

MAJOR MAP FOR MAJOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY-HISTORIES KNOWLEDGE, BELIEF, AND VISION CONCENTRATION (HISTBA-KNOW) 2023-24 CATALOG YEAR

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HISTBA-KNOW Degree Snapshot

University Perspectives (0 hr)

UNIV 1001, University Perspectives (WAIVED)

State Core English Composition (0-6 hrs)

_____ ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or exemption
_____ ENGL 1023, Composition 2 or exemption (see [catalog](#) for ACT/SAT test score exemption)

State Core US History (3 hrs)

_____ HIST 2003, History of the American People to 187 or
_____ HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present (required in major)

State Core Mathematics (3 hrs)

_____ MATH _____

State Core Natural Sciences w/ labs (8 hrs)

_____ Science w/ lab _____
_____ Science w/ lab _____

State Core Social Sciences (6-9 hrs)

_____ HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilization I or HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilization II (or HUMN 1114H or 2114H)
_____ Social Science _____ (HIST 2093 if taken for major can count here)
_____ Social Science _____ (Must be Non-HIST)

State Core Fine Arts (3 hrs)

_____ Fine Art _____

State Core Humanities (3 hrs)

_____ Humanities _____

Foundations in History (4 hrs, in addition to 6 hrs that overlap with State Minimum core)

_____ HIST 1001(H), Perspectives in History

Choose 1:

_____ HIST 1203, History of Football
_____ HIST 1223, History of Business in America
_____ HIST 1233, History of Race and Medicine
_____ HIST 2203, History of Tomorrow
_____ HIST 2093, Animals in World History (if taken, can also count as a Social Science State Core)
_____ HIST 1113, HIST 1123, HIST 2003, or HIST 2013 (if not taken for a requirement above)

Methods in History (3 hrs)

Choose 1:

_____ HIST 3013, Ancient Historians
_____ HIST 3713, Issues in Public History
_____ HIST 3963, Art as History
_____ HIST 3973(H), Historical Methods
_____ HIST 4693, Approaching Global History

Applications in History (7 hrs)

_____ HIST 4901, Applying History

Take 6 hrs from:

_____ HIST 4893(H), History Seminar
_____ HIST 498V(H), Senior Thesis (3 hrs max)
_____ HIST 491V, Internship in History (3 hrs max)
_____ Faculty Approved Study Abroad/Service-Learning Course _____

Histories of Knowledge, Belief, and Vision Concentration (12 hrs)

Choose 12 hrs from list below:

_____ HIST _____
_____ HIST _____
_____ HIST _____
_____ HIST _____

History Electives (6 hrs, minimum 3hrs must be at the 3000+ level)

_____ HIST 3000+ _____
_____ HIST _____

General Electives (52-62 hrs)

How you use these hours will depend on your educational and career goals. Early in your degree you might use this section to jot down ideas for how to plan. As you get closer to graduation, you might use this section to track which classes you've taken outside the above requirements.

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Graduation Plan

Use the following additional resources, in addition to this major map, to complete your graduation plan ([Catalog](#), and your [Degree Audit](#) in UAconnect). Many students have more than one major, minor, or pre-professional goal that has additional required classes. This tool allows you to combine all your educational goals in to one plan.

High School credit	List all Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Dual or Concurrent credit			
Year	Fall	Spring	Summer	Total
Year 1				Total 1 st year credit hours (aim for 30):
Year 2				Total 2 nd year credit hours (aim for 60):
Year 3				Total 3 rd year credit hours (aim for 90):
Year 4				Total 4 th year credit hours (Must be at least 120):

Graduation Checklist (does your plan include the following):

- Do you have at least a 2.0 GPA (this will be something you track each semester)
- All state minimum core requirements
- All Major(s)/Minor(s) requirements
- [Writing requirement](#) complete
- Have At least 50% of each major/minor taken from UofA
- 24 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences classes
- 30 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from the University of Arkansas. This can include courses taken for the 24-hour rule.
- 40 hours of upper-level classes. (3000+ or 2000+ with a pre-requisite. Can include transfer credit.) This can include courses taken for the 24-hour and 30-hour rules.
- 120 total eligible credit hours (see below for a list of ineligible classes)

COURSES THAT DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE 120 HOURS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION

- ENGL 0002
- MATH 0001L, MATH 0002L, MATH 0003, and MATH 0131L
- Duplicated/Repeated courses (i.e.: if the same course is taken more than once, the hours will only count once for graduation)

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Department Information:

Faculty who have exception/substitution authority: Laurence Hare, Todd Cleveland, or Alessandro Brogi

Transfer Coursework Restriction: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

GPA (Grade Point Average): Every student must have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average to be eligible to graduate from the University of Arkansas.

Please visit <https://catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog> for an extensive list of core, major, graduation, and pre-requisite requirements. To read more about individual classes, visit the [courses of instruction](#) page for course descriptions.

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Degree Requirement Breakdown by Category

The following information is designed to help you navigate your experience in your degree and answer common questions that may come up for each requirement.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
UNIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES 0 hr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNIV 1001, University Perspectives WAIVED for History majors who are required to take HIST 1001 in the major 	Or equivalent from another University of Arkansas college. (AFLS 1023H, ARSC 1201, GNEG 1111, HIST 1003(H), PLSC 1003, WCOB 1111) Note: students who transfer to the University of Arkansas with at least 24 credit hours will have this requirement waived.
STATE CORE COMPOSITION 0-6 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or SAT/ACT exemption ENGL 1023, Composition 2 or SAT/ACT exemption 	See Catalog for information about placement and/or exemption.
STATE CORE US HISTORY or GOVERNMENT 3 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 or HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present 	Classes taken in this category may not overlap in any other state core category (i.e Social Sciences or Humanities)
STATE CORE MATHEMATICS 3 hrs	Choose 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MATH 1203, College Algebra MATH 1313, Quantitative Reasoning MATH 1514, Calculus with Algebra and Trigonometry STAT 2303, Principles of Statistics Any higher-level mathematics course with MATH 1203 as a pre-requisite 	Based on ACT/SAT or other math placement scores, students may need to enroll in additional remediation related courses. See catalog or math placement website for additional information.
STATE CORE NATURAL SCIENCES CORE 8 hrs	Choose 2: (each class will have a required lecture and lab component): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ANTH 1013 and ANTH 1011L, Intro to Biological Anthropology ASTR 2003/2001L, Survey of the Universe BIOL 1524, Biological Principles BIOL 1543/1541L, Principles of Biology BIOL 1584, Biology for Majors BIOL 1603/1601L, Principles of Zoology BIOL 1613/1611L, Plant Biology BIOL 2213/2211L, Human Physiology BIOL 2443/2441L, Human Anatomy CHEM 1053/1051L, Chemistry in the Modern World CHEM 1073/1071L, Fundamentals of Chemistry CHEM 1103/1101L; University Chemistry I CHEM 1123/1121L, University Chemistry II CHEM 1203/1201L, Chemistry for Majors I CHEM 1223/1221L, Chemistry for Majors II ENSC 1003/1001L, Environmental Science ENTO 1023/1021L, Insects, Science, and Society GEOS 1113/1111L, Physical Geology GEOS 1133/1131L, Earth Science GEOS 1145, Introduction to Geology for Science Majors PHYS 1023/1021L, Physics and Human Affairs PHYS 1034, Physics for Elementary Education Majors PHYS 1044, Physics for Architects I PHYS 1054, Physics for Architects II PHYS 2013/2011L, College Physics I PHYS 2033/2031L, College Physics II PHYS 2054, University Physics I 	Some classes will have pre-requisites

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<p>STATE CORE SOCIAL SCIENCES</p> <p>6-9 hrs***</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHYS 2074, University Physics II • HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I (or HUMN 1114H) or HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II (or HUMN 2114H) <p>Choose 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AGEC 1103, Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics • AGEC 2103, Principles of Agriculture Macroeconomics • ANTH 1023, Intro to Cultural Anthropology • COMM 1023, Communication in a Diverse World • ECON 2013, Principles of Macroeconomics • ECON 2023, Principles of Microeconomics • ECON 2143, Basic Economics: Theory and Practice • EDST 2003, Introduction to Educational Studies • GEOS 1123, Human Geography • GEOS 2003, World Regional Geography • HDFS 1403, Life Span Development • HDFS 2413, Family Relations • HDFS 2603, Rural Families & Communities • HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I (or HUMN 1114H)* • HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II (or HUMN 2114H)* • HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877** • HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present** • HIST 2093, Animals in World History*** • INST/PLSC 2813, Intro to International Relations & Global Studies • PLSC 2003, American National Government • PLSC 2013, Intro to Comparative Politics • PLSC 2203, State and Local Government • PSYC 2003, General Psychology • RESM 2853, Leisure and Society • SOCI 2013, General Sociology • SOCI 2033, Social Problems • STEM 2003, The Art of STEM Communication 	<p>*If not taken above</p> <p>**If not taken for State minimum US History Requirement</p> <p>***If HIST 2093 is taken, it can count as a Social Science State Core and Foundational History course</p>
<p>STATE CORE FINE ARTS</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>Choose 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARCH 1003, Architecture Lecture • ARHS 1003, Art Lecture • COMM 1003, Film Lecture • DANC 1003, Movement and Dance • ENGL 2023, Creative Writing 1 • HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture 1600-1900 (honors only) • LARC 1003, The American Landscape • MLIT 1003, Experiencing Music • MLIT 1013, Music and Society (music majors only) • MLIT 1333, Popular Music • THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1683, Acting I • THTR 1883, Acting 1 for Theatre majors 	<p>Classes taken in this category may not overlap in any other core category</p>
<p>STATE CORE HUMANITIES</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>Choose 1: *</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AAST 2023, The African American Experience • ANTH 1033, Introduction to Archeology 	<p>*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARCH 1013, Diversity and Design • CLST 1003, Introduction to Classical Studies: Greece • CLST 1013, Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome • COMM 1233, Media, Community and Citizenship • DANC 1003, Dance Appreciation • DASC 2133, Data Privacy & Ethics • ENGL 1213, Introduction to Literature • ENGL 2023, Creative Writing I • GNST 2003, Introduction to Gender Studies • HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I • HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II • HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 • HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present • HUMN 1124H*, Honors Equilibrium of Cultures 500-1600 (Honors only) • HUMN 2213, Introduction to World Religions • LALS 2013, Introduction to Latin American and Latino Studies • MRST 2013, Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance Studies • MUSY 2003, Music in World Cultures • PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy • PHIL 2103, Introduction to Ethics • PHIL 2203, Logic • PHIL 2303, Human Nature and the Meaning of Life • PHIL 3103, Ethics and the Professions • THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation • WLIT 1113, World Literature: Beginnings to 1650 CE • WLIT 1123, World Literature: 1650 CE to Present <p>Any Intermediate level foreign language numbered at the 2000 level</p>	<p>time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.</p>
<p><u>FOUNDATIONS IN HISTORY</u> 4 hrs</p>	<p>In addition to 6 hrs or World Civilization and US History that overlap with State Minimum core</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HIST 1001(H), Perspectives in History* • Choose 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 1203, History of Football ○ HIST 1223, History of Business in America ○ HIST 1233, History of Race and Medicine ○ HIST 2203, History of Tomorrow ○ HIST 2093, Animals in World History (if taken, can also count as a Social Science State Core) ○ HIST 1113, HIST 1123, HIST 2003, or HIST 2013 (if not taken for another requirement above) 	<p>*HIST 1001 replaces UNIV 1001</p>
<p><u>METHODS IN HISTORY</u> 3 hrs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choose 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 3013, Ancient Historians ○ HIST 3713, Issues in Public History ○ HIST 3963, Art as History ○ HIST 3973(H), Historical Methods ○ HIST 4693, Approaching Global History 	
<p><u>APPLICATIONS IN HISTORY</u> 7 hrs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HIST 4901, Applying History • Take 6 hrs from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 4893(H), History Seminar ○ HIST 498V(H), Senior Thesis (3 hrs max) ○ HIST 491V, Internship in History (3 hrs max) ○ Faculty Approved Study Abroad/Service-Learning Course * 	<p>*Course must be approved using substitution form and should be approved prior to taking</p>

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<p><u>HISTORIES OF KNOWLEDGE, BELIEF, and VISION CONCENTRATION</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">12 hrs</p>	<p>Take 12 hrs from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 3003 History of Christianity ○ HIST 3013 Ancient Historians ○ HIST 3033 Islamic Civilization ○ HIST 3073 Women and Gender in Modern Latin American History (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 3083 Women and Christianity (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 3283 U.S. Latinos and Latinas through Film ○ HIST 3293 History of Popular Culture ○ HIST 3303 U.S. Immigration History ○ HIST 3333 LGBTQ+ Histories ○ HIST 3383 Arkansas and the Southwest 2 ○ HIST 3393 The Ozarks: People, Place, and Time ○ HIST 3433 Twentieth Century Britain through Film ○ HIST 3593 The 1960s: A World Transformed ○ HIST 3623 Black Movements and Messiahs ○ HIST 3683 Europe in the 19th Century ○ HIST 3693 Europe in the 20th Century ○ HIST 3703 Urban History: The Modern Metropolis (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 3713 Issues in Public History ○ HIST 3963 Art as History (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 4043 Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages ○ HIST 4053 Late Middle Ages ○ HIST 4073 Renaissance and Reformation, 1300-1600 ○ HIST 4083 Early Modern Europe, 1600-1800 ○ HIST 4093 The History of African Americans and Social Justice (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 4103 Byzantine Empire ○ HIST 4113 Archaic Greece ○ HIST 4143 Intellectual History of Europe Since the Enlightenment ○ HIST 4183 Great Britain, 1707-1901 ○ HIST 4243 Germany, 1789-1918 (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 4323 Wars of Religion: From the Crusades to 9/113 ○ HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thought ○ HIST 4393 Early Modern Islamic Empires, 1300-1750 ○ HIST 4403 Islam in Asia ○ HIST 4413 New Women in the Middle East ○ HIST 4433 Social and Cultural History of the Modern Middle East ○ HIST 4473 Environmental History (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 4483 African American Biographies (not taught anymore but counts if taken previously) ○ HIST 4563 The Old South, 1607-1865 ○ HIST 4573 The New South, 1860 to the Present ○ HIST 4583 Arkansas in the Nation 2 ○ HIST 4643 Early American Republic, 1789-1828 ○ HIST 4653 Antebellum America, 1828-1850 ○ HIST 4693 Approaching Global History ○ HIST 4713 Women, Gender, and Sexuality in Colonial Latin America ○ HIST 4823 Black Freedom in the Age of Emancipation ○ HIST 4863 From Hiroshima to Fukushima: Nuclear Security in Asia ○ HIST 4883 Health and Disease: 1500 to the Present ○ HIST 4973 The Civilization of the Renaissance in Italy 	
<p><u>HISTORY ELECTIVES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">6 hrs</p>	<p>Take 6 hrs of additional HIST courses, with at least 3 hrs at the 3000+ level</p>	
<p><u>GENERAL ELECTIVES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">52-62 hrs</p>	<p>Hours will vary depending on whether a student is exempt from ENGL 1013 and 1023 and how much core and major overlap the student does.</p>	<p>Some general electives will need to be upper level to meet college and university residency requirements. See Graduation Checklist on page 2 for more information.</p>
<p><u>WRITING REQUIREMENT</u></p>	<p>The college writing requirement may be satisfied in one of three ways:</p>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of HIST 4893(H) with a B or higher (final paper must also be B or higher) • Completion of HIST 498V:3 hrs with a B or higher • Completion of a substantial research or analytical paper, in a HIST 3000+ course, with a grade of B or higher (Students using this method will need their instructor to complete the Writing Requirement Declaration form) • Successful honors thesis defense 	
<p>HONORS</p>	<p>Minimum Requirements for Honors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all coursework. • Complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors courses from the UofA (including at least 3 hrs of HIST 3973H, HIST 4893H, or HIST 498VH) • Complete and defend Honors Thesis <p>See Catalog for full description of requirements.</p>	<p>Honors Thesis Timeline: Honors students should consistently check the honors thesis timeline to stay on track to complete your honors thesis.</p> <p>College Honors: Students who also are following the College Honors Core for Bachelor of Arts programs need to also complete those additional requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2023-24 catalog requirements • 2022-23 and older catalog requirements