

Student: _____ Date of Admission: _____ Advisor: _____

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS, DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

For freshmen who enter the History program IN THE FALL 2012, OR AFTER

General Education Goal	Minimum GEPs Required	Minimum Disciplines Required ¹	Course, Department Prefix and Number ²	GEPs Earned	Sem Completed	Grade Earned	Ful-filled
Communication Communicate effectively in writing, oral presentation, and visual argument.	7	3	English 101: Foundations of College Writing (completed in first year)	3	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Information Literacy Find, evaluate, and ethically use information using appropriate technology.	2	1					<input type="checkbox"/>
Analytical & Quantitative Skills Apply critical analysis, quantitative reasoning, and problem solving skills.	5	2	foundational math class (completed in first year) _____ Note: MATH 109 College Algebra, MATH 112 Trigonometry, MATH 113 Pre-Calculus do not earn General Education Points.	3	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cultures & Diversity Apply knowledge from the humanities and other disciplines to analyze: the implications of diversity among human groups, their histories, cultures, and the plurality of human experiences.	5	2					<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural Sciences Demonstrate knowledge of natural sciences principles, concepts, and methods.	5	2					<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Sciences Demonstrate knowledge of social sciences principles, concepts, and methods.	5	2					<input type="checkbox"/>

¹ **Disciplines Represented:** To satisfy those General Education Goals requiring courses from more than one discipline, students must take courses with two or three different departmental prefixes. For example, ART and ARTHSTRY represent two different disciplines, although they are housed in the same department.

² If a course gets general education approval after the student has been admitted and taken the course, then s/he should Petition for Exceptions to Undergraduate Graduation Requirements to substitute old for the newly approved GEP version of the course. This is policy PRP 3604.

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Arts & Humanities Apply knowledge from the arts and humanities to analyze, evaluate, or participate in the artistic and literary traditions of our diverse world.	5	2					<input type="checkbox"/>
Second Language Demonstrate basic communication skills in a second language.	2	1	Note: Students may also earn the required GEPs as a result of their score on an appropriate foreign language placement test. ³				<input type="checkbox"/>
Healthy Living Participate in physical activity and evaluate the consequences of health decisions.	2	1					<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizenship Exhibit responsible citizenship.	2	1					<input type="checkbox"/>
Total GEPs Earned							
Minimum 40 distributed correctly between disciplines and goals:							
No more than one history course may be used to fulfill any one of the ten general education goals.							

Requirements to fulfill History Major

The departmental course requirements for a history major consist of thirty-nine (39) semester hours with at least eighteen (18) credit hours in 300 or 400 level courses. One course, e.g. 42.121 may also be counted for three GEPs in Cultures & Diversity.

A. Required Courses (all of those listed below) (18 credits):

Sem. Compl.	Grade	History	Sem. Compl.	Grade	History
		121 U.S. Hist. Colonial Period to 1877			122 U.S. Hist. 1877 to Present
		125 Western Civilization to 1650			126 Western Civilization since 1650
		298 Historiography & Historical Methods *			398 Research and Writing Skills*

*The grade of C or better is REQUIRED in 42.298 and 42.398 (Fall 2005 and after)

B. Choose two from the following regional history or non-western history courses (6 credits):

Sem. Compl.	Grade	History	Sem. Compl.	Grade	History
		131 Asian Civilization to 1500			132 Asian Civilization since 1500
		141 Modern China and Japan			142 Latin America
		143 Black Africa			145 Muslim World to 1405
		146 Muslim World since 1405			151 History of Africa to 1885
		152 History of Africa since 1885			216 Africa & Black Atlantic to 1790
		217 Africa & Black Atlantic since 1790			

³ https://www.bloomu.edu/opa/placement_language

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300/400 LEVEL COURSE GUIDE

(this list is subject to change; updated August 2012)

Upper Division, 300/400 level courses in U.S. History History major (College of Liberal Arts) requirement "C"		
History 329 American Woman History 372 Colonial America History 374 U.S. Social History History 379 U.S.: The New Nation History 380 Old South/New South History 381 Civil War and Reconstruction	History 383 Shaping Contemporary America History 385 Recent American History History 388 Pennsylvania History 391 Diplomatic History, U.S., to 1898 History 392 Diplomatic History, U.S., since 1898	History 395 Afro-American Radicalism History 404 Topics in American History History 472 History of Labor, U.S. History 476 War and American Society
Upper Division, 300/400 level courses in European history History major (College of Liberal Arts) requirement "D"		
History 318 Early England History 319 Modern England History 320 French Revolution/Napoleon History 324 Revolutionary Europe History 326 Europe, 1789-1914 History 327 Total War Europe History 328 Cold War Europe History 335 History of Christianity	History 336 Medieval Europe History 337 Europe in the Renaissance and Reformation History 340 German History from 1871 History 346 Modern European Intellectual History History 347 History of the Holocaust History 353 Medieval Russia History 356 Imperial Russia	History 452 Soviet Russia History 405/505 Jews of Europe History 416/516 Classical Worlds, Ancient Greece/Rome History 460/461 Topics in European History History 469 Women/Gender in Euro. Intell. Hist., I History 470 Women/Gender in Euro. Intell. Hist., II
Upper Division, 300/400 level courses in non-Western or regional history History major (College of Liberal Arts) requirement "E"		
History 315 Origins of Civilization History 355 East Asia since 1800 History 360 Modern Korea, Late Choson—Present History 430 Caribbean Slave Societies	History 432 Plantation Societies, Atlantic World. History 456 History of the Modern Middle East History 458 Late Ottoman Empire History 354 Modern Japan, 1868—Present History 359 Twentieth Century China	History 410 Topics in Non-Western History History 431 Caribbean Societies, Post-Emancipation History 453 Problems in Contemporary Lat. Am. History 457 Early Ottoman Empire