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Dear Colleagues:

We are writing to propose changes to the History Department's undergraduate curriculum, to be reflected in the next edition of the *Undergraduate Bulletin*. A number of currently listed courses are pending for deletion from the *Bulletin* because they are no longer taught. At the same time, a number of new courses are pending approval. All of these courses are linked to fields of concentration within the major, so their inclusion or exclusion from the *Bulletin* affects the options available to students pursuing the various concentrations.

Student advising "transition" plan: Current students may apply any of the currently listed courses to their major concentrations. They may also apply courses that they have already taken but are no longer listed.

Undergraduate Bulletin text with a summary of the requirements, with changes tracked: Please note that all additions are pending College approval. The proposed changes are marked on the attached document, per instructions from Nick Siedentop.

Sincerely,

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- Use this document to submit curriculum changes for the 2017-2018 academic year.

History Major, B.A.

Core Requirements

- A total of 10 HIST courses
- Four to six courses in a field of concentration: African, Asian, and Middle Eastern history; ancient/medieval history; gender and women's history; global history; Latin American history; modern European history; Russian, Eurasian, and Eastern European history; United States history; thematic history
- Four to six courses outside the field of concentration
- HIST 398. This seminar can be in the field of concentration or outside it.
- One course in Latin American or African, Asian, and Middle Eastern history
- At least six courses numbered 200 or above

Each major shall concentrate in one area (see lists below), or students must devise a thematic concentration and have it approved by the chair of the Undergraduate Studies Committee.

At least seven of the 10 courses must be completed with a grade of C or better.

The Department of History offers multiple sections of the required HIST 398 undergraduate seminar each semester. Each section focuses on a different topic. Prior to the course registration period, the Department of History will distribute to all history majors information about the next semester's offerings of HIST 398.

All College of Arts and Sciences policies apply, including (but not limited to) the following. No history course may be taken for Pass/Fail credit (even if the course serves as a free elective). A maximum of 15 history courses (45 hours) may be applied toward the B.A. degree. Any courses beyond the minimal 10 (but not above the maximum of 15) will count as free electives.

No more than five courses (15 hours) of transfer credit and College Board Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate credit may count toward the major. Up to five courses (15 hours) of transfer credit may count toward the major, but only up to two courses (six hours) of College Board Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate credit may count toward the major. In no case can the combination of transfer credits and AP/IB credits exceed 15 hours.

Below are listed history courses for each field of concentration.

Field according to Topic: HIST 190, 291, 390, 398, 490, 493, 495, 496, 691H, 692H, 697

African, Asian, and Middle Eastern History: HIST 52, 61, 62, 63, 74, 83, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 163, 166, 174H, 202, 203, 243, 271, 272, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 281, 282, 284, 285, 287, 288, 312, 331, [340 \(renumbered from 540\)](#), ~~379~~, 483, 484, 511, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, ~~540~~, 550, 555, 556, 557, 570

Ancient/Medieval: HIST 75, 106, 107, 108, 151, 177H, 225, 226, 228, 255, 345, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 427, 428, 431, 432, ~~433~~, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 452, 453, 460

Gender and Women's History: HIST 72, 130, 144, 236, 259, 264, 280, 354, 355, 356, 361, 370, 375, 389, 438, 475, 479, 500, 501, 517, 535, 537, 562, 566, 568, 569, 576

Global History: HIST 53, 62, 66, 73, 76, 83, 138, 139, 140, 202, 203, 205, 206, 207, 210, 212, 213, 220, 242, 243, 246, 247, 249, 268, 278, 281, 302H, 312, 325, 329, 330, 345, [346 \(pending approval 10/25/2016 CC report\)](#), 349, 351, 354, 370, ~~379~~, 389, -459, ~~465~~, 474, 479, 501, [508 \(pending approval, 10/25/2016 CC report\)](#), 509, 510, 511, 514, 516, 517, 534, 538, 578

Latin American History: HIST 51, 76, 142, 143, 175H, 203, 240, 242, 280, 526, 527, 528, 529, 531, 532, 533

Modern European History: HIST 53, 54, 56, 64, 65, 66, 72, 73, 77, 81, 84, 85, 151, 152, 153, ~~156~~, 157, 158, 159, 161, 162, 164, 165, 177H, 178H, 205, 206, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 264, 268, 269, -308, 309, 310, 311, 320, 325, 332, 334, 347, [348 \(pending approval, 10/25/2016 CC report\)](#), [353 \(pending approval, 10/25/2016 CC report\)](#), 354, 370, ~~433~~, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 458, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, ~~465~~, 466, ~~467~~, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, ~~473~~, 474, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 485, 486, 500, 501, [508 \(pending approval, 10/25/2016 CC report\)](#), 510, 516, 517

Russian, Eurasian, and Eastern European History: HIST 64, 161, 162, 163, 176H, 264, 311, 334, 476, 477, 478, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484

United States History: HIST 53, 57, 60, 65, 66, 68, 70, 79, 110, 120, 121, 124, 125, 127, 128, 144, 179H, 205, 206, 230, 231, 233, 234, 235, 236, 239, 241, 242, 244, 245, 246, 289, 302H, 320, 325, 355, 356, ~~357~~, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, ~~379~~, 381, 382, 383, 384, 389, -459, 475, [494 \(pending approval\)](#), 510, 517, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 568, 569, 570, 571, 574, 576, 577, 581, 582, 584, 586, 587, 589, 622, 624, 625, 670, 671

History Major, NUS Joint Degree

History majors may wish to consider applying for the Joint Degree Program, an innovative undergraduate degree program joining UNC–Chapel Hill and the National University of Singapore, one of the top universities in Asia and the world. UNC–Chapel Hill undergraduates spend from two to four semesters at the National University of Singapore and receive a joint bachelor of arts degree with a major in history from both institutions. For further information

about the Joint Degree Program, see history.unc.edu/undergraduate-program/joint-degree-program-with-the-national-university-of-singapore or contact the Study Abroad Office and the director of undergraduate studies in the Department of History.

History Minor

The minor in history consists of five courses taken in the Department of History. A maximum of two courses can be numbered below 200. Students must have a grade of C or better in at least four of the five courses; three must be taken at UNC–Chapel Hill or a program officially sponsored by the University. No more than one course (three hours) of College Board Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate credit may count toward the minor.

Medieval and Early Modern Studies (MEMS) Minor

The undergraduate minor in medieval and early modern studies provides students with a broad, humanities-based approach to the rich and fascinating cultures that flourished globally from around 500 CE to 1800 CE. This interdisciplinary minor requires students to take five classes representing at least three different subject codes.

- One core course chosen from ARTH 264 or ARTH/ASIA 154; ASIA/HIST 135; ASIA/RELI 180; CMPL 120; ENGL 120; HIST 107 or 158; or MUSC 251
- At least one course at the 300 level or above
- No more than three courses at the 100 level (including the core course)

The following courses are approved for the MEMS minor. With the prior approval of the MEMS minor supervisor up to two courses can be applied to the minor as transfer credits from other institutions.

AMST/ANTH 54; AMST/HIST 110; ANTH 121; ARTH 54, 151, 258, 264, 265, 270, 271, 274, 362, 363, 450, 466, 467, 471, 472, 490 (based on topic); ARTH/ASIA 154, 158, 251, 266, 273, 458, 561; ASIA/HIST 131, 135, 138; ASIA/RELI 180, 183, 284, 285, 487, 488, 489, 581, 582, 584; ASIA 300/RELI 283, ASIA 301/RELI 286, ASIA 303/RELI 288; CLAS 259; CLAS/CMPL 364; CMPL 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 223, 277, 452, 453, 454, 456, 458, 473, 478, 558; CMPL/ENGL 321, 621; ENGL 120, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230, 319, 320, 325, 326, 327, 330, 331, 332, 430; ENGL/PWAD 660; FREN 370, 371, 387, 554; GERM 53, 58, 210, 216, 310, 500, 502, 505, 511, 514, 515, 615; GERM/WMST 220; HIST 107, 127, 142, 151, ~~156~~, 177H, 228, 255, 398 (based on topic), 431, 432, 434, 435, 436, 437, 452, 453, 460, 461, 467, ~~473~~, 561, 574, 697; HIST/PWAD 254, 351; HIST/RELI 454; HIST/WMST 280; ITAL 240, 241, 357, 370, 511; JAPN 377; LATN 205, 514, 530; MUSC 251; PHIL 215, 220, 415, 421, 422, 470; PORT 501; RELI 64, 161, 165, 362, 366, 367, 371, 450, 489, 525, 566, 586; RELI/WMST 371; SPAN 280, 371, 383, 384, 617, 650