

THE HISTORY MAJOR (BA)

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The study of history is a crucial aspect of a liberal education. History provides a sense of perspective on the processes of social, political, and economic change that have literally shaped the world. The study of history deepens and broadens one’s understanding of the ways institutions and attitudes bring about change over time.

Lyon history students experience the varied work of the modern historian, especially the historian as a detective and as an interpreter. Working with both evidence and ideas in the classroom and in the field, history majors have the opportunity to refine their skills in critical reading, reasoning, research, and writing.

Program: History

SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS FOR A MAJOR IN HISTORY

Item #	Title	Credits
HIS 101	The United States I	3
HIS 102	The United States II	3
HIS 110	World Civilization I	3
HIS 112	World Civilization II	3
HIS 280	Historiography and the Historical Method	3
	Two Thematic Courses	6
	Upper level (300+) History Courses (6 courses)	18
HIS 475	Seminar in History	3
HIS 480	Senior Seminar	3
	Sub-Total Credits	45
	Total credits:	45

CATEGORY DESCRIPTIONS

Two Thematic Courses

200 level History Courses

Upper level (300+) History Courses (6 courses)

Six courses in American, European, and World History.