## University Core and Graduation Requirements

### University Core Requirements:

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FOR UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM QUESTIONS CONTACT THE ADVISEMENT CENTER

*THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (21-32 hours overlap)*

### Graduation Requirements:

| Minimum residence hours required | 30.0 |
| Minimum hours needed to graduate | 120.0 |

### Suggested Sequence of Courses

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

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### Note

Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.
BA in Family History - Genealogy (734125)
2021-2022 Program Requirements (51.5 - 54 Credit Hours)

REQUIREMENT 1 Complete 1 course

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING IN FULFILLMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY CORE
FIRST-YEAR WRITING REQUIREMENT. NOTE: WAVERS BASED ON ADVANCED
PLACEMENT (AP) OR OTHER TEST SCORES DO NOT APPLY TO THIS
REQUIREMENT. STUDENTS WITH AP CREDIT FOR ENGL 115 SHOULD TAKE
WRIT 150.

REQUIREMENT 2 Complete 2 courses

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING IN FULFILLMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY CORE
CIVILIZATION 1 AND 2 REQUIREMENTS:

HIST 201 - World Civilization to 1500 3.0
HIST 202 - World Civilization from 1500 3.0

REQUIREMENT 3 Complete 2 courses

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING (HIST 205 MAY BE USED AS PARTIAL
FULFILLMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY CORE RELIGION REQUIREMENT):

HIST 205 - Introduction to Family History Doctrine and Practice 2.0
HIST 206R - Regional and Thematic Studies in Family History 1.0
REL C 261 - Introduction to Family History (Genealogy) 2.0

REQUIREMENT 4 Complete 1 course

NOTE 1: HIST 217 SHOULD BE COMPLETED NO LATER THAN THE
SOLOMENS YEAR OR IN THE FIRST SEMESTER/TERM AFTER THE MAJOR IS
DECLARED. MAJORS SHOULD CONSULT WITH THE FAMILY HISTORY
COORDINATOR SOON AFTER DECLARING. NOTE 2: STUDENTS MUST
COMPLETE HIST 217 WITH A GRADE OF C OR HIGHER IN ORDER TO SATISFY
THIS REQUIREMENT.

HIST 217 - The Family Historian's Craft 3.0

REQUIREMENT 5 Complete 3 courses

NOTE: HIST 200 AND 218 SHOULD BE COMPLETED NO LATER THAN THE
SOLOMENS YEAR OR IN THE FIRST SEMESTER/TERM AFTER THE MAJOR IS
DECLARED. HIST 200 AND 490 COMBINED SATISFY THE UNIVERSITY CORE
ADVANCED WRITTEN AND ORAL COMMUNICATIONS REQUIREMENT. HIST 220
MUST BE COMPLETED AS A COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY COURSE AND CANNOT BE
FULFILLED WITH AP OR OTHER TEST SCORES.

HIST 200 - The Historian's Craft 3.0
HIST 218 - The Family and the Law in American History 3.0
HIST 220 - The United States Through 1877 3.0

REQUIREMENT 6 Complete 1 course

HIST 280 - Northern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 281 - Southern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 282 - Colonial North American Family History Research and Method: 3.0

Note: Hist 280, 281, and 282 cannot double count in requirements 6, 7, and 8.

REQUIREMENT 7 Complete 1 course

RESEARCH COURSES:

HIST 280 - Northern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 281 - Southern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 282 - Colonial North American Family History Research and Method: 3.0
HIST 283 - British Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 284 - German Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 285 - Scandinavian Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 286 - Southern European and Latin American Family History Researc: 3.0
HIST 287 - Slavic Family History Research and Methodology 3.0

Note: Courses cannot double count between Requirements 7 and 8.

REQUIREMENT 8 Complete 2 courses

RESEARCH AND SKILLS COURSES:

HIST 280 - Northern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 281 - Southern US Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 282 - Colonial North American Family History Research and Method: 3.0
HIST 283 - British Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 284 - German Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 285 - Scandinavian Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 286 - Southern European and Latin American Family History Researc: 3.0
HIST 287 - Slavic Family History Research and Methodology 3.0
HIST 296 - Regional and Thematic Studies in Family History 1.0
REL C 261 - Introduction to Family History (Genealogy) 2.0

REQUIREMENT 9 Complete 1 course

HIST 350 - English Language Paleography 3.0
HIST 351 - German Language Paleography 3.0
HIST 352 - Slavic Languages Paleography 3.0
HIST 353 - Romance Languages Paleography 3.0
HIST 354 - Scandinavian Languages Paleography 3.0
HIST 420 - Latin Paleography 3.0

REQUIREMENT 10 Complete 1 course

SOCIAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY COURSES. SEEK FACULTY ADVISE IN
CHOOSING ELECTIVES.

HIST 232 - Introduction to the History of Christianity 3.0
HIST 244 - Jewish History: A.D. 70 to the Present 3.0
HIST 253 - Religion in Colonial Latin America 3.0
HIST 290 - Nature and History: The Earth's Environmental Past 3.0
HIST 292 - Food and History 3.0

HIST 293 - World War II in History and Memory 3.0
HIST 298 - Digital History 3.0
HIST 305 - The Age of Enlightenment 3.0
HIST 311 - The History of Film, Radio, and Television 3.0
HIST 312 - History of Ideas 3.0
HIST 313 - Strategy in Peace and War 3.0
HIST 316 - Modern American Warfare Studies 3.0
HIST 317 - Terrorism and Counterterrorism 3.0
HIST 318 - European Women’s History 3.0
HIST 319 - The Family in Europe 3.0
HIST 349 - History of Asian Religions and Thought 3.0
HIST 358 - Gender and History in Latin America 3.0
HIST 362 - United States Immigration History 3.0
HIST 366 - Slavery and the Slave Trade in Africa and the Atlantic World 3.0
HIST 368 - Sport, Society, and American Culture 3.0
HIST 369 - History of Travel and Tourism 3.0
HIST 377 - Growing Up in America: A History of Childhood and Youth 3.0
HIST 378 - History of American Families 3.0
HIST 379 - U.S. Religious History to 1890 3.0
HIST 380 - U.S. Religious History Since 1890 3.0
HIST 384 - United States Women’s History 3.0
HIST 389 - Mormonism Among Christian Theologies: A Comparative History 3.0
HIST 396 - Historical Narrative: A Writing Workshop 3.0
HIST 431 - Public History 3.0
HIST 487 - Philosophies of History 3.0

REQUIREMENT 11 Complete 1 course

COMPLETE ONE COURSE FROM LIST OF HISTORY COURSES THAT (1) DOES
NOT APPEAR ABOVE AND (2) RELATES TO YOUR SELECTED GEOGRAPHICAL
AREA OF EMPHASIS. SEEK FACULTY ADVISE IN CHOOSING ELECTIVES.

HIST 231 - Introduction to East Asian History 3.0
HIST 238 - Ancient Near East to 230 BC 3.0
HIST 239 - Ancient Near East, 330 BC - 640 AD 3.0
HIST 240 - Middle East History to 1800 3.0
HIST 241 - Middle East History from 1800 3.0
HIST 247 - (Hist-CICv 304) Greek History 3.0
HIST 248 - (Hist-CICv 307) Roman History 3.0
HIST 250 - Europe 1500 to the Present 3.0
HIST 251 - Conquest and Colonization of Latin America 3.0
HIST 252 - Modern Latin America 3.0
HIST 253 - Religion in Colonial Latin America 3.0
HIST 260 - Early Africa 3.0
HIST 261 - Modern Africa 3.0
HIST 294 - The Age of the French Revolution 3.0
HIST 295 - Latin America in the Age of Revolution, 1750-1850 3.0
HIST 298 - Digital History 3.0
HIST 300 - The Early Middle Ages 3.0
HIST 301 - The Late Middle Ages 3.0
HIST 302 - The Italian Renaissance 3.0
HIST 303 - The Reformation: Age of Turmoil 3.0
HIST 304 - The Expansion of Europe, 1400-1800 3.0
HIST 306 - Nineteenth Century Europe 3.0
HIST 307 - Europe Since 1914 3.0
HIST 308 - The Mediterranean 3.0
HIST 309 - European Revolutions Since 1850 3.0
HIST 314 - Fascism and Nazism in Europe, 1914-present 3.0
HIST 315 - European Jews and the Holocaust 3.0
HIST 317 - Terrorism and Counterterrorism 3.0
HIST 322 - Pre-Modern Britain 3.0
HIST 323 - Modern Britain 3.0
HIST 324 - France 3.0
HIST 325 - Spain 3.0
HIST 326 - The History of Mexico 3.0
HIST 327 - Italy in the Modern World Since 1848 3.0
HIST 328 - Modern Germany 3.0
HIST 329 - The City in Brazil: An Urban History 3.0
HIST 331 - Soviet Union and Post-Soviet Russia 3.0
HIST 332 - Scandinavian History 3.0
HIST 333 - History of the Ottoman Empire 3.0
HIST 334 - History of Ancient Iraq 3.0
HIST 335 - Crusades 3.0
HIST 336 - South African Liberation Movements 3.0
HIST 337 - Pre-modern Korea 3.0
HIST 338 - Modern Korea 3.0
HIST 339 - African Social Change 3.0
HIST 340 - Traditional China 3.0
HIST 341 - China Since 1200 3.0
HIST 342 - The Mongol Empire in World History 3.0
HIST 343 - Early Japan: Shinto and Samurai, Courtiers and Courtesans 3.0
HIST 344 - Modern Japan 3.0
HIST 345 - Islam in Africa 3.0
HIST 347 - Chinese Cultural History 3.0
HIST 348 - Modern South East Asia 3.0
HIST 349 - History of Asian Religions and Thought 3.0
HIST 355 - History of Argentina 3.0
HIST 356 - Brazil 3.0

HIST 357 - The Indian in Latin American History 3.0
HIST 359 - Inter-American Relations 3.0
HIST 360 - American West to 1900 3.0
HIST 361 - The American West Since 1900 3.0
HIST 362 - United States Immigration History 3.0
HIST 363 - The Spanish Frontier in North America 3.0
HIST 364 - Utah 3.0
HIST 365 - American South 3.0
HIST 367 - Slavery in the United States 3.0
HIST 368 - Sport, Society, and American Culture 3.0
HIST 370 - Early America 3.0
HIST 371 - Revolutionary America 3.0
HIST 373 - Civil War Era, 1848-1877 3.0
HIST 374 - U.S. History from 1890 to 1945 3.0
HIST 375 - Joseph Smith in Mormon History and Historiography 3.0
HIST 376 - U.S. History from 1945 to 2000 3.0
HIST 377 - Growing Up in America: A History of Childhood and Youth 3.0
HIST 379 - U.S. Religious History to 1860 3.0
HIST 380 - U.S. Religious History Since 1860 3.0
HIST 382 - Mormonism in the American Experience 3.0
HIST 383 - African-American History, 1865 to Present 3.0
HIST 385 - Latinos in the United States 3.0
HIST 386 - American Indian History to 1830 3.0
HIST 387 - American Indian History from 1830 to the Present 3.0
HIST 388 - Genetic Genealogy 3.0
HIST 391 - The Vietnam War 3.0
HIST 392 - U.S. Constitutional History 3.0
HIST 393 - U.S. Foreign Relations 3.0
HIST 394 - Scripture in American History 3.0
HIST 395 - Teaching with Technology in Social Studies 3.0
HIST 397 - Historical Literacies in United States History 3.0
HIST 399 - Democratic Classroom Design for Social Studies 3.0
HIST 430R - (Hist-Clscs) Topics in Ancient Roman History 3.0
HIST 430R - (Hist-Clscs) Topics in Ancient Greek and Roman History 3.0
HIST 430R - (Hist-Clscs) Topics in Ancient History 3.0
HIST 435R- Directed Research 3.0
HIST 439R - Directed Readings 3.0

REQUIREMENT 12 Complete 1 course
HIST 439 - Seminar on Professional Family History Research 3.0

REQUIREMENT 13 Complete 3.0 hours from the following course(s)
HIST 496R - Academic Internship: Family, Local, and Social History 3.0

REQUIREMENT 14 Complete 1 course
HIST 490 - Capstone Research Seminar 3.0
FINANCING:
Many students work up to 20 hours per week. Some find employment in campus offices and some junior and senior students obtain teaching or research assistantships. Most of our students obtain summer jobs that make use of their training and interests. The Center for Family History and Genealogy has competitive grant money for family history internships. The History Department and the College of Family, Home, and Social Sciences also have scholarship, prize, and grant money.

CAREERS:
Family history/genealogy is a growing and dynamic field with a variety of professional and volunteer paths. Genealogy is a multi-billion-dollar, international industry with a dizzying array of career opportunities. As graduates from the only BA degree in family history anywhere in the English-speaking world, the combination of liberal arts historical training and technical genealogical skills position students flourish in their careers and influence the direction the industry pursues in coming years.

For more information on careers in your major, please contact the University Career Center or the Liberal Arts Academic Advisement Center.

MAP DISCLAIMER
While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.

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