**General Education Requirements**

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| **Sem** | **Yr** | **Course** | **Grade** |
| **Humanities & Fine Art** | | | |
|  |  | HIS 15xxG or other |  |
|  |  | HIS 2010/90G or HIS 2020/90G |  |
|  |  | Fine Art |  |
| **Language** | | | |
|  |  | ENG 1001G/1091G |  |
|  |  | ENG 1002G/1092G |  |
|  |  | CMN 1310G/1390G |  |
| **Mathematics** | | | |
|  |  | Math |  |

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| **Scientific Awareness** | | | |
|  |  | Biology (3 or 4 cu) |  |
|  |  | Physical Science (3 or 4 cu) |  |
|  |  | Lab requirement |  |
| **Social & Behavioral Sciences** | | | |
|  |  | HIS 3600G/36090G |  |
|  |  | Other #1 |  |
|  |  | Other #2 |  |
| **Senior Seminar or Study Abroad Capstone** | | | |
|  |  | EIU 41xxG or STA 4000G |  |

**Major Reqs: History**

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| **Sem** | **Yr** | **Course** | **Grade** |
| Fa |  | HIS 1101 (1 s.h.) |  |
|  |  | HIS 2010/90G or HIS 2020/90G |  |
|  |  | HIS 2500 |  |
| Sp |  | HIS 2560 |  |
| Fa |  | HIS 3555 |  |
|  |  | HIS 3600G/3690G |  |
| Sp |  | HIS 4375 |  |

**Other Requirements**

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| **Cultural Diversity Req.** | | | |
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|  |  | Cultural Diversity Course |  |
| **Foreign Language Req. (2 semesters or H.S.)** | | | |
| **Sem** | **Yr** | **Course** | **Grade** |
|  |  | For. Language Sem. #1 |  |
|  |  | For. Language Sem. #2 |  |
| **Electronic Writing Portfolio** | | | |
| **Sem** | **Yr** | **Submission** | **Passed?** |
|  |  | EWP #1 |  |
|  |  | EWP #2 |  |
|  |  | EWP #3 |  |

**General Education Requirements**

**Major Reqs: Electives**

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| **Sem** | **Yr** | **Course** | **Grade** |
|  |  | HIS 3000+ Elective (US) |  |
|  |  | HIS 3000+ Elective (US) |  |
|  |  | HIS 3000+ Elective (non-US) |  |
|  |  | HIS 3000+ Elective (non-US) |  |
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|  |  | HIS 3000+ Elective |  |
|  |  | HIS 1000+ Elective |  |

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**When should I take HIS 1101?**

* As soon as possible! HIS 1101 is a prerequisite for HIS 2500: Historical Research and Writing. It also introduces you to the discipline, to the faculty, and to careers for historians—all things you should be thinking about as soon as you decide you are interested in majoring or minoring (or just studying) history.

**Should I take HIS 2500 before I take upper-division courses?**

* Yes! While upper-division history electives don’t have formal prerequisites, they do entail considerable research and writing. That’s why we strongly recommend you take HIS 2500 before taking upper-division history courses. You’ll get so much more out of them. But beware: HIS 2500 is not offered every semester, so if you have the opportunity, don’t pass it up!

**How many HIS 15xx courses can I take toward my History major or minor?**

* One for majors and two for minors. Majors can take one of HIS 1500G, HIS 1521G, HIS 1522G, HIS 1523G, HIS 1524G, HIS 1525G, HIS 1526G (and their honors equivalents) toward degree. Minors can take two. HIS-TL students must take HIS 1500G.

**Are required HIS courses offered every semester?**

* Unfortunately, no, so you should plan accordingly. HIS 1101 and HIS 3555 are usually offered in Fall semesters, and HIS 2500, HIS 2560, and HIS 4375 in Spring semesters. However, this is not a firm rule, so be sure to check the class schedule when registering for classes.