

HISTORY, CERTIFICATE

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Students may use courses from HISTORY and HIST SCI to meet the requirements of the History certificate. The certificate requires 15 total credits/5 courses, including:

Code	Title	Credits
History Research and Writing Course (complete one):		3
HISTORY 201	The Historian's Craft	
HIST SCI 211	The Historian's Craft: Science, Medicine, and Technology	
(HISTORY 201 or HIST SCI 211 should be completed before the Capstone)		
Elective Coursework		
Any undergraduate courses in HISTORY or HIST SCI may be used to count toward the elective coursework requirement, as well as the following: ILS 201, ILS 202. Students are strongly encouraged to meet with an academic advisor or faculty mentor to select a group of courses that fits well with their interests and fulfills their academic or career goals.		
One Intermediate or Advanced HISTORY or HIST SCI course		3
Two additional courses in HISTORY or HIST SCI at any level		6
Capstone Course		3
<i>Complete at least one of the following:</i>		
HISTORY 401	Public History Workshop	
HISTORY 500	Reading Seminar in History	
HIST SCI 555	Undergraduate Seminar in History of Science	
HISTORY 600	Advanced Seminar in History	
Total Credits		15

CERTIFICATE COMPLETION REQUIREMENT

This undergraduate certificate must be completed concurrently with the student's undergraduate degree. Students cannot delay degree completion to complete the certificate.

RESIDENCE & QUALITY OF WORK

- At least 12 certificate credits must be completed in residence.
- Minimum 2.000 GPA on all certificate courses.

NOTES

Up to 3 credits awarded for approved examinations (e.g. AP or IB) or a transfer course may count toward elective coursework. The 12-credit residence requirement is meant to encourage students to engage with UW-Madison faculty and advisors and to choose their elective coursework intentionally. Ideally, these courses will complement their major or be related to other intellectual or career interests.