Course Description

Bachelor of Arts Degree in History

HIST 1013 Survey of Civilization I
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Civilization to 1660. European and world development emphasizing cultural, economic, religious, and political changes. Some attention is given to non western civilization.

HIST 1023 Survey of Civilization II
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
European and world development from 1660 to the present, emphasizing cultural, economic, religious, and political changes. Some attention given to nonwestern civilization.

HIST 2213 American History I
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
The growth of the United States from the discovery of America to 1876.

HIST 2223 American History II
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
The United States from 1876 to the present.

HIST 3403 Emergence of Modern Europe
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
The evolution of Europe in the 17th and 18th centuries, the French Revolution, Napoleon.

HIST 3423 Britain
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
British history with emphasis on political, constitutional, and imperial institutions.

HIST 348V Field Course
Variable credit
A field course consisting of travel, observation, and study of selected historic sites.

HIST 349V Seminar in World History
Variable credit
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
A selected period or topic with extensive readings, acquaintance with source material, and class discussion. Not to exceed 3 credit hours per semester. Can be repeated for up to 12 hours.

HIST 3503 Middle East and North Africa
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
From the Prophet Muhammad (6th century A.D.) to the present;
emphasis on the development of Islamic culture from the 7th to the 13th centuries, the Ottomans, and the last 150 years.

**HIST 3513 Historiography and Historical Methods**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 1013, 1023, 2213, and HIST 2223  
A study of history as a discipline, how historians use primary sources, and major schools of historical interpretation.

**HIST 3523 Modern Europe**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023  
Major political, social, and economic developments in Europe since 1815.

**HIST 3543 American West**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223  
The westward movement in American history, with emphasis upon the social, economic, and political influence of the frontier in American life.

**HIST 3553 Africa**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023  
The entire continent from earliest times through the present; emphasis on the continuity of African civilization through the first independent period, colonialism, and the second independent period.

**HIST 3563 Russia**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023  
Kievan and Appanage Russia, the rise of Moscow, the Age of St. Petersburg, the Soviet Age.

**HIST 3573 Colonial America**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223  
European exploration and settlement in North America from the fifteenth century to the American Revolution.

**HIST 3583 Latin America**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023  
Evolution of Latin America from the Pre Columbian epoch through the contemporary period with an emphasis on political, social, and economic developments.

**HIST 3593 Arkansas History**
*3 credits: 3 hours lecture*
Prerequisite: HIST 2213 or HIST 2223  
Social, political, and economic evolution of Arkansas from the Spanish and French explorations to the present.
HIST 3633 American South
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
Social, political, and economic history of the American South from 1812 to the present.

HIST 3643 Medieval Age, Renaissance, and Reformation
3 credits, 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
Religious, social, economic, and political development of Europe from the time of Charlemagne to 1600.

HIST 3683 American Revolution and Early Republic
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
Development of the United States from the War of Independence to the Age of Jackson.

HIST 4603 Modern America, 1900-1945
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
The Progressive Movement, World War I, the Roaring Twenties, the Great Depression, the New Deal, and World War II.

HIST 4613 Recent America, 1945-Present
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
The Cold War, Korea and Vietnam, the civil rights movement, the dissenting sixties, and presidential administrations since World War II.

HIST 4623 East Asia
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
Study of the civilizations of China and Japan with emphasis on the last two hundred years.

HIST 4653 American Civil War and Reconstruction
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
Military history, weapons, tactics, strategy, and key campaigns; Reconstruction and its effects.

HIST 466V Seminar in American History
Variable credit
Prerequisites: HIST 2213 and HIST 2223
Selected period or topic with extensive readings, acquaintance with original source material and class discussions. Not to exceed 3 hours credit per semester. Can be repeated for up to 9 hours credit.

HIST 4673 Mexico
3 credits: 3 hours lecture
Prerequisites: HIST 1013 and HIST 1023
Political, economic, and social developments in the history of Mexico from early civilizations through the modern era.

**HIST 479V Independent Study in History**  
*Variable credit*  
Consult the Independent Study Courses subheading in the Academic Regulations section of this catalog for prerequisites and description.