

Department of History & Philosophy

The Department of History and Philosophy offers programs of study leading to the Bachelor of Arts degree in History and the Bachelor of Science degree in Social Science. In conjunction with the School of Education, the Department of History & Philosophy offers courses leading to teacher licensure at the secondary level in History. The School of Education is responsible for admission and regulation of the Teacher Education Program.

The Department's academic programs prepare students for graduate study and employment. Its educational programs are structured to address community and professional needs.

Graduating majors are required to demonstrate their skills in oral and written communication, analytical precision, and competency in their field. In addition, graduating majors are expected to exhibit the ability to apply the knowledge and skills of their field to every day situations.

A minor is offered in history with the following requirements of 15-18 hours.

HIST 1111	(if not taken in Area F)	3 hours
HIST 2000		3 hours
Three 3000-4000 level HIST courses		9 hours
One 3000-4000 level non-western HIST course		3 hours

A minor is offered in philosophy with the following requirements of 15-18 hours. A grade of "C" or better is required for a course taken to satisfy a requirement in the minor.

One of the following:

PHIL 2500	Introduction to Logic	3 hours
MATH 2800	Introduction to Mathematical Proof	3 hours

Three of the following (Foundational Courses):

PHIL 3000	History of Philosophy - Ancient	3 hours
PHIL 3001	History of Philosophy - Modern	3 hours
PHIL 3003	Chinese Philosophy	3 hours
PHIL 3400	Metaphysics	3 hours
PHIL 3600	Epistemology	3 hours

Either one additional Foundational Course (see above) or one of the following (Electives):

PHIL 4200	Environmental Ethics	3 hours
PHIL 4300	Philosophy of Religion	3 hours
PHIL 4500	Advanced Logic	3 hours
PHIL 4700	Political and Social Philosophy	3 hours
PHIL 4900	Topics in Philosophy	3 hours
ART 4560	Philosophy of Art	3 hours
CSCI 2150	Computer Ethics and Social Issues	3 hours
POLS 3310	American Political Theory	3 hours

POLS 3315	Political Philosophy	3 hours
POLS 4302	Twentieth Century Political Thought	3 hours
SOCI 4100	Sociological Theory	3 hours

All upper-division Philosophy courses have a prerequisite of one lower-level Philosophy course.

The History Department & Philosophy issues credit for advanced placement in World Civilization and U.S. History and also accepts credit for the US History CLEP (College Level Examination Program). The scores necessary for AP C credit are as follows:

HIST 1111	World Civilization I	World	Part I	3
HIST 1112	World Civilization II	World	Part II	3
HIST 2111	U.S. History I	U.S.	Part I	3
HIST 2112	U.S. History II	U.S.	Part II	3

It is recommended that students take appropriate lower level history courses, including HIST 2000, before taking any upper 3000-4000 level courses.

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY

Core Curriculum Requirements 60 hours

All baccalaureate degree programs at NGCSU require the satisfactory completion of at least 60 semester credit hours comprising the six areas of the Core Curriculum. A complete description of Areas A-E of the core curriculum can be found on page 94. Individual degree programs may specify exceptions and/or particular courses that must be taken within each Area A-E of the core curriculum. Those exceptions and/or course requirements, and Area F of the core curriculum are shown below.

Area A	no exceptions	9 hours
Area B	no exceptions	4 hours
Area C	no exceptions	6 hours
Area D	no exceptions	11 hours
Area E	no exceptions	12 hours

Area F: Courses Appropriate to Major 18 hours

Foreign Language 2001	3 hours
Any 2000 level HIST course	3 hours
HIST 2112	3 hours
POLS 1101	3 hours
HIST 1111	3 hours
One 1000-2000 level courses from ANTH, ECON, GEOG, PHIL, POLS, PSYC, or SOCI	3 hours

MAJOR AREA		30 hours
HIST 2000	3 hours	
HIST 2370, HIST 2410, HIST 2724, or HIST 2860	3 hours	
One 3000-level European HIST	3 hours	
One 3000-level Asian, African, or Latin American HIST	3 hours	
One 3000-level World HIST	3 hours	
One 3000-level U.S. HIST	3 hours	
One 4000-level HIST Seminar	3 hours	
Three 3000-4000 level HIST courses	9 hours	

MINOR AREA 15-18 hours
Determined by the department offering the minor.

ELECTIVES 12-15 hours

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

PHED 1000 or 3 one-hour activity courses (exclusive of the 120 hours required for the degree program) 3 hours

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Military Science requirement (if applicable) 12 hours
U.S. & GA Constitution (Met when Area E completed)
U.S. & GA History (Met when Area E completed)
Regents' Skills Test or exemption (must be taken during the first semester, see page 89)
Senior Exit Exam

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SOCIAL SCIENCE

Core Curriculum Requirements 60 hours

All baccalaureate degree programs at NGCSU require the satisfactory completion of at least 60 semester credit hours comprising the six areas of the core curriculum. A complete description of Areas A-E of the core curriculum can be found on page 94. Individual degree programs may specify exceptions and/or particular courses which must be taken within each Area A-E of the core curriculum. Those exceptions and/or course requirements, and Area F of the core curriculum are shown below.

Area A	no exceptions
Area B	no exceptions
Area C	no exceptions
Area D	Social Science majors should take MATH 2400. It is a prerequisite to POLS 3601
Area E	no exceptions

Area F: Courses Appropriate to Major		18 hours
HIST 2111, HIST 2112, or POLS 1101	3 hours	
HIST 1111 or POLS 2401	3 hours	
HIST 2000	3 hours	
POLS 2101	3 hours	
One 2000 level history course	3 hours	
ECON 2105, ECON 2106, GEOG 1101, or SOCI 1160	3 hours	
MAJOR AREA		30 hours
POLS 3601	3 hours	
POLS 3602	3 hours	
One 3000-4000 level U.S. HIST	3 hours	
One 3000-4000 level European HIST	3 hours	
One 3000-4000 level Non-Western or World HIST	3 hours	
Three 3000-4000 level POLS courses	9 hours	
Two 3000-4000 level courses from HIST, POLS, PSYC, SOCI	6 hours	
MINOR AREA		15-18 hours
Determined by the department offering the minor.		
ELECTIVES		12-15 hours
PHYSICAL EDUCATION		
PHED 1000 or 3-one hour activity course (Exclusive of the 120 hours required for the degree program)		3 hours
OTHER REQUIREMENTS		
Military science requirements (if applicable)		12 hours
U.S. & GA Constitution (Met when Area E completed)		
U.S. & GA History (Met when Area E completed)		
Regents' Skills Test or exemption (must be taken during the first semester, see page 89)		
Senior Exit Exam		

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY
TEACHER EDUCATION CERTIFICATION**
(Admission to the Teacher Education Program required
see page 221 for Admission Requirements.)

The History Degree Program with Teacher Education Certification holds the same Areas A-F, Physical Education, and Major Area requirements as the History Degree, plus 36 hours of the following Teacher Education courses which replace the minor area and electives in the degree program:

Teacher Education		9 hours
Track Courses:		
EDUC 2110	Investigating Critical & Contemporary Issues in Education	3 hours
EDUC 2120	Socio-Cultural Perspectives on Diversity in Education	3 hours
EDUC 2130	Exploring Teaching & Learning	3 hours
Teacher Education (Requirements)		27 hours
Block A:		
EDUC 3002	Educational Assessment	2 hours
EDUC 3003	Classroom Management	2 hours
EDUC 3003L	Classroom Management/Lab	1 hour
Block B:		
LART 3106	Teaching Reading/Content Areas	3 hours
Block C:		
EDUC 4000	Curriculum	4 hours
EDUC 4101	Methods and Materials (P-12, 6-12)	3 hours
EDUC 4103	Internship - Planning (P-12, 6-12)	3 hours
EDUC 4104	Internship - Performance (P-12, 6-12)	3 hours
EDUC 4105	Internship - Profession (P-12, 6-12)	3 hours
EDUC 3540	Applied Data Analysis	3 hours

**FOR COURSES OFFERED IN THE
HISTORY & PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT
SEE COURSE DESCRIPTIONS (PAGES 230-369)**

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HIST	Pages 294-299
PHIL	Pages 343-344