

### Admission Requirements For This Major

1. New freshmen accepted in good standing by the University may apply for admission to the History Department.
2. Students transferring from another institution or another major will be admitted if they have a minimum 2.5 GPA in history courses and an overall minimum GPA of 2.5.
3. A minimum 2.75 grade point average is required for entry into the teacher education program. Students must receive a grade of C or better in all courses to be counted toward the History Teaching emphasis or the teaching minor.

### The Program

The Department of History offers a flexible, reading- and writing-intensive program to accomplish the following objectives:

1. To train undergraduates to research, analyze, synthesize, and communicate reasonable conclusions about the past by using the historical method.
2. To inculcate cultural literacy and provide the knowledge necessary for informed decision-making by citizens of Utah, the United States, and the world.
3. To provide students with crucial work skills in research, analysis, communication, and collaboration, while enriching their lives.
4. To contribute to the liberal arts curriculum of the University through general education and general interest courses, the history major, the history teaching emphasis, minors in history and classics, and the interdisciplinary programs of folklore, religious studies, American studies, and British and commonwealth studies.

The requirements for this major, along with University and University Studies requirements, are summarized in this program sheet. Students are encouraged to keep this program guide and to use it in recording progress toward the completion of their degree requirements. Students are also urged to study this requirement sheet and the *General Catalog* frequently and to visit with their advisors on a regular basis about progress toward the completion of their degrees.

### Career Opportunities

For hundreds of years, history has been the preferred education for those interested in improving their lives and serving their communities. A core discipline of the liberal arts, history prepares students to work with people in all sorts of endeavors. Alumni of the Department of History manage multi-national companies and local businesses, serve in many public capacities (including Congress), run charitable organizations, work in military intelligence, train as medical doctors, and teach history.

Many history students are preparing themselves to teach in public schools and at colleges and universities, while others will find employment as "applied" historians. Some graduates qualify to be curators and archivists in museums and libraries, working to classify and preserve materials, setting up exhibits, and working with researchers. Others work as preservation historians for historical societies, collecting data and working to preserve historic sites.

Historians also work as editors and researchers in publishing or may provide advice on sets and clothing in the making of films. Some historians work as biographers, while others collect information on family lineage.

History is an excellent undergraduate major for students wishing to work in international relations, journalism, or management. Students preparing for law school, advanced business degrees, and management or sales training also benefit from a history degree. History is a good major for those preparing to work in the growing information management field. Career opportunities for history majors continue to expand and diversify with each passing year.

### Degrees and Programs Offered Through This Department

**History:** Bachelor of Science (BS), Bachelor of Arts (BA),  
Master of Science (MS), and Master of Arts (MA)

**Social Sciences:** Master of Social Sciences (MSS)

### Academic Advisement

All students should contact their academic advisor for assistance with course selection, program planning, and graduation requirements. Students who do not know the name of their advisor should contact the department, college, or the Office of University Advising.

### Graduation Requirements: BA\* or BS Degree in History

\*A BA degree requires foreign language training. For further information, see the *Online General Catalog*. Students should note that demonstration of proficiency in American Sign Language will *not* meet the foreign language requirement for the BA degree in history.

### Minimum University Requirements\*\*

Total credits . . . . .	120
Grade point average (most majors require higher GPA) . . . . .	2.00 GPA
Credits of C- or better . . . . .	100
Credits of upper-division courses (#3000 or above) . . . . .	40
USU credits . . . . .	30
(20 of which must be upper division, including 10 required by major)	
Completion of approved major program of study . . . . .	See department
Credits in minor (if required by department) . . . . .	12
Credits in American Institutions (ECON 1500; HIST 1700, 2700, or 2710; POLS 1100; or USU 1300) . . . . .	3
University Studies requirements . . . . .	See below

\*\*Colleges and departments may require more credits or a higher GPA. See requirements on this sheet.

### University Studies Requirements for History Major

Note: Approved University Studies courses and requirements are listed in the back section of each semester's *Schedule of Classes*.

### General Education Requirements (30-34 credits)

#### Competency Requirements (9-10 credits)

#### Communications Literacy (CL1 and CL2) (6 credits)

ENGL 1010 (CL1) (3 credits) or satisfactory AP, CLEP, IBO,  
ACT, or SAT score

#### AND

ENGL 2010 (CL2) (3 credits) or satisfactory IBO score

### Quantitative Literacy (QL) (3-4 credits)

MATH 1030 or 1050 or STAT 1040 (3-4 credits)

**OR**

One MATH or STAT course requiring MATH 1050 as a prerequisite

**OR**

Satisfactory AP, CLEP, IBO, ACT, or SAT score

### Computer and Information Literacy (0 credits)

Passing grade on six computer and information literacy related examinations.

### Breadth Requirements (18-20 credits)

Select at least one approved course from each of the following six categories: **American Institutions (BAI)**, **Creative Arts (BCA)**, **Humanities (BHU)**, **Life Sciences (BLS)**, **Physical Sciences (BPS)**, and **Social Sciences (BSS)**. At least two of the six breadth courses must be University Studies courses with a **USU prefix** (excluding USU 1000, 1010, 1100, 3330, 4900, and 6900). (CLEP or AP credit may be used.) One course chosen from HIST 1060, 1100, 1110, 1500, or 1510 will fulfill the Humanities requirement for students in the History major.

### Exploration Requirement (3-4 credits)

Choose an additional class from one of the following General Education categories: QL, BAI, BCA, BHU, BLS, BPS, or BSS.

## Depth Education Requirements

### Communications Intensive (CI) (2 courses)

Two courses having CI designation, selected from list of electives, will meet this requirement. For students in the History major, HIST 4990 (the required Capstone Course) may be used for one of these courses.

### Quantitative Intensive (QI) (1 course)

One course having QI designation (such as PHYS 2210 or 2220) will meet this requirement.

### Depth Course Requirements (4 credits minimum, including 2 credits minimum completed in each of two courses)

Complete at least 2 credits in approved 3000-level or above courses from each of the following two categories: **Life and Physical Sciences (DSC)** and **Social Sciences (DSS)**.

## Transfer Students

The History Department accepts all history courses taught by institutions within the Utah System of Higher Education. Students who are transferring may wish to consult the online *Advisor Handbook* for articulation information for the institution from which they are transferring. This information can be found at: [http://www.usu.edu/advising/for\\_advisors/handbook/2007-2008](http://www.usu.edu/advising/for_advisors/handbook/2007-2008)

## AP Credit

The History Department *does not* accept AP credit for use toward its degrees. However, if a student has passed an AP exam with a score of 3 or better, the equivalent lower-division course will be waived, and the student can complete the equivalent number of credits in an upper-division course. This waiver *does not* apply to students enrolled in the History Teaching Emphasis.

## Departmental Requirements

A grade of C or better is required in any history course used to meet the requirements for a major, minor, teaching emphasis, or teaching minor in history, or for a classics minor. A 2.5 grade point average is required for the courses used to meet these requirements. A 2.75 grade point average is required for entry into the teacher education program.

Since history can be classified in *both* the humanities *and* the social sciences, majors may receive *either* a Bachelor of Arts (BA) *or* a Bachelor of Science (BS) degree. However, because history primarily involves the study of written documents, the department encourages students to choose the BA, which requires proficiency in a foreign language.

## Bachelor of Arts Language Track

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree in history requires a minimum proficiency in a foreign language. This proficiency may be established in one of the following ways:

1. 16 credits in a single language;
2. Documentation of a proficiency level of “intermediate low” or better through an examination administered by the USU Department of Languages, Philosophy, and Speech Communication; or
3. Completion of any upper-division foreign language course constituting a third-year course of study with a grade of C or better.

Students should note that demonstration of proficiency in American Sign Language will *not* meet the foreign language requirement for the BA degree in history.

**Note:** Effective Summer Semester 2006, some course numbers changed, due to House Bill 320 (Common Course Numbering). Course numbers used *prior* to Summer Semester 2006 are shown in parentheses, following *formerly*.

## Bachelor of Science Mathematics and Science Track

For those interested in a BS degree, a significant amount of coursework in the College of Science is required. These courses must contribute significantly to an understanding of science and the scientific method. Therefore, students must complete 8 credits in one of the following course pairs: BIOL 1610/1620, CHEM 1210/1220, PHYS 2110/2120, **or** PHYS 2210/2220. Students *cannot* receive a BS in history unless they successfully complete one of these course pairs with grades of C- or better. Students must also complete at least 6 additional credits in math or science, 3 of which are required to be in *either* statistics (e.g. STAT 2000, 2300, or 3000) *or* social science statistics (e.g., PSY 2800, POLS 3000, or SOC 3120). The other 3 science credits may be chosen from any 2000-, 3000-, or 4000-level math or science course having one of the following prefixes: BIOL, CHEM, CS, GEO, MATH, STAT, or PHYS. For these 3 science credits only, students may petition the department head of the History Department to substitute a course from outside the College of Science, if it has a demonstrable scientific or technical focus (e.g., ADVS 3020, ETE 3200, PEP 4200, WATS 3000). In all instances, a grade of C- or better is required for any math or science course to be applied toward a BS degree.

Students who minor in a science field will fulfill the BS requirement through their minor.

## History Major Requirements

**Minimum GPA for Admission:** 2.5, major; 2.5, Career

**Minimum GPA for Graduation:** 2.5, major courses; 2.0, USU

**Minimum Grade Accepted:** C in major courses

**Number of Required Credits:** 36

**Other Requirements:** Requires a minor; no more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework can be counted toward major; no more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied to major; BA requires minimum foreign language proficiency, 16 credits in a single language **or** documentation of proficiency level of “intermediate low” or better on a language exam administered by the USU Languages, Philosophy, and Speech Communication Department **or** completion of upper-division language course with a grade of C or better; BS requires 14 credits in math and science beyond the University Studies requirements—3 credits must be in *either* statistics *or* social science statistics; 3 credits must be chosen from BIOL, CHEM, CS, GEO, MATH, STAT, or PHYS courses at the 2000-, 3000-, or 4000-level; and the remaining 8 credits must be completed from one of the following course pairs: BIOL 1610/1620, CHEM 1210/1220, PHYS 2110/2120, **or** PHYS 2210/2220.

### A. Premodern History (3 credits) Credits

- Complete *one* of the following courses:
- HIST 1060 (BHU)** Introduction to Islamic Civilization. . . . . 3
  - HIST 1100 (BHU)** Foundations of Western Civilization: Ancient and Medieval (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1040)
  - HIST 1500 (BHU)** Cultural and Economic Exchange in the Pre-Nineteenth Century World (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1020)

**B. Modern History (3 credits) Credits**

Complete *one* of the following courses:

- HIST 1110 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization: Modern (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1050)
- HIST 1510 (BHU) The Modern World (F,Sp,Su). . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1030)

**C. American History (3 credits)**

Complete *one* of the following courses:

- HIST 2700 (BAI) United States to 1877 (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3
- HIST 2710 (BAI) United States 1877-Present (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3

**D. Capstone Course (3 credits)**

Every senior in the history major must take the following capstone course:

- HIST 4990 (CI) Special Topics in History (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3

**E. Electives (21-24 credits)**

No student, including transfer students, may count more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework toward the history major. Students should complete their remaining 21-24 credits by taking 3000- and 4000-level courses included in the following list. Since new courses may be approved from time to time, any upper-division course listed under *History* in the *Schedule of Classes* is acceptable. No more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied to the history major.

**Credits**

- HIST/RELS 3010 Introduction to Buddhism . . . . . 3
- HIST/RELS 3020 Introduction to Hinduism . . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 3070 Perspectives in Folklore (F,Su) . . . . . 3
- HIST/ARTH 3110 (CI) Ancient Near East . . . . . 3
- HIST 3130 (CI) Greek History . . . . . 3
- HIST 3150 (CI) Roman History (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3220 (CI) Medieval European Civilization, 500-1500 . . . . . 3
- HIST 3230 Early Modern Europe . . . . . 3
- HIST 3240 Modern Europe from 1789 to the Present. . . . . 3
- HIST 3250 (CI) Renaissance Europe 1300 to 1520 (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3260 History of Spain and Portugal. . . . . 3
- HIST 3280 East Central Europe Since 1520. . . . . 3
- HIST 3310 Balkans Since 1389 . . . . . 3
- HIST 3320 Tsarist Russia . . . . . 3
- HIST 3330 The Soviet Union and its Heirs . . . . . 3
- HIST 3410 The Modern Middle East . . . . . 3
- HIST 3460 Comparative Asian History . . . . . 3
- HIST 3480 History of China. . . . . 3
- HIST 3490 Survey of Japanese History (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3510 Africa and the World . . . . . 3
- HIST 3530 African Environmental History . . . . . 3
- HIST/ANTH/LANG 3550 Culture of East Asia . . . . . 3
- HIST 3620 History of Colonial Latin America . . . . . 3
- HIST 3630 History of Modern Latin America. . . . . 3
- HIST 3640 History of Social Movements in Latin America . . . . . 3
- HIST 3650 Caribbean History . . . . . 3
- HIST 3660 History of Mexico . . . . . 3
- HIST 3670 Slavery in the Atlantic World . . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 3700 (CI) Regional Folklore (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 3710 (CI) Folklore Colloquium (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3720 Colonial America (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3730 The New American Nation (Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST 3740 United States in the Age of Jefferson and Jackson (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3750 Civil War and Reconstruction (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3755 The Gilded Age (U.S. 1877-1900) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3760 (CI) The United States, 1900-1945 (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3770 Contemporary America, 1945-Present (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3840 Twentieth Century American West (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3850 (CI) History of Utah (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3900 (DSC) Science and Technology in World History (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 3950 (CI) Environmental History . . . . . 3
- HIST/RELS 4010 Buddhism in the West . . . . . 3
- HIST/ARTH 4210 Celtic Europe (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4230 (CI) The History of Christianity in the West . . . . . 3
- HIST 4250 The Reformation in Britain: 1450-1688. . . . . 3
- HIST 4290 Europe and the French Revolution, 1700-1815 . . . . . 3
- HIST 4310 History of Nationalism . . . . . 3
- HIST/PHIL 4320 History of Scientific Thought (Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST 4330 Modern Germany with Special Emphasis on the Twentieth Century. . . . . 3
- HIST 4350 Greek Intellectual History (Sp) . . . . . 3

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- HIST 4390 British Imperialism from 1688 to the Present. . . . . 3
- HIST 4400 History of Aeronautics . . . . . 3
- HIST 4510 The History of Urban America . . . . . 3
- HIST/WGS 4550 (CI) Women and Gender in America (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4600 (CI) The History of the American West . . . . . 3
- HIST 4610 Themes and Methods in Economic History. . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 4620 (CI) Advanced Seminar in American Studies (F,Sp). 3
- HIST 4630 The History of Mexican Americans. . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 4640 (CI) Studies in the American West (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 4700 Folk Material Culture (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4710 American Indian History (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4720 (CI) The Civil Rights Movement (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4730 (CI) History of Black America (Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST 4740 American Immigration History (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 4750 Advanced Folklore Workshop: Fife Conference (Su). . . . . 3
- HIST 4780 American Financial History (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4790 American Religious History. . . . . 3
- HIST/POLS 4800 The Supreme Court and American Constitutional History . . . . . 3
- HIST 4810 American Military History . . . . . 3
- HIST 4820 World War II in Europe (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4821 World War II in Asia (Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST 4830 (CI) Structure of Engineering Revolutions (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4850 Interpreting the Past for Teachers (F,Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4860 Teaching History (F) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4870 Teaching World History: Themes, Approaches, and Materials (Sp) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4880 History Workshop: Special Topics (F,Sp,Su). . . . . 1-3
- HIST 4890 Cold War in Asia (F,Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST 4910 Special Studies in History (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3
- HIST 4930 Directed Readings. . . . . 1-3
- HIST/ENGL 5690 (CI) American Studies Capstone Seminar (Sp). . . . . 3
- HIST/ENGL 5700 Folk Narrative. . . . . 3

**Note:** Since the study of history requires an understanding of many fields of human endeavor, students majoring in history must select a minor. Historians are encouraged to take electives in fields that will broaden their knowledge of the world and are closely allied to history, such as religious studies, literature, economics, geography, anthropology, political science, sociology, classics, philosophy, or foreign language.

Students wishing to undertake graduate work should pursue the BA degree. During their senior year, they should take the graduate record exam (GRE).

**History Minor Requirements (21 credits)**

**A. Premodern History (3 credits)**

Complete *one* of the following courses:

**Credits**

- HIST 1060 (BHU) Introduction to Islamic Civilization. . . . . 3
- HIST 1100 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization: Ancient and Medieval (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1040)
- HIST 1500 (BHU) Cultural and Economic Exchange in the Pre-Nineteenth Century World (F,Sp) . . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1020)

**B. Modern History (3 credits)**

Complete *one* of the following courses:

- HIST 1110 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization: Modern (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1050)
- HIST 1510 (BHU) The Modern World (F,Sp,Su). . . . . 3 (formerly HIST 1030)

**C. American History (3 credits)**

Complete *one* of the following courses:

- HIST 2700 (BAI) United States to 1877 (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3
- HIST 2710 (BAI) United States 1877-Present (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3

**D. Electives (9-12 credits)**

No student, including transfer students, may count more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework toward the history minor. Students should complete their remaining 9-12 credits by taking 3000- and 4000-level history courses. (For a list of these courses, see section *E* under *History Major Requirements*.) No more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied to the history minor.

## Classics Minor

### I. Classics Minor with Emphasis in Civilization (21 credits)

- A. Required Courses (6 credits)** **Credits**  
 HIST 3130 (CI/DHA) Greek History . . . . . 3  
 HIST 3150 (CI) Roman History (Sp) . . . . . 3
- B. Ancient Archaeology (3 credits)**  
Select *one* of the following courses:  
 HIST/ARTH 3110 (CI/DHA) Ancient Near East (Sp) . . . . . 3  
 ANTH 2030 (BSS/CI) World Archaeology (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
(formerly ANTH 1030)
- C. Ancient Literature (3 credits)**  
Select *one* of the following courses:  
 CLAS 1100 The Latin and Greek Element in English (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 CLAS/ARTH 3210 Classical Mythology (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 THEA 5290 Special Topics in Theatre History and Literature (F,Sp) . . . 3
- D. Ancient Art (3 credits)**  
Select *one* of the following courses:  
 HIST/ARTH 4210 Celtic Europe (F) . . . . . 3  
 ARTH 4610 (CI) Greek and Roman Art. . . . . 3  
(formerly ART 4710)
- E. Ancient Thought (3 credits)**  
Select *one* of the following courses:  
 HIST 4350 Greek Intellectual History (Sp) . . . . . 3  
 POLS 4310 (CI) History of Political Thought I (Sp) . . . . . 3  
 PHIL 3100 (CI) Ancient Philosophy . . . . . 3
- F. Electives (3 credits)**  
The remaining 3 credits are elective, and may be selected from any of the courses listed above in sections B through E.

### II. Classics Minor with Emphasis in Latin Language (13 credits)

- A. Required Course (3 credits)** **Credits**  
 HIST 3150 (CI) Roman History (Sp) . . . . . 3
- B. Elective Course (3 credits)**  
Complete *one* of the following courses:  
 ARTH 4610 (CI) Greek and Roman Art. . . . . 3  
(formerly ART 4710)  
 CLAS 1100 The Latin and Greek Element in English (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 CLAS/ARTH 3210 Classical Mythology (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 HIST/ARTH 4210 Celtic Europe (F) . . . . . 3  
 THEA 5290 Special Topics in Theatre History and Literature (F,Sp) . . . 3
- C. Latin Language Courses (7 credits)**  
Complete 7 credits of upper-division (3000- and 4000-level) courses in Latin language.

### III. Classics Minor with Emphasis in Greek Language (13 credits)

- A. Required Course (3 credits)** **Credits**  
 HIST 3130 (CI/DHA) Greek History . . . . . 3
- B. Elective Course (3 credits)**  
Complete *one* of the following courses:  
 ARTH 4610 (CI) Greek and Roman Art. . . . . 3  
(formerly ART 4710)  
 CLAS 1100 The Latin and Greek Element in English (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 CLAS/ARTH 3210 Classical Mythology (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 HIST 4350 Greek Intellectual History (Sp) . . . . . 3  
 PHIL 3100 (CI) Ancient Philosophy . . . . . 3  
 THEA 5290 Special Topics in Theatre History and Literature (F,Sp) . . . 3

### C. Classical Greek Language Courses (7 credits)

Complete 7 credits of upper-division (3000- and 4000-level) courses in classical Greek language.

## History Teaching Emphasis Requirements

**Minimum GPA for Admission:** 2.5, major; 2.75, Career

**Minimum GPA for Graduation:** 2.75, major courses; 2.75, Career

**Minimum Grade Accepted:** C in major courses

**Number of Required Credits:** 39, plus 35-credit Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP)

**Other Requirements:** Requires teaching minor in area where teacher licensure can be granted; requires 35-credit STEP; no more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework can be counted toward major; a minimum of two courses must be taken from each of the following areas: U.S. history, European history, and world history; no more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied toward the major.

### A. Premodern History (3 credits)

Complete *one* of the following courses:

**Credits**

- HIST 1060 (BHU) Introduction to Islamic Civilization. . . . . 3  
 HIST 1100 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization:  
Ancient and Medieval (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1040)  
 HIST 1500 (BHU) Cultural and Economic Exchange in the  
Pre-Nineteenth Century World (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1020)

### B. Modern History (3 credits)

Complete *one* of the following courses:

- HIST 1110 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization:  
Modern (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1050)  
 HIST 1510 (BHU) The Modern World (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3  
(formerly HIST 1030)

### C. American History (6 credits)

Complete *both* of the following courses:

- HIST 2700 (BAI) United States to 1877 (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3  
 HIST 2710 (BAI) United States 1877-Present (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . 3

### D. Government and Politics (3 credits)

Complete the following course:

- POLS 1100 (BAI) United States Government and Politics (F,Sp) . . . . . 3

### E. Capstone Course (3 credits)

Every senior in the history teaching emphasis must take *one* of the following teaching capstone courses:

- HIST 4850 Interpreting the Past for Teachers (F,Sp) . . . . . 3  
 HIST 4860 Teaching History (F) . . . . . 3  
 HIST 4870 Teaching World History:  
Themes, Approaches, and Materials (Sp) . . . . . 3

### F. Electives (21 credits)

No student, including transfer students, may count more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework toward the history teaching emphasis. Students should complete their remaining 21 credits by taking 3000- and 4000-level history courses. (For a list of these courses, see section E under *History Major Requirements*.) A minimum of two courses must be taken from each of the following areas: U. S. history, European history, and world history. No more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied to the history teaching emphasis.

All students in the history teaching emphasis must also have a teaching minor in an area for which teaching licensure can be granted.

### G. Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP) (35 credits)

To graduate in the History Teaching Emphasis, students must fulfill the requirements of the 35-credit STEP prescribed by the School of Teacher Education and Leadership (TEAL). For further information about these requirements, contact the School of TEAL or see the booklet *Guide to the Undergraduate Program in Secondary Education at USU*, available at the USU Bookstore.

## Teaching Minor in History Requirements (30 credits)

### A. Premodern History (6 credits)

Complete *two* of the following courses:

- |                                                                                                                                 | Credits |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1060 (BHU) Introduction to Islamic Civilization . . . . .                                         | 3       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1100 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization:<br>Ancient and Medieval (F,Sp,Su) . . . . .       | 3       |
| <b>(formerly HIST 1040)</b>                                                                                                     |         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1500 (BHU) Cultural and Economic Exchange in the<br>Pre-Nineteenth Century World (F,Sp) . . . . . | 3       |
| <b>(formerly HIST 1020)</b>                                                                                                     |         |

### B. Modern History (6 credits)

Complete *both* of the following courses:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1110 (BHU) Foundations of Western Civilization:<br>Modern (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . | 3 |
| <b>(formerly HIST 1050)</b>                                                                                 |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1510 (BHU) The Modern World (F,Sp,Su) . . . . .                               | 3 |
| <b>(formerly HIST 1030)</b>                                                                                 |   |

### C. American History (6 credits)

Complete *both* of the following courses:

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2700 (BAI) United States to 1877 (F,Sp,Su) . . . . .      | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2710 (BAI) United States 1877-Present (F,Sp,Su) . . . . . | 3 |

### D. History Teaching Course (3 credits)

Complete *one* of the following history teaching courses:

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|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 4850 Interpreting the Past for Teachers (F,Sp) . . . . .                         | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 4860 Teaching History (F) . . . . .                                              | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 4870 Teaching World History:<br>Themes, Approaches, and Materials (Sp) . . . . . | 3 |

### E. Electives (9 credits)

No student, including transfer students, may count more than 12 credits of lower-division coursework toward the history teaching minor. Students should complete their remaining 9 credits by taking 3000- and 4000-level history courses. (For a list of these courses, see section *E* under *History Major Requirements*.) No more than 3 credits of HIST 4930 can be applied to the history teaching minor.

## Requirement Changes

Graduation requirements shown on this sheet are subject to change. Students should check with their assigned advisor concerning possible changes. Students are responsible for meeting all graduation requirements.

## Materials for Persons with Disabilities

This requirement sheet is available in digital format, recordings, or large print upon request to the USU Disability Resource Center.

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