

History

Students following plan requirements for following Undergraduate Calendars

	2016-17 Requirements	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14	2012-13
HONOURS	70% major average 16 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 course in each of 3 fields (A-D): A) HIST 253 or 254 B) HIST 257 or 258 C) HIST 260, 262, or 263 D) HIST 268 or 275 - 4 at the 300-level - 1.5 units at 400-level (HIST 421, 422, 450)	75% major average 20 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 course in each of 3 fields (A-D): A) HIST 253 or 254 B) HIST 257 or 258 C) HIST 260, 262, or 263 D) HIST 268 or 275 - 3 at the 300-level - 3 400 seminars (1 unit each)	Same as 2015-16	Same as 2015-16	75% major average 20 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 of HIST 262, 263, 264, 265 - HIST 253 or 254 - HIST 257 or 258 - 3 at the 300-level - 3 400 seminars (1 unit each)
	Pros/Cons of switching to 2016:	Pros: Lower average; Fewer major courses; 400-level requirement is more flexible Cons: Must do 1 extra at the 300-level	Pros: Lower average; Fewer major courses; 400-level requirement is more flexible Cons: Must do 1 extra at the 300-level	Pros: Lower average; Fewer major courses; 400-level requirement is more flexible Cons: Must do 1 extra at the 300-level	Pros: Lower average; Fewer major courses; 400-level requirement is more flexible Cons: Must do 1 extra at the 300-level; Must ensure 3 categories are fulfilled via courses already taken
ARBUS	Same as Honours	Same as Honours, but: 14 HIST courses: - 2 at the 300-level - 2 400 seminars	Same as 2015-16	Same as 2015-16	Same as Honours, but: 14 HIST courses: - 2 at 300-level - 2 400 seminars
	Pros/Cons of switching to 2016:	Pros: Lower average; 0.5 units less at the 400-level and is more flexible Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 2 extra at 300-level	Pros: Lower average; 0.5 units less at the 400-level and is more flexible Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 2 extra at 300-level	Pros: Lower average; 0.5 units less at the 400-level and is more flexible Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 2 extra at 300-level	Pros: Lower average; ; 0.5 units less at the 400-level and is more flexible Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 2 extra at 300-level; Must ensure 3 categories are fulfilled via courses already taken
JOINT	Same as Honours	Same as Arts & Business	Same as Arts & Business	Same as Arts & Business	Same as Arts & Business, but: BA requires total of 42 courses instead of 40
	Pros/Cons of switching to 2016:	See Arts & Business	See Arts & Business	See Arts & Business	Pros: Lower average; Need to only do 40 courses total Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 2 extra at 300-level; Must ensure 3 categories are fulfilled via courses already taken
FOUR-YEAR GENERAL	65% major average 16 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 course in each of 3 fields (A-D): A) HIST 253 or 254 B) HIST 257 or 258 C) HIST 260, 262, or 263 D) HIST 268 or 275 - 4 at the 300-level - 1.5 units at 400-level (HIST 421, 422, 450)	65% major average 14 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 course in each of 2 fields (A-D): A) HIST 253 or 254 B) HIST 257 or 258 C) HIST 260, 262, or 263 D) HIST 268 or 275 - 4 at the 300-level	Same as 2015-16	Same as 2015-16	65% major average 14 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 4 at 300-level
	Pros/Cons of switching to 2016:	Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 1 extra course in a 3rd field; Must do 1.5 units at the 400-level	Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 1 extra course in a 3rd field; Must do 1.5 units at the 400-level	Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 1 extra course in a 3rd field; Must do 1.5 units at the 400-level	Cons: Must do 2 extra courses; Must do 1.5 units at the 400-level; Less flexibility = Must ensure courses fit 3 fields; Must ensure 3 categories are fulfilled via courses already taken
THREE-YEAR GENERAL	65% major average 12 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 1 course in each of 2 fields (A-D): A) HIST 253 or 254 B) HIST 257 or 258 C) HIST 260, 262, or 263 D) HIST 268 or 275 - 3 at the 300-level	Same as 2016	Same as 2016	Same as 2016	12 HIST courses: - HIST 250 - 2 at 300-level
	Pros/Cons of switching to 2016:	No need to switch	No need to switch	No need to switch	Cons: Must do 1 extra at 300-level; Less flexibility = Must ensure courses fit 2 fields; Must ensure 3 categories are fulfilled via courses already taken

NOTES

1. This plan will receive final approval in September 2015.
2. Students switching to the 2016 requirements must 1) enroll in and complete a course during the Fall 2016 term, 2) complete all requirements laid out in the 2016-17 UG Calendar.
3. The 400-level seminars currently offered will be changing formats as of September 2016. Students who have taken A/B 400-level seminars will be able to substitute them for the new 1.5 unit 400-level requirement.
4. As of 2013-14 UG Calendar or later, all students must complete 3 categories (1 Canadian History, 1 pre-1800 History, 1 post-1800 History).
5. Arts & Business students: Prior to 2016, Arts & Business students followed separate Honours requirements. Please review and consider carefully.
6. Joint Honours students: Prior to 2016, Joint Honours students followed separate Honours requirements. Please review and consider carefully.
7. Specializations still exist (Applied History; Global Interactions; International Relations; Revolution, War, and Upheaval) and will now be open to any History major.