

HISTORY

Associate of Art/Associate of Science degree



Program and Career Description:

The History emphasis is a two-year program for students planning to complete a bachelor's degree at a four-year school. Students can pursue careers in writing, film, historical restoration, secondary education, law, archival management, historic site and museum interpretation, and politics. History majors with advanced higher education degrees can teach at the college level. A few examples of career and salary estimates are listed below.

Career	Entry Level	Median Salary	Experienced Salary
Teacher (Secondary)	\$37,910	\$46,880	\$50,950
Teacher (Post Secondary)	\$28,840	\$49,610	\$59,680
Archivists	\$28,560	\$44,000	\$53,110
Curators	\$29,380	\$36,540	\$46,660

Career and salary information taken from www.bls.gov and jobs4tn.gov. Check out this web site for additional information about education requirements and preferred work styles and abilities for these careers. Salaries are not guaranteed.

Transfer Options

Per the *Complete College Tennessee Act of 2010*, this degree will be transferable to any of the following universities offering a Baccalaureate degree in this major:

- Austin Peay State University
- East Tennessee State University
- Middle Tennessee State University
- Tennessee State University
- Tennessee Tech University
- University of Memphis
- University of Tennessee, Chattanooga
- University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- University of Tennessee, Martin

Articulation agreements exist between other private and non-TN public institutions. These agreements are available at www.columbiastate.edu/admissions/transfer-information.



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Major in Tennessee Transfer Pathway with Emphasis in History (A.A./A.S.)

Program Requirements

Students may be required to take additional Learning Support courses.

Communications Requirement

ENGL 1010, 1020
SPCH 1010 or SPCH 1030

History Requirement

HIST 2010, 2020

Humanities/Fine Arts (Take 3 courses -- one must be a literature course)

ART 1030
ARTH 2010, 2020
ENGL 2015
HUM 1130, 1131
MUS 1030
PHIL 1030, 2030, 2033
THEA 1030
Literature Options: ENGL 2130, 2230, 2310, 2320, 2920

Natural Sciences Requirement (Take 2 courses)

ASTR 1030
BIOL 1030 (must not take with another BIOL)
BIOL 1110, 1120, 2010, 2020
CHEM 1110, 1120
GEOG 1010, 1020
PHYS 2010, 2020, 2110, 2120
PSCI 1030

Mathematics Requirement (Take one course)

MATH 1010, 1130, 1530, 1630, 1710, 1720, 1730, 1830, 1910

Social/Behavioral Sciences (Take 2 courses)

ANTH 1200, 1300
ECON 2010, 2020
GEOG 2010
PHED 2120
POL 201
POLS 1030, 1501, 2010
PSYC 1030, 2130
SOC 1010, 1020, 2010

Major Required Courses

HIST 1110, 1120, 2030
Electives*

*Note: An elective can be any college-level course.

If you have completed TN eCampus courses, run a degree audit from the student tab in myChargerNet to determine how these courses apply to this program.

Requirements for Graduation include:

- earning 25% of total program credits in residence at Columbia State.
- cumulative GPA must be 2.0.
- taking the Exit Exam.

Sample Academic Plan

First Year – Fall Semester

___ ENGL 1010	Composition I	3
___ Social/Behavioral Science		3
___ Humanities/Fine Arts		3
___ HIST 2010	Survey of United States History I	3
___ Mathematics Requirement		3
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First Year – Spring Semester

___ ENGL 1020	Composition II	3
___ SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication or	
___ SPCH 1030	Argumentation and Debate	3
___ Social/Behavioral Science		3
___ HIST 2020	Survey of United States History II	3
___ Humanities/Fine Arts		3
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Second Year – Fall Semester

___ Literature Requirement		3
___ HIST 1110	Survey of World Civilization I	3
___ Natural Science Requirement		4
___ Elective*		3
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Second Year – Spring Semester

___ Natural Science Requirement		4
___ HIST 1120	Survey of World Civilization II	3
___ HIST 2030	Tennessee History	3
___ Elective*		3
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TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 60

*If pursuing the A.A. degree, 6 of the 10 elective hours must be one-year sequence of the SAME foreign language. Requirements for a Bachelor of Arts Degree at universities include demonstrated competency in foreign language at the intermediate level. Community college students are encouraged to attain intermediate-level competency in foreign language before transferring. Complete information regarding foreign language requirements at each university may be found on the transfer and articulation web sites of the Tennessee Board of Regents and the University of Tennessee System. Community college students are encouraged to be familiar with foreign language requirements at the universities and, if applicable, complete the requirements before transferring.

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