

HISTORY MINOR CONCENTRATION (B.A.) (18 CREDITS)

Offered by: History and Classical Studies (Faculty of Arts)

Degree: Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Arts and Science

Program credit weight: 18

Program Description

The Minor Concentration History introduces students to the study of diverse cultures and societies around the world from antiquity to contemporary times. It is an excellent complement to the major concentrations offered in the Faculty of Arts. The Minor Concentration History is expandable to a Major Concentration History.

Students wishing to complete a history program are encouraged to consult a Program Adviser at the beginning of their first year, and to fill out a departmental program advising/audit form. For more information about the undergraduate programs in history, and for advising information and forms, visit the program's website at <http://www.mcgill.ca/history/undergraduate>.

Important note: Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate credits may not be included in the overall credit requirement for history programs.

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Complementary Courses (18 credits)

18 credits of history courses (HIST or Cognate courses - see list below), of which no more than 6 credits may be at the 200-level.

Cognate Courses

The following non-HIST courses may be counted toward the History minor program (max. 3 credits). Additional courses may be submitted for consideration to the Undergraduate Program Director. Faculty regulations stipulate that a course may not be counted toward more than one program.

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Course	Title	Credits
CLAS 303	Ancient Greek Religion.	3
CLAS 304	Ancient Greek Democracy.	3
CLAS 305	Roman Religion.	3
CLAS 345	Study Tour: Greece.	3
CLAS 406	Greek and Roman Historiography.	3
ISLA 305	Topics in Islamic History.	3

ISLA 315	Ottoman State and Society to 1839.	3
ISLA 350	From Tribe to Dynasty.	3
ISLA 355	Modern History of the Middle East.	3
ISLA 365	Middle East Since the 1970's.	3
ISLA 410	History: Middle-East 1798-1918.	3
ISLA 411	History: Middle-East 1918-1945.	3
ISLA 511	Medieval Islam, 10th-12th Century.	3
ISLA 515	The Medieval School in Islam.	3
ISLA 516	Medieval Islam, 13th-15th Century.	3
JWST 240	The Holocaust.	3
JWST 245	Jewish Life in the Islamic World.	3
JWST 303	The Soviet Jewish Experience.	3
JWST 312	Modern Jewish History.	3
JWST 334	Jews and Muslims: A Modern History.	3
JWST 348	Modern Jewish Studies.	3
JWST 365	Modern Jewish Ideologies.	3
JWST 366	History of Zionism.	3
JWST 371	Jews and the City.	3
RELG 326	Christians in the Roman World.	3

Notes: 200-level cognate courses count toward the 6-credit limit of 200-level courses allowed for the program.