

HISTORY AND SOCIAL STUDIES, TEACHER CERTIFICATION

Program Description

Admission and Retention Requirements for History Certification

For admission to and retention in Teacher Education in the field of History, students must achieve and sustain a 2.75 GPA in all history coursework. To qualify to take the History (Secondary) TExES examination, students must meet the following criteria:

1. Have at least a 2.5 GPA on all college coursework (lower and upper level).
2. Have a 2.75 GPA on all history coursework (lower and upper level).
3. Be advised by the Content Area Certification Coordinator for History and Social Studies.

Students who fail the certification exam must meet with the Content Area Certification Coordinator for History and Social Studies to develop an action plan before re-taking the exam.

Students returning to the University to complete certification must see the History TExES coordinator or designee to receive a deficiency plan. All criteria outlined in the plan must be met before the student will be permitted to take the History TExES.

Students seeking certification must also qualify to take the Professional Development TExES. For information, see the College of Education and Human Development section of this catalog.

Students seeking teacher certification in history or social studies must take the following courses, in addition to the Core Curriculum Program and all teacher education core courses. Students who have substituted Texas History for three hours of U.S. History in meeting their core curriculum requirements are still responsible for successfully completing both HIST 1301 U.S. History to 1865 (3 sch) and HIST 1302 U.S. History Since 1865 (3 sch) for History certification. Please see the College of Education and Human Development for a list of teacher education core courses.

Program Requirements

History (Grades 7-12)

General Requirements

Requirements	Credit Hours
Core Curriculum Program (https://catalog.tamucc.edu/undergraduate/university-college/programs/core-curriculum-program/)	42
University Seminar (when applicable) ¹	0-2
History (Grades 7-12) Major Requirements	39
Teacher Education Core Requirements	27

Foreign Language Requirements	6
University Electives	6
Total Credit Hours	120-122

¹ Full-time, first time in college students are required to take university seminar.

- USSE 1201 University Seminar (2 sch)

History (Grades 7-12) Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Full-time, First-year Students		

USSE 1201	University Seminar	2
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Core Curriculum Program

University Core Curriculum		42
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All History and Social Studies certification track students are required to take 6 hours of English in the Core Curriculum program, to include ENGL 1302 and 3 hours of English literature from the Language, Philosophy, and Culture component area.

Students must take the following:

Social and Behavioral Sciences

EDUC 1354	Child Growth and Development	
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History (Grades 7-12) Major Requirements

Core Required Courses

HIST 2301	Texas History	3
HIST 2321	World History to 1500	3
HIST 2322	World History Since 1500	3
HIST 3340	Modern Asia	3
HIST 3385	The Art and Practice of History	3
HIST 4385	Historical Research and Writing	3

Core Electives

Select one of the following: 3

BLKS 2300	Introduction to Black Studies	
MXAS 1305	Introduction to Mexican American Studies	
POLS 2311	Mexican American and Latinx Politics	
HIST 3303	Colonial Latin America	
HIST 3304	Modern Latin America	
WGST 3301	Introduction to Women and Gender Studies	

U.S. History Electives

Select two of the following: 6

HIST 3316	Colonial North America	
HIST 3318	The American Revolution	
HIST 3320	Colonial and Revolutionary U.S.	
HIST 3321	The Early American Republic	
HIST 3323	Civil War and Reconstruction	
HIST 3324	U.S. Gilded Age and Progressive Era	
HIST 3325	Emergence of Modern U.S.	
HIST 3326	U.S. Since 2nd World War	
HIST 3335	The U.S. Urban Experience	
HIST 3345	Environmental History and Environmental Justice	
HIST 3370	Introduction to Public History	
HIST 3373	Oral History and Podcasting	
HIST 4320	U.S. Cultural Experience	
HIST 4327	U.S. Modern Popular Culture	

HIST 4335	The Military and United States History
HIST 4336	Mexican American History
HIST 4337	United States Women's History
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific
HIST 4350	Narratives of World War II in the Pacific
HIST 4352	Mexican American Women's History
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)

World History Electives

Select two of the following: 6

HIST 3301	History of World Religions
HIST 3307	The Ancient World
HIST 3315	Europe 1750-1815
HIST 3317	Europe 1815-1914
HIST 3319	Europe 1914 to the Present
HIST 3350	Dictators and Dirty Wars in Latin America
HIST 4340	European Women's History
HIST 4342	The Holocaust
HIST 4345	European Thought and Culture, 1750-present
HIST 4346	The Search for Modern China: From 1600 to the Present
HIST 4347	The History of Sexuality in the West
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific
HIST 4350	Narratives of World War II in the Pacific
HIST 4374	Mexico: the National Period
HIST 4375	Cold War Kids: Youth in Modern Latin America
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)

Select 6 hours of History electives; any upper division History courses that are not in the Requirements cluster. 6

Teacher Education Core Requirements

EDUC 2211	Foundations of Education	2
SPED 3310	Individual Differences in Schools and Communities	3
READ 3353	Content Area Reading for Secondary Students	3
EDUC 3211	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	2
BIEM 3357	Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language	3
EDUC 4305	Seminar I	3
IDET 4210	Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments	2
EDUC 4694	Clinical Teaching	6
EDUC 4395	Seminar II	3

Foreign Language Requirements

See the College of Liberal Arts for the college language requirement. 6

University Electives

Select 6 hours of electives 6

Total Hours 122

Social Studies (Grades 4-8)

General Requirements

Requirements	Credit Hours
Core Curriculum Program (https://catalog.tamucc.edu/undergraduate/university-college/programs/core-curriculum-program/)	42

University Seminar (when applicable) ¹	0-2
Social Studies (Grades 4-8) Major Requirements	39
Teacher Education Core Requirements	27
Upper Division Electives	6
Foreign Language Requirements	6
Total Credit Hours	120-122

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- USSE 1201 University Seminar (2 sch)

Social Studies (Grades 4-8) Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Full-time, First-year Students		
USSE 1201	University Seminar	2
Core Curriculum Program		
University Core Curriculum		42

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ECON 2301 and HIST 2301 cannot be counted as part of a student's Core Curriculum Program credits. Other courses should be taken to satisfy the core requirement in those component areas.¹

Students must take the following:

Social and Behavioral Sciences

EDUC 1354	Child Growth and Development
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Social Studies (Grades 4-8) Major Requirements

Core Required Courses

ECON 2301	Macroeconomics Principles ¹	3
HIST 2301	Texas History ¹	3
HIST 2321	World History to 1500	3
HIST 2322	World History Since 1500	3
HIST 3340	Modern Asia	3

Core Electives

Select one of the following: 3

BLKS 2300	Introduction to Black Studies
POLS 2311	Mexican American and Latinx Politics
MXAS 1305	Introduction to Mexican American Studies
HIST 3303	Colonial Latin America
HIST 3304	Modern Latin America
WGST 3301	Introduction to Women and Gender Studies

U.S. History Electives

Select two of the following: 6

HIST 3316	Colonial North America
HIST 3318	The American Revolution
HIST 3320	Colonial and Revolutionary U.S.
HIST 3321	The Early American Republic
HIST 3323	Civil War and Reconstruction
HIST 3324	U.S. Gilded Age and Progressive Era

HIST 3325	Emergence of Modern U.S.	
HIST 3326	U.S. Since 2nd World War	
HIST 3335	The U.S. Urban Experience	
HIST 3345	Environmental History and Environmental Justice	
HIST 3370	Introduction to Public History	
HIST 3373	Oral History and Podcasting	
HIST 4320	U.S. Cultural Experience	
HIST 4327	U.S. Modern Popular Culture	
HIST 4335	The Military and United States History	
HIST 4336	Mexican American History	
HIST 4337	United States Women's History	
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific	
HIST 4350	Narratives of World War II in the Pacific	
HIST 4352	Mexican American Women's History	
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)	

World History Electives

Select two of the following: 6

HIST 3301	History of World Religions	
HIST 3303	Colonial Latin America	
HIST 3307	The Ancient World	
HIST 3315	Europe 1750-1815	
HIST 3317	Europe 1815-1914	
HIST 3319	Europe 1914 to the Present	
HIST 3350	Dictators and Dirty Wars in Latin America	
HIST 4340	European Women's History	
HIST 4342	The Holocaust	
HIST 4345	European Thought and Culture, 1750-present	
HIST 4346	The Search for Modern China: From 1600 to the Present	
HIST 4347	The History of Sexuality in the West	
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific	
HIST 4350	Narratives of World War II in the Pacific	
HIST 4374	Mexico: the National Period	
HIST 4375	Cold War Kids: Youth in Modern Latin America	
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)	

Select 6 hours of History electives; any upper division History courses that are not in the Requirements cluster. 6

Political Science Electives

Select one of the following: 3

POLS 3312	Campaigns and Elections	
POLS 3313	The Legislative Process	
POLS 3314	Public Opinion	
POLS 3315	Political Parties	
POLS 3316	The American Presidency	
POLS 4321	Comparative Politics of Developing Nations	

Teacher Education Core Requirements

EDUC 2211	Foundations of Education	2
SPED 3310	Individual Differences in Schools and Communities	3
READ 3353	Content Area Reading for Secondary Students	3
or READ 3352	Content Area Reading for Elementary Students	
EDUC 3211	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	2
BIEM 3357	Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language	3

EDUC 4305	Seminar I	3
IDET 4210	Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments	2
EDUC 4694	Clinical Teaching	6
EDUC 4395	Seminar II	3

Upper Division Electives

Select 6 hours of upper division electives not required for the major. 6

Foreign Language Requirements

See the College of Liberal Arts for the college language requirement. 6

Total Hours 122**Social Studies (Grades 7-12)****General Requirements**

Requirements	Credit Hours
Core Curriculum Program (https://catalog.tamucc.edu/undergraduate/university-college/programs/core-curriculum-program/)	42
University Seminar (when applicable) ¹	0-2
Social Studies (Grades 7-12) Major Requirements	45
Teacher Education Core Requirements	27
Foreign Language Requirements	6
Total Credit Hours	120-122

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- USSE 1201 University Seminar (2 sch)

Social Studies (Grades 7-12) Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Full-time, First-year Students		
USSE 1201	University Seminar	2

Core Curriculum Program

University Core Curriculum 42

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ECON 2301 and HIST 2301 cannot be counted as part of a student's Core Curriculum Program credits. Other courses should be taken to satisfy the core requirement in those component areas.¹

Students must take the following:

Social and Behavioral Sciences

EDUC 1354 Child Growth and Development

Social Studies (Grades 7-12) Major Requirements**Core Required Courses**

ECON 2301	Macroeconomics Principles ¹	3
HIST 2301	Texas History ¹	3
HIST 2321	World History to 1500	3
HIST 2322	World History Since 1500	3

HIST 3340	Modern Asia	3	Select 3 hours of History electives; any upper division History courses that are not in the Requirements cluster.	3
HIST 4385	Historical Research and Writing	3		
<i>Core Electives</i>			<i>Political Science Electives</i>	
Select one of the following:		3	Select two of the following:	6
BLKS 2300	Introduction to Black Studies		POLS 3312	Campaigns and Elections
POLS 2311	Mexican American and Latinx Politics		POLS 3313	The Legislative Process
MXAS 1305	Introduction to Mexican American Studies		POLS 3314	Public Opinion
HIST 3303	Colonial Latin America		POLS 3315	Political Parties
HIST 3304	Modern Latin America		POLS 3316	The American Presidency
WGST 3301	Introduction to Women and Gender Studies		POLS 3321	Comparative Politics
<i>U.S. History Electives</i>			POLS 3331	International Relations
Select two of the following:		6	POLS 3361	Western Political Theory
HIST 3316	Colonial North America		POLS 4321	Comparative Politics of Developing Nations
HIST 3318	The American Revolution		POLS 4361	American Political Thought
HIST 3320	Colonial and Revolutionary U.S.		Teacher Education Core Requirements	
HIST 3321	The Early American Republic		EDUC 2211	Foundations of Education
HIST 3323	Civil War and Reconstruction		SPED 3310	Individual Differences in Schools and Communities
HIST 3324	U.S. Gilded Age and Progressive Era		READ 3353	Content Area Reading for Secondary Students
HIST 3325	Emergence of Modern U.S.		EDUC 3211	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching
HIST 3326	U.S. Since 2nd World War		BIEM 3357	Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language
HIST 3335	The U.S. Urban Experience		EDUC 4305	Seminar I
HIST 3345	Environmental History and Environmental Justice		IDET 4210	Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments
HIST 3370	Introduction to Public History		EDUC 4694	Clinical Teaching
HIST 3373	Oral History and Podcasting		EDUC 4395	Seminar II
HIST 4320	U.S. Cultural Experience		Foreign Language Requirements	
HIST 4327	U.S. Modern Popular Culture		See the College of Liberal Arts for the college language requirement.	
HIST 4335	The Military and United States History		University Electives	
HIST 4336	Mexican American History		Select 3 hours of electives.	
HIST 4337	United States Women's History		<hr/>	
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific		Total Hours	122
HIST 4350	Narratives of World War II in the Pacific		Course Sequencing	
HIST 4352	Mexican American Women's History		History (Grades 7-12)	
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)		First Year	
<i>World History Electives</i>			Fall	
Select two of the following:		6	Hours	
HIST 3301	History of World Religions		HIST 1301	U.S. History to 1865
HIST 3303	Colonial Latin America		USSE 1201	University Seminar
HIST 3307	The Ancient World		ENGL 1301	Writing and Rhetoric I
HIST 3315	Europe 1750-1815		EDUC 1354	Child Growth and Development
HIST 3317	Europe 1815-1914		University Core Curriculum	
HIST 3319	Europe 1914 to the Present		Foreign Language Requirements	
HIST 3350	Dictators and Dirty Wars in Latin America		<hr/>	
HIST 4340	European Women's History		Hours	
HIST 4342	The Holocaust		17	
HIST 4345	European Thought and Culture, 1750-present		Spring	
HIST 4346	The Search for Modern China: From 1600 to the Present		HIST 1302	U.S. History Since 1865
HIST 4347	The History of Sexuality in the West		ENGL 1302	Writing and Rhetoric II
HIST 4349	Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific		Mathematics Core Requirement	
HIST 4374	Mexico: the National Period		University Core Curriculum	
HIST 4375	Cold War Kids: Youth in Modern Latin America		Foreign Language Requirements	
HIST 4390	Topics in History (when appropriate)		<hr/>	
			Hours	
			15	

Second Year**Fall**

HIST 2321	World History to 1500	3
EDUC 2211	Foundations of Education	2
Core Elective		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3

Hours **17**

Spring

HIST 2322	World History Since 1500	3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Elective		3

Hours **15**

Third Year**Fall**

HIST 3385	The Art and Practice of History	3
HIST 2301	Texas History	3
EDUC 3211	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	2
World History Elective		3
United States History Elective		3

Hours **14**

Spring

HIST 3340	Modern Asia	3
HIST 4385	Historical Research and Writing	3
READ 3353	Content Area Reading for Secondary Students	3
SPED 3310	Individual Differences in Schools and Communities	3
World History Elective		3

Hours **15**

Fourth Year**Fall**

EDUC 4305	Seminar I	3
BIEM 3357	Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language	3
IDET 4210	Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments	2
History Upper-Division Elective		3
United States History Elective		3
University Elective		3

Hours **17**

Spring

EDUC 4694	Clinical Teaching	6
EDUC 4395	Seminar II	3
History Upper-Division Elective		3

Hours **12**

Total Hours **122**

Social Studies (Grades 4-8)**First Year**

		Hours
Fall		
HIST 1301	U.S. History to 1865	3
USSE 1201	University Seminar	2
ENGL 1301	Writing and Rhetoric I	3
EDUC 1354	Child Growth and Development	3
Mathematics Core Requirement		3
Foreign Language Requirements		3

Hours **17**

Spring

HIST 1302	U.S. History Since 1865	3
ENGL 1302	Writing and Rhetoric II	3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
Foreign Language Requirements		3

Hours **15**

Second Year**Fall**

HIST 2321	World History to 1500	3
EDUC 2211	Foundations of Education	2
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3

Hours **14**

Spring

HIST 2322	World History Since 1500	3
ECON 2301	Macroeconomics Principles	3
Core Elective		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3
University Core Curriculum		3

Hours **18**

Third Year**Fall**

EDUC 3211	Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	2
HIST 2301	Texas History	3
History Elective		3
World History Elective		3
Political Science Elective		3
Upper-Division Elective		3

Hours **17**

Spring

HIST 3340	Modern Asia	3
READ 3353	Content Area Reading for Secondary Students	3
or READ 3352	Students or Content Area Reading for Elementary Students	
SPED 3310	Individual Differences in Schools and Communities	3
World History Elective		3

Hours **17**

Upper-Division Elective	3
Hours	15
Fourth Year	
Fall	
EDUC 4305 Seminar I	3
IDET 4210 Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments	2
BIEM 3357 Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language	3
United States History Elective	3
History Elective	3
Hours	14
Spring	
EDUC 4694 Clinical Teaching	6
EDUC 4395 Seminar II	3
United States History Elective	3
Hours	12
Total Hours	122

Social Studies (Grades 7-12)

First Year	
Fall	
HIST 1301 U.S. History to 1865	3
USSE 1201 University Seminar	2
ENGL 1301 Writing and Rhetoric I	3
EDUC 1354 Child Growth and Development	3
University Core Curriculum	3
Foreign Language Requirements	3
Hours	17
Spring	
HIST 1302 U.S. History Since 1865	3
ENGL 1302 Writing and Rhetoric II	3
Core Elective	3
Mathematics Core Requirement	3
Foreign Language Requirements	3
Hours	15
Second Year	
Fall	
HIST 2321 World History to 1500	3
EDUC 2211 Foundations of Education	2
University Core Curriculum	3
University Core Curriculum	3
University Core Curriculum	3
Hours	14
Spring	
HIST 2322 World History Since 1500	3
ECON 2301 Macroeconomics Principles	3
University Core Curriculum	3
University Core Curriculum	3
University Core Curriculum	3
University Core Curriculum	3
Hours	18

Third Year

Fall	
HIST 2301 Texas History	3
READ 3353 Content Area Reading for Secondary Students	3
EDUC 3211 Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching	2
World History Elective	3
University Elective	3
Hours	14
Spring	
HIST 3340 Modern Asia	3
HIST 4385 Historical Research and Writing	3
SPED 3310 Individual Differences in Schools and Communities	3
World History Elective	3
Political Science Elective	3
Hours	15
Fourth Year	
Fall	
EDUC 4305 Seminar I	3
IDET 4210 Design and Development of Technology-Integrated Learning Environments	2
BIEM 3357 Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language	3
United States History Elective	3
History Elective	3
Political Science Elective	3
Hours	17
Spring	
EDUC 4694 Clinical Teaching	6
EDUC 4395 Seminar II	3
United States History Elective	3
Hours	12
Total Hours	122

Courses

HIST 1301 U.S. History to 1865

3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)

A survey of the political, social, economic, military, cultural and intellectual history of the United States from 1492 to 1865.

TCCNS: HIST 1301

HIST 1302 U.S. History Since 1865

3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)

A survey of the political, social, economic, military, cultural and intellectual history of the United States from 1865 to the present.

TCCNS: HIST 1302

HIST 2301 Texas History

3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)

Spanish colonial period, Mexican statehood, independence, the development of the Republic, annexation and growth as a state.

TCCNS: HIST 2301

HIST 2311 Western Civilization I**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Survey of the cultures and civilizations of the Ancient Mediterranean world and the political, social, economic, military, cultural, and intellectual influences shaping the emergence and development of Europe to 1500.

TCCNS: HIST 2311

HIST 2312 Western Civilization II**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A survey of the political, social, economic, military, cultural, and intellectual development of Europe from 1500 to the present.

TCCNS: HIST 2312

HIST 2321 World History to 1500**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

This course offers a survey of the history of the world from the emergence of human cultures through the 15th century. The course examines major cultural regions of the world with a focus on their development and their cross-regional interactions.

HIST 2322 World History Since 1500**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

examines major global issues over the past 500 years. Topics may include European expansion and colonialism, the integration of the Americans into world economic systems, changes in science and technology, decolonization, and modern environmental problems. This course will help students understand historical events within a global framework.

HIST 3301 History of World Religions**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Surveys the key beliefs, practices, rituals, figures, and historical developments of the world's major religious traditions, including Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Judaism, Christianity, Islam, and New Age religions. Gives particular attention to their encounter with modernity and their complicated place in today's global, diverse, post-modern world.

HIST 3303 Colonial Latin America**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

An overview of Latin American history from pre-Columbian times until Independence.

HIST 3304 Modern Latin America**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A study of the major political, economic and cultural processes that marked the development of modern Latin America.

HIST 3307 The Ancient World**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

This course examines the ancient history of the human race. It begins with the evolution of Homo sapiens in Africa and continues through approximately the 4th century CE. Topics examined include the formation of cultures, societies, states, and empires around the world including those in Egypt, Southwest Asia, India, China, and the Mediterranean.

HIST 3315 Europe 1750-1815**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Explores the processes which contribute to the establishment of a new political, economic, and social order in Europe. The course includes an in-depth focus upon the causes and consequences of the French Revolution as well as an examination of the European response to Napoleon.

HIST 3316 Colonial North America**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Covers early North American history from pre-contact through 1763, with a focus on the territory that would eventually become the United States. Examines the varieties of colonial worlds created by Europeans and native peoples, the nature and impact of European colonization, the development of slave societies, the emergence of regional economies and modern culture, the consolidation of European empires in the early and mid-18th century, and the imperial wars that finally set the stage for the coming of the American Revolution.

HIST 3317 Europe 1815-1914**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

The evolution of European industrial society from the Congress of Vienna to the outbreak of World War I. Themes include changes in the nature of work and family life, urbanization, and the emergence and growth of liberalism, socialism, nationalism, and romanticism as competing ideologies.

HIST 3318 The American Revolution**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Covers the history of the American Revolution from the end of the Seven Years' War in 1763 to the ratification of the new federal constitution in 1789. Covers the political and social history of the independence movement, the Declaration of Independence, the military, social, and indigenous history of the Revolutionary War, and the making of the Constitution.

HIST 3319 Europe 1914 to the Present**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Political, social, economic and cultural developments since 1914: includes the impact of World War I, the Russian Revolution, Fascism, the origins of the Cold War, the tension between European unification and growing ethnic tensions and the dissolution of the Soviet empire.

HIST 3320 Colonial and Revolutionary U.S.**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Traces regional economic, social, and political change in the Americas from 1607 to the end of the Revolution.

HIST 3321 The Early American Republic**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

This course examines American history from the end of the revolutionary war to 1850. Political, economic, and social issues including, but not limited to, the creation of the Constitution, the development of the first and second party systems, the market revolution, antebellum reform, the Old South, and westward expansion.

HIST 3323 Civil War and Reconstruction**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Background and causes of the Civil War; military, political, diplomatic, and economic developments during the War; Reconstruction and post-war adjustments.

HIST 3324 U.S. Gilded Age and Progressive Era**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

An examination of the dramatic period when the United States definitively settled the remaining portions of the continent and decisively moved towards becoming an industrial, urban nation with world-wide economic and political influence.

HIST 3325 Emergence of Modern U.S.**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Study of American life from World War I through World War II. Topics include America's rise to a world power, the social, cultural, and political effects of corporate enterprise, urbanization, and immigration, women's suffrage, the Twenties, and the New Deal.

HIST 3326 U.S. Since 2nd World War**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A study of American life and development as a world power since World War II.

HIST 3335 The U.S. Urban Experience**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A general survey of the social, cultural, and political history of the American city, with particular emphasis on Corpus Christi and the ways our city illustrates these larger trends.

HIST 3340 Modern Asia**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

This course will examine Asia from 1600 to the present. Topics include politics, the nation state, colonialism, empire, war, nationalism, the Cold War and revolution, all in a historical context.

HIST 3345 Environmental History and Environmental Justice**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Explores how the environment has shaped society and the ways in which humans, in turn, have shaped nature throughout American history. Also focuses on environmental justice and injustices along the Gulf Coast. Public history component.

HIST 3350 Dictators and Dirty Wars in Latin America**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Explores the rise of dictatorships and military regimes in twentieth century Latin America. Focuses on human rights struggles and popular movements in Mexico, Central America and the Southern Cone.

HIST 3360 Introduction to Museum Studies**3 Semester Credit Hours (1.5 Lecture Hours)**

In this cross-disciplinary class, students of history, sciences, the arts, and more will be introduced to the different departments of a museum and gain experience in programming, exhibits, research, public engagement, and other various aspects of museum management through their participation in a real working museum (Corpus Christi Museum of Science and History).

HIST 3370 Introduction to Public History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A Project-centered class that examines public history practices and debates, including the changing field over time, the relationship between history and memory, and the interpretive and sometimes controversial nature of historical sites and exhibits. Students will also learn methods and practices of museums, archives, oral history, digital history, and more. Includes community-engaged learning, workshops, local field trips.

HIST 3373 Oral History and Podcasting**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

A project-based course designed to teach students oral history, audio recording, and editing. Topics include oral history theory and methods, the role of testimony and memory in constructing historical narratives, interview techniques, archival practices, and the technical aspects of audio production, audio storytelling, and podcasting.

HIST 3385 The Art and Practice of History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Introduces students to the most significant historiographical problems that face historians, focusing on recent and current controversies that have shaken the profession and been the subject of public and political debate. Provides examples of how historians think about and do history. **Prerequisite:** HIST 1301 and 1302 and (HIST 2321 or 2322).

HIST 4320 U.S. Cultural Experience**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Explores ways that the myriad groups who have made up American society from the colonial period to the "information age" understood and expressed themselves and related to each other. (The chronological scope of this course may vary.)

HIST 4327 U.S. Modern Popular Culture**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

The historical development of modern popular culture—including television, movies, fiction, newspapers, music and consumption—and its effect on the structure and experience of U.S. society and work from the nineteenth century to the present.

HIST 4335 The Military and United States History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

The development of U.S. military strategy and policy from the Colonial Wars through Vietnam.

HIST 4336 Mexican American History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Spanish and Mesoamerican backgrounds, conquest and mestizaje, settlement of Aztlán, interaction with Anglo-Americans, 20th century immigration, urbanization, identity, the Chicano Movement, and Mexican American organizational/political development.

HIST 4337 United States Women's History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Themes include transformations in the notion of womanhood and of sexual differences, changes in the structure, function, and concept of "family" and "household," and historical factors that have shaped women's role in the work force and public life.

HIST 4340 European Women's History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Study of the experiences of European women from the 18th to the 20th centuries. Also addresses the role that gender has played in the development of modern European societies. Some topics covered are women and the French Revolution, gender and class in industrial Europe, feminism and suffrage, and women and fashion.

HIST 4342 The Holocaust**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Examines the Holocaust by exploring the role of racism and anti-Semitism, the rise of Nazi policies, Jewish responses and resistance to them, deportation and genocide, the role of war, and the aftermath and memory of an event "beyond human imagination."

HIST 4345 European Thought and Culture, 1750-present**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Survey of the major European intellectual and cultural movements from the Enlightenment to the present. Broader than a traditional course in intellectual history, special attention will be given to the emergence and development of the concepts of "modernity" and the challenges of "postmodernism."

HIST 4346 The Search for Modern China: From 1600 to the Present**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

This course surveys modern Chinese history from the late Ming dynasty to the present, with an emphasis on the late 19th and 20th centuries. Topics include empire, colonialism, nationalism, the nation state, modernization, revolution and the Cold War, all in a historical context.

HIST 4347 The History of Sexuality in the West**3 Semester Credit Hours**

This course will examine how ideas about sexuality as well as sexual practices and identities have evolved over time and in different places; how the categories of homosexuality and heterosexuality were created and how they have been perceived. The course will focus on the 19th and 20th centuries in Europe and the United States, and address the themes of gender, body, race, class, image, representation, and the law.

HIST 4349 Transnational Histories of Asia and the Pacific**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Explores the transnational relations of Asia and the Pacific with the West from the 19th century to the present day. Themes include colonialism and imperialism, diaspora and migration, labor and economy, war and displacement. Topics include the Opium Wars, Immigration and Exclusion, Atomic Bombing of Hiroshima, Military War Brides, Third World Radicalism, Transnational Adoption Complex, and Environmentalism and Globalization.

HIST 4350 Narratives of World War II in the Pacific**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Examines how the relations between history, memory, and contemporary politics in post-WWII U.S. and Asia-Pacific have shaped the meaning of various contentious issues related to the Pacific War—such as war origins and responsibility, atrocities, racism, reparations, and nationalism—in textbooks, monuments, literature, art, films, political debates, exhibits, commemorative events, and scholarly works in different social and temporal contexts.

HIST 4352 Mexican American Women's History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Examines the broad political, economic, social, and cultural trends in the lives of Mexican American women since 1848.

HIST 4374 Mexico: the National Period**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Traces economic, social, and political change in Mexico from independence to the present.

HIST 4375 Cold War Kids: Youth in Modern Latin America**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

An examination of the experiences of Latin American youth in modern Latin America. Special emphasis on the role of young people in the revolutions and rebellions that marked the Cold War period.

HIST 4385 Historical Research and Writing**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

The study and writing of history, with emphasis on historical analysis, research, and writing. Designed as the capstone course for history majors and prospective social science teachers. This course will feature a senior research paper, and should be taken during the student's final year of undergraduate study.

Prerequisite: HIST 3385 or READ 3353.

HIST 4390 Topics in History**3 Semester Credit Hours (3 Lecture Hours)**

Study of significant periods, countries, regions, or themes in history. May be repeated when topics vary.

HIST 4396 Directed Individual Study**1-3 Semester Credit Hours**

See College description.

HIST 4398 Applied Experience**3 Semester Credit Hours**

See College description.

HIST 4399 Internship**3 Semester Credit Hours**

Best practices and methods in digital archives, museums, and /or public history through field work at a local organization or museum. Offered on application. Repeatable up to 6 hours.