WELCOME to the HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Rowan University

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Glassboro, New Jersey

B.A. in History with Specialization in United States History

Student Worksheet

Student Name:		
Transfer Credits:	Transfer institution:	
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STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

All students must meet with their advisor regularly to ensure that they are taking appropriate courses!

- *Freshmen* (0-30 credits): advised by Dr. Carrigan, History Department, Robinson Hall, carrigan@rowan.edu.
- *Sophomores/Juniors* (31-89 credits): advised by Ms. Christine Larsen-Britt, Larsen-britt@rowan.edu, Bunce Hall 218.
- *Seniors* (90 and above): advised by Dr. Joy Wiltenburg, History Department, Robinson Hall, wiltenburg@rowan.edu
- *K-12 Education Coordinate majors*, advised by Ms. Nadia Rahin, Student Services Center, James Hall, rahin@rowan.edu.
- "...It is the responsibility of the student to become knowledgeable of, and to observe, all University policies, regulations and procedures. The University is under no obligation to waive a requirement or grant an exception because a student pleads ignorance of a policy, regulation or requirement or because a student asserts that he/she has not been informed of such policy, regulation or requirement."

(Rowan University Undergraduate Catalog: www.rowan.edu/catalog)

Graduation Requirements (minimum)*

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2.00 Overall G.P.A.2.0 Major G.P.A.120 Credits

Seniors should meet with the senior advisor, Dr. Wiltenburg, wiltenburg@rowan.edu, before applying for graduation.

* You MUST apply to the Registrar to graduate.
(Graduation application deadlines are listed on the Registrar's home page each semester.)

Portfolio Requirements

The portfolio, which must include 4 of the sixteen items listed below plus an <u>essay</u> or <u>research paper</u> written for *Historical Methods* and your *Senior Seminar Paper*, must be submitted on CD or DVD in Microsoft Word format at the end of *Seminar*. For more information about the portfolio, go to the History Department website, http://www.rowan.edu/history/current.

- 1. Historical Essay
- 2. Research Proposal
- 3. Research Paper
- 4. Abstract of Book or Article
- 5. Critical Book Review
- 6. Peer Assessment
- 7. Film Review
- 8. Historiographical Essay
- 9. Periodical Literature Review
- 10. Historical Fiction
- 11. Document Analysis
- 12. Data Analysis
- 13. Image Analysis
- 14. Website Review

PROGRAM GUIDE

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COMP 01.101 College Composition I or COMP 01.105 Integrated CCI	3	
COMP 01.102 College Composition II	3	
CMS 04.205 Public Speaking	3	
Mathematics course from Science & Mathematics bank	3	
Lab Science course from Science & Mathematics bank	4	
Artistic and Creative Experience (ACE) designated course Recommended: Art or Music Appreciation	3	
Any Economics course from the Social & Behavioral bank Any Political Science course from the Social & Behavioral bank Recommended: POSC07.110: American Government	3	
Any M/G Geography or Anthropology	3	
ENGL 02.116 Readings in Non-Western Lit	3	
Foreign Language**	3	
Foreign Language (both courses must be in the same foreign language)	3	
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HIST 05.100 Western Civilization to 1660	3	
HIST 05.101 Western Civilization Since 1660 OR HIST 05.120 World History Since 1500	3	
HIST05.150 United States to 1865	3	
HIST05.151 United States Since 1865	3	
HIST 05.306 Historical Methods-Writing Intensive (WI) (required before taking upper level electives)	3	
300-400 U.S. history core course*	3	
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300-400 U.S. history course or Topics course***	3	
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300-400 global history course or Global Topics*** (history of Africa, Asia, Latin America, Middle East, and Russia)	3	

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HIST 05.492 Seminar in History (Seniors only)	3	

82 credits

ELECTIVES

Students may take any combination of History, General Education, and/or Free Electives courses to reach **120 credits**. These credits may be utilized to pursue certification, dual majors, minors, concentrations, the honors program, etc. We recommend that students focus some of their non program and free electives on courses related to the United States.

38 credits

*Upper Level (300-400) U.S. History Core Courses:

HIST05.328 Colonial North America

HIST05.301 History of the Revolution and Early Republic

HIST05.321 United States History, 1820-1861

HIST05.322 Civil War and Reconstruction

HIST05.329 Gilded Age

HIST05.338 America War to War

HIST05.375 America after 1945

- ** Students may fulfill the language requirement by completing the second semester of a foreign language, or a higher level foreign language course, e.g. students who pass Intermediate Spanish II do not need to take Spanish I, II or Inter. Spanish I.
- ***Students may take as many or as few *Topics in History* and *Global Topics in History* courses as they wish.

Freshmen must take a course designated as a Rowan Seminar (RS), preferably a history course, in their first semester at Rowan.