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History 6-8 Tracking

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Responses

Major Name History
Major Code HIS
Degree Program Name BA
Undergraduate Innovation Academy Program Yes
Effective Term Fall
Effective Year 2019
Current Curriculum for Major The history major requires students to complete 36 hours of history courses within the total of 120 hours for a bachelor's degree from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Courses used to meet the requirements of another major or minor may not be used toward the major in history.

Of the 36 total hours, at least 27 must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

At least 21 hours of history courses must be taken at the University of Florida, even if a student is transferring credit for history courses from another college or university.

Students are required to begin their history major with the mandatory three-credit course: HIS 3942 (History Practicum).

Students are required to take courses in a range of geographic areas, including:

9 hours in American history (AMH) and European history (EUH):
*one course in AMH, one course in EUH, and one course in either AMH or EUH
9 hours in African (AFH), Asian (ASH), or Latin American (LAH) and World (WOH) history *with a maximum of two courses under any one prefix (i.e. AFH, ASH, LAH, or WOH)
In their junior or senior year, students are required to take a research-oriented seminar limited to twenty students (History Senior Research Seminar), on a topic close to the research expertise of the professor concerned. The seminar may have any history prefix but always carries the suffix 4930, e.g. AMH 4930 or AFH 4930. Advanced students, who are contemplating the possibility of writing an honors thesis as part of the honors program, are encouraged to take this course at the junior level (3LS). Other students should probably wait until their senior year.

Courses in the History Department have the following prefixes: AFH, AMH, ASH, EUH, HIS, LAH, and WOH. Only these courses may be counted toward the major. Courses used to meet the requirements of another major or minor and courses in other departments such as Art History and Classics may not be used toward the major though history courses may also count to the fulfillment of General Education requirements.
Proposed Curriculum Changes Semester's 6-8 Tracking for History

Semester 6: Complete one distribution class with a prefix of LAH, AFH, WOH, or ASH
2.0 UF GPA required

Semester 7: Complete one distribution class with a prefix of AMH or EUH
2.0 UF GPA required

Semester 8: Complete 4930 research seminar
2.0 UF GPA required
Pedagogical Rationale/Justification To ensure timely graduation

Impact on Enrollment, Retention, Graduation N/A

Assessment Data Review SLO 1: Acquire and apply basic research skills learned through use of print and electronic resources of the library and web

SLO 2: Critically assess and interpret primary and secondary sources

SLO 3: Identify a historical research topic related to the focus of the research seminar, develop knowledge of the topic through research, and create historical arguments using evidence effectively with clear prose.

SLO 4: Produce an effectively written analytical research paper based in research of primary sources, framed within the secondary literature, and offering a coherent historical argument supported by the evidence.

Academic Learning Compact and Academic Assessment Plan N/A