



# Major in History

## Core Curriculum Courses

1. **HS 120** Introduction to Western Civilization I
2. **HS 121** Introduction to Western Civilization II
3. **HS 201** The Long-Term History of Globalization
4. **CL/HS 221** History of Ancient Greece  
OR **CL/HS 231** History of Ancient Rome and Italy
5. **HS 235** The Birth of Medieval Europe: From Constantine to the First Crusade  
OR **HS 236** Europe Before Nations: From the First Crusade to 1453
6. **HS/PH 223** Historical and Philosophical Aspects of the Italian Renaissance
- 7/8. *Two courses from the following:*
  - HS 210** Nineteenth Century Europe and the World
  - HS 211** Twentieth Century Europe and the World
  - HS 260** Early Modern Europe: Absolutism and Revolutions
9. **HS 280** The American Experience I  
OR **HS 283** The American Experience II
10. **HS 365** Italy from the Risorgimento to the First World War (1815-1918)  
OR **HS 366** Italy from Mussolini to the Crisis of the First Republic (1918 to present)
11. **HM 460** Research and Writing in the Humanities
12. **HS 480** Senior Thesis

## Major Electives

- HS 210 Nineteenth-Century Europe and the World (If not taken as core course)
- HS 211 Twentieth-Century Europe and the World (If not taken as core course)
- HS 235 The Birth of Medieval Europe: from Constantine to the First Crusade (If not taken as core course)
- HS 236 Europe Before Nations: From the First Crusade to 1453 (If not taken as core course)
- HS 240 History of Islam I: The Golden Age of Islam
- HS 241 History of Islam II: Mamluks & Ottomans
- HS 260 Early Modern Europe: Absolutism and Revolutions (If not taken as core course)
- HS 265 Europe's First Empires: From Columbus to Cook
- HS 280 The American Experience I: From the First Colonies to the Closing of the Frontier (If not taken as core course)
- HS 281 Independent Study
- HS 283 The American Experience II: From the Closing of the Frontier to the Present (If not taken as core course)
- HS 290 Native American History and Traditions



HS 299 Special Topics in History  
HS 311 History, Memory, and Popular Culture  
HS 345 Europe since 1945  
HS 365 Italy from the Risorgimento to the First World War (If not taken as core course)  
HS 366 Italy from Mussolini to the Crisis of the First Republic (If not taken as core course)  
HS 368 The Other America: History of the Counterculture in the US  
HS 371 The American 20th Century  
HS 372 African Atlantic: Slavery and Beyond  
HS 373 A World at Arms: The Second World War  
HS 374 Hitler and Mussolini: the Fascist and National Socialist Movements and Regimes  
HS 375 The Spanish Civil War and the Franco Regime)  
HS 376 The Atlantic Revolutions: The U.S., France, Haiti, and Latin America  
HS 377 History of World War I  
HS 378 Sport, Politics and Society in the Modern World  
HS 379 European Intellectual History  
HS 380 European Imperialism and the World Wars  
HS 381 Independent Study  
HS 392 Contemporary Africa  
HS 399 Special Topics in History  
HS 481 Independent Research  
HS/CL 221 History of Ancient Greece (If not taken as core course)  
HS/CL 231 History of Ancient Rome and Italy (If not taken as core course)  
HS/CL 255 Peoples of the Roman World: Ethnic, Social and Cultural Identities  
HS/CL 285 Wine and the Art of Drinking in Classical Antiquity  
HS/CL 299 Special Topics in Classical Studies and History  
HS/CL 399 Special Topics in Classical Studies and History