This degree requires a minimum of 122 credit hours to graduate (at least 36 credit hours must be upper-division, 300 or 400-level) and a cumulative GPA of 2.75. A minimum of 30 credit hours must be earned at Park.

## DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

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## **MAJOR MAP**

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY — EUROPEAN/CLASSICAL OR UNITED STATES CONCENTRATION **Purpose Statement:** This degree equips students to appreciate the diversity of human encounters through the inquiry of one's own and other's cultures and societies. In addition, this degree equips students to evaluate the study of the past for its contribution to life-long learning and applicable values that model civic engagement.

	Credit	
	Hours	
University Graduation Requirements – BA		
LE 100, First-Year Seminar (first-time freshman only; waived for transfer students)	3	
EN 306, Professional Writing in the Disciplines, or departmental equivalent (prerequisites of EN 105, EN 106 and 60 credit hours)	3	
Modern Language (Completion of two, 4-hour elementary level modern language courses; or the second 4-hour elementary course and one, 3-hour intermediate course; or one, 3-hour intermediate course. Students are encouraged to take a placement test if they completed two or more years of language study in high school; AP credit may apply.)	3-8	
University Liberal Education Requirements		
EN 105, First-Year Writing Seminar I	3	
EN 106, First-Year Writing Seminar II (Prerequisites: EN 105 or equivalent)	3	
CA 103, Oral Communication; CA 105, Introduction to Human Communication; <i>or</i> TH 105, Oral Communication	3	
CS 140, Introduction to Computers; or higher; or departmental equivalent	3	
MA 120, Basic Concepts of Statistics; MA 135, College Algebra; or higher	3	
Lab Science	4	
LE Natural and Physical Science Elective (except computer science)	3	
LE Social Science Elective	3	
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LE Arts & Humanities Elective	3	
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LE 300, Seminar in Integrative and Interdisciplinary Learning	3	
Citizenship requirement (PO 200)	3	
Ethics requirement (PH 102, PH 221, or PH 308)	3	
Requirements for the Major		
HIS 107, Historical Thought	3	
HIS 400, History in the Public Realm (Prerequisites: EN 105, EN 106, HIS 107 and completion of a minimum of 75 credit hours)	3	
– OR –		
HIS 401, The Living History Experience (Prerequisites: EN 105, EN 106, HIS 107 and completion of a minimum of 75 credit		
hours))		
HIS 454, Senior Project(Prerequisites: EN 105, EN 106, completion of a minimum of 90 credit hours)	3	
HIS 455, Senior Seminar Paper (Prerequisites: EN 105, EN 106, and completion of a minimum of 90 credit hours)	3	
*Senior Oral Comprehensive Exam	P/F	
*Senior Written Comprehensive Exam	P/F	
Areas of Concentration  Each major will select an area of concentration from the following list for successful completion of the major in consultation with a	30	

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faculty advisor. Freshmen are required to select the area of concentration by completion of second semester and transfer		
students are required to select the area of concentration by completion of first semester of enrollment:		
European/Classical		
United States		
Senior Exams	P/F	
Students must pass both of the following:		
A written comprehensives examination.		
A two hour oral comprehensive examination.		
Requirements for the Minor (all BA degrees require a minor)		
Select a minor to complement your major. Suggestions include: Economics, English, Geography, Geoscience, Global	18-21	
Studies, Legal Studies, Military Studies, Philosophy, or Political Science		

## **Recommended Schedule**

First Year – Fall [16 Credit Hours]	First Year – Spring [16 Credit Hours]	
• EN 105	• EN 106	
• CS 140	• MA 120	
• HIS 107	• HIS 2XX (200, 210, 211, 212, or 220) [Outside Area	
• FR 103 or GE 103	of Concentration]	
• LE 100	• FR 104 or GE 104	
	PO 200 (Fulfills Citizenship req)	
Second Year – Fall [18 Credit Hours]	Second Year – Spring [16 Credit Hours]	
• BI 214	BI 111 or CH 107/CH 107L	
• HIS 2XX (210, 211, 212, or 220) [Outside Area of	• PS 101 or SO 141	
Concentration]	• HIS 2XX (250, 251, 252, 260, 261 or 262) [Outside	
• AR 215 or AR 216	Area of Concentration]	
• CA 103	• EN 201	
• HIS 2XX (210, 211, 212, 220, 250, 251, 252, 260,	Minor Course or Elective	
261 or 262) [Primary Area of Concentration]	Minor Course or Elective	
Ethics requirement		
Third Year – Fall [15 Credit Hours]	Third Year – Spring [15 Credit Hours]	
• LE 300	• HIS 3XX (320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 330,	
• HIS 3XX (320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 330,	331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Within Area	
331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Outside Area	of Concentration Elective]	
of Concentration]	• HIS 3XX (320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 330,	
• HIS 3XX (319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326,	331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Within Area	
330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Within	of Concentration Elective]	
Area of Concentration]	Minor Course or Elective	
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Minor Course or Elective	credit hours or 122 credit hours]	
Fourth Year – Fall [15 Credit Hours]	Fourth Year – Spring [15 Credit Hours]	
HIS 400 or HIS 401	HIS 455 {Satisfies EN 306 Requirement}	
• HIS 454	Senior Oral Comprehensive Examination	
Minor Course or Elective	Senior Written Comprehensive Examination	
• HIS 3XX (319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326,	Minor Course or Elective	
330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Within	Minor Course or Elective [If needed for 21 credit	
Area of Concentration Elective]	hour Minor]	

- HIS 3XX (320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336 or 337) [Within Area of Concentration Elective]
- Upper Division Elective [If needed to meet the 45 credit hours or 122 credit hours]
- Upper Division Elective [If needed to meet the 36 credit hours or 122 credit hours]
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