

Christopher Newport University
History Major Degree Track for Students Enrolled 2008-

FIRST MI. LAST					ENROLLED catalog 20		E-MAIL	
GRAD SCHOOL	MAT	PUBLIC HISTORY	LAW	MILITARY GOVT	BUSINESS	HONORS	STUDY ABROAD	MINOR

I. Liberal Learning Foundations (18-20 hours)

<i>Liberal Learning Foundations courses may NOT also satisfy the Areas of Inquiry (A of I) requirement.</i>		
First Year Seminar (3 hours)	ULLC 100	
Written Communication Literacy (minimum grade of C- or better)	ENGL 123	
Second year ULLC from <i>any</i> department (minimum grade of C- or better)	ULLC 223	
Second Language Literacy (3 hours at the 200 level or higher) If 0-1 year in HS, take <u>sequence</u> : 101-102, 200 If 2 years in HS, take 200 or 201 If 3+ years in HS, take 200 or higher	One Language: ARAB, CHIN, FREN, GERM, GREK, ITAL, LATN, SPAN	Course #: 200 201 higher than 200
Mathematical Literacy (6-8 hours from MATH 115 or higher)	Two Lectures: MATH 115, 121, 123, 125, 130, 135, 140, or above	

II. Liberal Learning Areas of Inquiry (22 hours)

<i>No more than eight hours across the A of I may be taken from any one discipline. No more than ONE course in the discipline in the major may be presented to satisfy the A of I requirement.</i>		
Western Traditions (AIWT) 3 hours	includes HIST 121, HIST 122, among others	
Global & Multicultural Perspectives (AIGM) 3 hours	includes HIST 111, HIST 112, among others	
Creative Expressions (AICE) 3 hours		
Formal and Informal Reasoning (AIIF) 3 hours		
Identity, Institutions, and Societies (AIII) 3 hours		
Investigating the Natural World (AINW) Select TWO lectures and ONE lab	Lecture:	Lecture:
		One Lab:

III. Liberal Learning Emphasis (6 hours)

<i>Students must take at least TWO additional courses in the <u>same</u> Area of Inquiry with at least 1 of those courses at the 300-400 level. Neither may be in the department of the major.</i>	1 Area of Inquiry: AIWT, AIGM, AICE, AINW, AIII, AIIF	Course (not HIST):	Course (not HIST): 3xx/4xx
---	--	---------------------------	--------------------------------------

IV. Writing Intensive (WI)

<i>Students must complete TWO Writing Intensive courses at the 300- or 400-level during the academic career. Writing Intensive courses may be included in the Area of Inquiry requirement and may be from the major.</i>	HIST 390W
---	------------------

V. History Major Requirements (39 hours)

*** Please note that history courses may be added in the future that can be used to satisfy these requirements.**

History majors must achieve a minimum GPA of 2.0 in all history courses and a maximum of 2 grades below C- in all upper-division courses.

SURVEYS

Select at least 3 of the following surveys.

111	Ancient and Medieval World
112	Modern World
121	Early America to the Civil War (formerly HIST 201)
122	Modern America (formerly HIST 202)

200-level Courses

A maximum of 1 of the following courses may be applied to the history major.

205	Rice Fields, Imperial Palaces, and the Great Wall
220	War in the Ancient World
262	Discovering Latin America
276	The Study of History Abroad

EUROPEAN HISTORY AREA

Select at least 2 of the following European history courses.

301	The Ancient Greeks
302	Roman History
307	Medieval Europe
309W	The Renaissance-WI
310	The Reformation Era
317	Rebuilding Democracy in Postwar Europe
318	Nineteenth Century Europe
319	Twentieth Century Europe
320	Imperial Russian History
321	Soviet History and Beyond
322	The Postwar Germanies
326	The Nazi State and the Holocaust
329	Modern France
332	European Military History 500-1815
337	Modern Germany, 1784 to 1919
338	Modern Germany since 1919
415	The Byzantine Empire
423	Communism's Collapse
428W	WI: History of Propaganda

AMERICAN HISTORY AREA

Select at least 2 of the following American history courses.

304	U.S. Women's History
325	Cold War Politics and Culture
336	Modern American Diplomatic History
340	America and the Second World War
348	Introduction to Historical Archaeology
349	The Rise and Fall of American Slavery
350	American Indians
351	American Military History
352	Colonial North America to 1700
354	The American Revolution and Early Republic, 1775-1820
355	Civil War and Reconstruction
356	The United States in the Gilded Age and Progressive Era, 1877-1919
357	Twentieth Century America, 1920-1960
358	Twentieth Century America, 1961-Present
372	History of Virginia
374	Americans Meet the World
435	Public History
442	Workers in America
443	20 TH Century American Popular Culture
453	Empires of North America, 1700-1775
480	The United States as a World Power
485	The Great Depression

OTHER REGIONS OF THE WORLD & SPECIAL SUBJECTS AREA

Select at least 2 courses from the World or special subjects areas.

312	Ancient Egypt
327	History on Film
344	Self, Family, and Society in Chinese Tradition
347	Atlantic World Encounters 1400-1700
360	History of Traditional East Asia
362	History of Modern Latin America
364	History of Brazil
365	History of Islam
367	Modern Chinese History
368	Modern Japanese History
370	Twentieth Century Africa
375	History of the Modern Middle East
405	Law and Justice in Chinese History
466	Society and Culture in Chinese History
473W	WI: Major Themes in Contemporary African History
476	Seminar Abroad

SPECIAL TOPICS AND OTHER COURSES

A maximum of 2 Special Topics courses may be applied to the history major.

295	Special Topics – area: US or Europe or World – title:
395	Special Topics – area: US or Europe or World – title:
491	Practicum – does not count towards the major.
495	Special Topics – title/area:
499	Independent Study – does not count towards the major.

REQUIRED COURSES

Looking over the major courses, students should be sure to fulfill the following requirements. Students must take at least 2 additional elective courses at the 200-level or higher from any area (excluding 491 and 499). Students must take at least 2 seminars at the 400-level. Students must take HIST 390W and HIST 490.

Elective Course (2xx/3xx/4xx):	Elective Course (2xx/3xx/4xx):
Seminar Course (4xx):	Seminar Course (4xx):
390W	Historical Methods and Historiography (WI)
490	Senior Seminar

CONCENTRATIONS AND CAREER PREPARATION

Program or Track	Recommended Course Selection
Graduate School Preparation	Majors should consider a regional or thematic concentration in history; more foreign language.
Pre-Law Preparation	GOVT 100, 101 or 102, 316, 363, 365, 367, 375
Public History Preparation	HIST 348 (Hist. Archeology), 435 (Public History), 491 (Practicum), 276/476 (study abroad)
MAT Preparation	see current requirements in catalog or MAT office
Business Minor (27 hours, at least 3.0 CNU GPA)	ACCT 201-202; ECON 201, 202; BUSN 201, 300, 311, 323, 351, 1 non-core business elective.
Other Minor	see catalog