instructions.pdf>

College/Campus UW Tacoma	Department/Unit Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences	Date 9/30/11
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New Programs

- ☐ Leading to a Bachelor of ____ in ____ degree.
- ☐ Leading to a Bachelor of ____ degree with a major in ____.
- ☐ Leading to a ____ Option within the existing major in ____.
- ☐ Leading to a minor in ____.

Changes to Existing Programs

- ☐ New Admission Requirements for the Major in ____ within the Bachelor of ____.
- ☐ Revised Admission Requirements for the Major in ____ within the Bachelor of ____.
- ☒ Revised Program Requirements for the Major in History within the Bachelor of Arts.
- ☐ Revised Requirements for the Option in ____ within the major in ____.
- ☐ Revised Requirements for the Minor in ____.

Other Changes

- ☐ Change name of program from ____ to ____.
- ☐ New or Revised Continuation Policy for ____.
- ☐ Eliminate program in ____.

Proposed Effective Date: **Quarter:** ☒ Autumn ☐ Winter ☐ Spring ☐ Summer **Year: 20 11**

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EXPLANATION OF AND RATIONALE FOR PROPOSED CHANGE

For new program, please include any relevant supporting documentation such as student learning outcomes, projected enrollments, letters of support and departmental handouts. (Use additional pages if necessary).

In the course of the HECBD approval process, a few changes in the requirements for a major in history occurred that were not reflected in the original 1503 document. The changes follow:

35 electives (30 credits of history track courses and 5 credits of history related courses) changed to 35 credits of History Track Courses in either United States, European, Asian, or Self-designed Tracks. 25 of these credits must be upper division. This change was in response to the realization that a student could complete the history major with very few upper division courses.

The catalog copy has been updated with new course prefixes, course title changes, and additional history related courses.

TIAS 496 Internship was added to the course lists of all four tracks.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED

List all departments/units/ or co-accredited programs affected by your new program or changes to your existing program and acquire the signature of the chair/director of each department/unit listed. Attach additional page(s) if necessary. *See online instructions.

Department/Unit:	Chair/Program Director:	Date:
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CATALOG COPY

Catalog Copy as currently written. Include only sections/paragraphs that would be changed if your request is approved. Please cross out or otherwise highlight any deletions.

See attached.

PROPOSED CATALOG COPY

Reflecting requested changes (Include exact wording as you wish it to be shown in the printed catalog. Please underline or otherwise highlight any additions. If needed, attach a separate, expanded version of the changes that might appear in department publications).
Please note: all copy will be edited to reflect uniform style in the General Catalog.

See attached.

APPROVALS

Chair/Program Director:

Date:

10/6/11

College/School/Campus Curriculum Committee:

Date:

10/25/11

Dean/Vice Chancellor:

Date:

27 Oct 2011

Faculty Council on Academic Standards/ General Faculty Organization/Faculty Assembly Chair:

Date:

27 Oct 2011

POST TRI-CAMPUS APPROVAL (when needed)

Faculty Council on Academic Standards/ General Faculty Organization/Faculty Assembly Chair:

Date:

Current Catalog Copy

HISTORY

The History major provides a foundation in American and world history along with options in U.S. History, European History, Asian History or in a Self-Designed History track. Students will learn how to gather information from primary and secondary sources, cull and analyze that information and identify its most significant aspects, reach conclusions based on that analysis, and produce well-written narratives and oral presentations relating the contents and results of their work. History teaches basic comprehension of chronology and cause and effect reasoning, and is thus a discipline that students need to succeed in all fields of research.

As Pierce County and the entire South Sound region continue to grow, individuals with training in History will find increasing opportunities in the fields of education, records management, museum curation, government service, heritage tourism, journalism, and other professions. History also provides an excellent foundation for graduate study in law, education and many other areas.

The History major requires 65 credits. These include required Core courses and courses in four selected History tracks: United States History, European History, Asian History, and Self-Designed History Track.

Required Core Courses (30 credits):

- 10 credits World History TSMIN 100 & 101
- 10 credits American History TSMUS 200 & 201
- 5 credits Research Methods TCXG 380
- 5 credits Senior Thesis TIAS 497
- IAS Portfolio Requirement

[REDACTED]

Suggested Course Sequence:

- Freshman Year: TSMIN 100 & 101
- Sophomore Year: TSMUS 200 & 201 & TCXG 380
- Junior Year: 20 credits Track Courses
- Senior Year: TIAS 497 & 15 Credits Track Courses

Track Courses Currently in UWT Catalog

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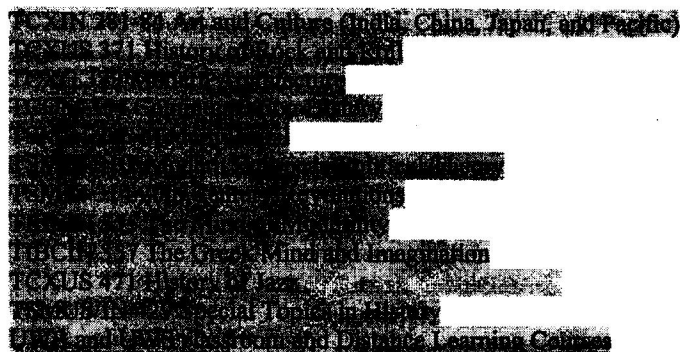
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European History
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Students will also need to fulfill IAS graduation requirements that include credits in Visual, Literary and Performing Arts (VLPA) and Natural World (NW). See <http://www.tacoma.washington.edu/ias/academics/ba/> and check with an IAS adviser for details.

Proposed Catalog Copy

Major in History

The History major provides a foundation in American and world history along with options in U.S. History, European History, Asian History or in a Self-Designed History track. Students will learn how to gather information from primary and secondary sources, cull and analyze that information and identify its most significant aspects, reach conclusions based on that analysis, and produce well-written narratives and oral presentations relating the contents and results of their work. History teaches basic comprehension of chronology and cause and effect reasoning, and is thus a discipline that students need to succeed in all fields of research.

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Graduation Requirements: The History BA degree requires 65 credits. These will include Core courses and courses in one of four selected History tracks with elective options. Overall, 45 upper-division credits and 45 credits of IAS courses are required to graduate.

Note: IAS students may earn a maximum of 15 independent study (undergraduate research, directed reading, senior thesis or internship) credits. Internships may account for 10 of these credits.

Required Core Courses (30 credits):

10 credits World History T HIST 150 & 151
10 credits American History T HIST 200 & 201
5 credits Research Methods TIAS 380 Humanities and Social Science Research and Writing Seminar
5 credits Senior Thesis TIAS 497

IAS Portfolio Requirement

Required Track Courses (35 Credits from one of the following tracks: United States, European, Asian or Self-designed track. 25 credits must be upper-division courses.)

35 Credits of History Track Courses in either United States, European, Asian, or Self-designed Tracks. 25 of these credits must be upper division.

Suggested Course Sequence:

Freshman Year: T HIST 150 & 151

Sophomore Year: T HIST 200 & 201 & TIAS 380

Junior Year: 20 credits Track Courses

Senior Year: TIAS 497 & 15 Credits Track Courses

Track Courses Currently in UWT Catalog

United States History

T HIST 212 The Military History of the United States from Colonial Times to the Present

T HIST 220 African American History 1619 - 1865

T HIST 221 African-American History, 1865-1945

T HIST 222 African-American History, 1945-Present

T HIST 226 American Architecture

T HIST 315 Industrialization and Reform

T HIST 322 American Labor Since the Civil War

T HIST 320 Asian American History

T HIST 333 Early American Music, Art, Literature, and Theater

T HIST 336 Black, Labor, and Protest Music in Historical Perspective

T HIST 340 History of United States-American Indian Relations

T HIST 343, Vietnam and the 1960s

T WOMN 347 History of Women in the United States

T HIST 349 Minorities and Higher Education in American History

T HIST 377 Art of the Americas

T HIST 379 Modern Architecture

T HIST 410 Early American Politics and Law: The American Revolutionary Era, 1763-1815

T HIST 410 Early American Politics and Law: The Civil War Era, 1848-1877

T HIST 411 History of Religion in America

T HIST 413 Civil Rights, Civil Liberties

T HIST 416 Life and Thought: Martin Luther King, Malcolm X and Angela Davis

T HIST 417 United States History 1945-Present

T HIST 419 African-American Culture and Consciousness

T HIST 420 African-American Religious History

T HIST 430 Introduction to Public History

T HIST 437 Doing Community History

T HIST 440 Black Labor in America

T HIST 441 Black Freedom Movements In Perspective

T HIST 442 History of African American Education

T HIST 444 The Pacific Northwest

T HIST 445 History of Tacoma

T HIST 456 North American Regions: The Frontier

T HIST 456 North American Regions: The Mississippi Valley

T HIST 470 The Material World: Art and Artifacts

TIAS 496 Internship

TIAS 498 Directed Readings
TIAS 499 Undergraduate Research

European History

T HIST 111 The Ancient World
T HIST 112 The Medieval World
T HIST 113 Europe and the Modern World
T HIST 260 Empires and Imperialism in World History
T HIST 280 German Cultural History
T POLS 310 Modern European Political Theory
T POLS 312 19th Century Revolutions and Revolutionaries
T HIST 350 Modern Germany since 1838
T HIST 363 Making of Russia
T HIST 365 Europe in the Twentieth Century
T HIST 379 Modern Architecture
T HIST 385 Russian Civilization
T PHIL 451 The Enlightenment
T HIST 451 Renaissance Europe
T HIST 457 Anti-semitism and the Holocaust
T HIST 467 Siberia and the Russian Far East
T HIST 475 Twentieth – Century Britain
T HIST 477 Reformation and Counter-Reformation Europe
T HIST 478 Revolution, Industrialization, and Modernity in European Culture 1760 - 1870
T HIST 479 Modern European Culture
T HIST 480 Eastern Europe in Transition, 1940 - 2000
T HIST 487 Technology in the Modern World
T HIST 488 History of Urbanization and the Environment
T HIST 490 Medieval Technology
T HIST 495 Metropolis: Rome
TIAS 496 Internship
TIAS 498 Directed Readings
TIAS 499 Undergraduate Research

Asian History

T HIST 270 Premodern East Asia
T HIST 271 Modern East Asia
T HIST 372 Comparative Perspectives on East Asian and Latin American Development
T HIST 462 History of Vietnam
T HIST 463 Premodern Japan
T HIST 464 Modern China
T HIST 465 Modern Japan
T HIST 466 Modern Korea
T HIST 474 Imperial China
T HIST 484 Pacific War
T HIST 486 Contemporary Chinese Culture and Society
TIAS 496 Internship
TIAS 498 Directed Readings
TIAS 499 Undergraduate Research

Self-Designed History Track

This track is for students who (1) choose to pursue a topical approach to History---e.g. art and architecture, economic, environmental, ethnic, military, gender, labor, religious, etc.; or, (2) students who, before we make our projected hires, choose to study Ancient, Latin American, or African History. Students must have the advance approval and continual counsel of their History advisor for all of the following coursework:

Selected History Courses (above)

Selected History-Related Elective Courses (see list below)

UW Bothell History Courses

UW Seattle History Courses and Distance Learning Courses

TIAS 498/499 Undergraduate Readings and Research

History-Related Courses for Self-Designed Track

T POLS 224 Modern Latin America

TESC 243 Maritime History and Science of the Pacific Northwest

T POLS 260 American Political Theory

T ARTS 281-84 Art and Culture (India, China, Japan, and Pacific)

T ARTS 311 History of Rock and Roll

T HIST 379 Modern Architecture

TCOM 354 Communication History

T POLS 326 Modern Brazil

T POLS 310 Modern European Political Theory

T POLS 314 20th Century Revolutions

T PHIL 355 The Mind of Modernity

T PHIL 357 The Greek Mind and Imagination

T ARTS 311 History of Jazz

TIAS 496 Internship

UWB and UWS classroom and Distance Learning Courses as appropriate

Students will also need to fulfill IAS graduation requirements that include credits in Visual, Literary and Performing Arts (VLPA) and Natural World (NW). See the IAS website for the most recent updates in the major and check with an IAS adviser for details.