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Students in the *History Department* explore the rise and fall of civilizations. Using original and secondary written sources, films, and other documents, and through field trips and summer study programs outside the United States, departmental faculty work with their students in the study of geography, history, and political science.

Scholarship is encouraged and recognized by membership in Phi Alpha Theta, the history honors society, and through debates, lectures, and student and faculty presentations sponsored by Pacific Union College's Alpha Zeta Theta Chapter.

Students have access to the Walter C. Utt Center for Adventist History Archives and the Honors Program Common Room. Faculty-student suppers and discussion groups complete the collegial and friendly atmosphere, the hallmark of the department.

Prospective teachers should take a Social Studies major and consult with department teachers about non-departmental courses. Following completion of the Social Studies major each student seeking a California teaching certificate must take the California Subject Examination for Teachers (CSET).

Major in History, B.A.

A minimum of 56 hours (31 upper-division hours):

► Required Core Courses (30 hours):

HIST 101+102	History of World Civilizations I, II	4+4
HIST 134+135	History of the United States I, II	4+4
HIST 180+181+182	History Methods IA, IB, IC	1+1+1
HIST 280	History Methods II	2
HIST 380	History Methods III	2
HIST 480+481+482	Senior Thesis I, II, III	1+1+1

At least one of the following courses:

HIST 450	History Study Tour (4)	4
ARCH 494	Fieldwork in Middle East Archeology (4)*	

► Emphases (choose one):

1. American History Emphasis (25 hours)

HIST 411	Seminar in the History of the Americas	4
At least one of the following courses:		4
HIST 210	Introduction to African History (4)	
HIST 220	Introduction to Ancient History (4)	
HIST 230	Introduction to Asian History (4)	
HIST 240	Introduction to Latin American History (4)	
HIST 250	Introduction to Middle East History (4)	

At least one of the following courses:

HIST 328	Medieval Europe (4)	3-4
HIST 329	Renaissance Europe (4)	
HIST 331	Early Modern Europe (4)	
HIST 332	Europe Since Napoleon (4)	
HIST 351	History of Culture (European Topic) (3)	
HIST 361	The World Since 1945 (4)	

* Offered during even-year summers in Jordan at the Madaba Plains Project excavation in consortium with La Sierra University. Credits are earned through La Sierra and transferred to PUC.

History

At least three of the following courses: 11-12
 HIST 351 History of Culture (American Topic) (3)
 HIST 355 Colonial America (4)
 HIST 356 The New Nation: 1763-1820 (4)
 HIST 357 Civil War and Reconstruction (4)
 HIST 358 Recent America (4)

At least one of the following courses: 4
 HIST 412 Seminar in Asian History (4)
 HIST 413 Seminar in European History (4)
 HIST 414 Seminar in Middle East History (4)
 ARCH 432E *Ancient Medieval Archeology* (4)*
 ARCH 445 *Old Testament Archeology* (4)*
 ARCH 446 *New Testament Archeology* (4)*

2. European History Emphasis (25 hours)

HIST 413 Seminar in European History 4

At least one of the following courses: 4

HIST 210 Introduction to African History (4)
 HIST 220 Introduction to Ancient History (4)
 HIST 230 Introduction to Asian History (4)
 HIST 240 Introduction to Latin American History (4)
 HIST 250 Introduction to Middle East History (4)

At least three of the following courses: 11-12

HIST 328 Medieval Europe (4)
 HIST 329 Renaissance Europe (4)
 HIST 331 Early Modern Europe (4)
 HIST 332 Europe Since Napoleon (4)
 HIST 351 History of Culture (European Topic) (3)
 HIST 361 The World Since 1945 (4)

At least one of the following courses: 3-4

HIST 351 History of Culture (American Topic) (3)
 HIST 355 Colonial America (4)
 HIST 356 The New Nation 1763-1820 (4)
 HIST 357 Civil War and Reconstruction (4)
 HIST 358 Recent America (4)

At least one of the following courses: 4

HIST 411 Seminar in the History of the Americas (4)
 HIST 412 Seminar in Asian History (4)
 HIST 414 Seminar in Middle East History (4)
 ARCH 432E *Ancient Medieval Archeology* (4)*
 ARCH 445 *Old Testament Archeology* (4)*
 ARCH 446 *New Testament Archeology* (4)*

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Major in History, Political Studies, and Ethics, B.S.

A minimum of 68 hours (41 upper-division hours):

> Required Core Courses (68 hours):

HIST 134+135	History of the United States I, II	4+4
HIST 181	History Methods IB	1
HIST 280	History Methods II	2
PHIL 101	Introduction to Philosophy	4
PLSC 124	Introduction to American Government	4
PLSC 274	Introduction to Political Thought	3
PLSC 414	Seminar in Political Studies	4
WRIT 310	Advanced Expository Writing	4

At least one of the following courses: 4

HIST 450	History Study Tour (4)	
ARCH 494	<i>Fieldwork in Middle East Archeology</i> (4)*	

At least one of the following options: 3

HIST 480+481+482	Senior Thesis I, II, III (1+1+1)	
PLSC 494	Internship (3)	

At least two of the following courses: 8

HIST 331	Early Modern Europe (4)	
HIST 332	Europe Since Napoleon (4)	
HIST 356	New Nation: 1763-1820 (4)	
HIST 358	Recent America (4)	
HIST 361	The World Since 1945 (4)	

At least three of the following courses: 9

PLSC 328	Critical World Issues (3)	
PLSC 329	Environmental Policy (3)	
PLSC 330	Modern Comparative Government (3)	
PLSC 340	History of Political Thought (3)	
PLSC 485	Foreign Relations of the U.S. (3)	

At least two of the following courses: 6

JOUR 434	Media Communication Ethics (3)	
RELT 216	Intro to Christian Ethics (3)	
RELB 315	Biblical Ethics (3)	
RELT 355	Christian Ethics in Society (3)	
RELT 440	Christian Bioethics (3)	

At least three of the following courses: 8-9

BUAD 223	Personal Law (2)	
BUAD 325, 326	Business Law I, II (3+3)	
COMM 426	Argumentation (3)	
COMM 427	Persuasive Communication (3)	

Recommended Cognates

ECON 261, 265	Macroeconomics, Microeconomics (4,4)
PSYC 121	General Psychology (4)
SOCI 121	Intro to Sociology (4)
SOCI 232	American Social Problems (4)
SOCI 355	"Racial" and Ethnic Relations (3)

Major in Social Studies, B.S.

A minimum of 70 hours (30 upper-division hours):

► **Required Core Courses (30 hours):**

HIST 101+102	History of World Civilizations	4+4
HIST 134+135	History of the United States	4+4
HIST 180	History Methods I (3 quarters)	1+1+1
HIST 280	History Methods II	2
HIST 395	Social Studies Seminar	2
HIST 480	Senior Thesis (3 quarters)	1+1+1

At least one of the following courses: 4

HIST 450	History Study Tour (4)	
ARCH 494	Fieldwork in Middle East Archeology (4)*	

► **Required Core Electives (40 hours):**

Complete at least 40 hours of electives, including at least 21 upper-division hours, distributed as described:

At least 22 hours from the following 22
Additional HIST courses

Any three of the following options: 18

At least 6 hours from ECON courses

At least 6 hours from GEOG courses

At least 6 hours from PLSC courses

At least 6 hours from SOCI courses

Electives should be chosen in consultation with the advisor.

Teaching Credential

Students desiring to enter a program of studies leading to a California teaching credential in social science should take the B.S. degree in Social Studies. Students will need to pass the social science portion of the CSET exam one quarter prior to doing full-time student teaching. Students are invited to discuss the program with their major advisor in the History Department.

Those who plan to teach on the secondary level should consult with the credential analyst in the Education Department and should become acquainted with the specific requirements for admission to and successful completion of the Teacher Education Program as outlined in the section entitled "Education" in this catalog.

Minor in History

A minimum of 30 hours (9 upper-division hours)

► **Required Courses (21 hours):**

HIST 101+102	History of World Civilizations	4+4
HIST 134+135	History of the United States	4+4
HIST 180	History Methods I	1+1+1
HIST 280	History Methods II	2

► **Required Electives (9 hours):**

At least 9 hours from the following: 9
Upper-division HIST courses

Economics

(See *Business Administration and Economics* for course descriptions.)

Geography

LOWER-DIVISION COURSES:

GEOG 210 3 W
World Regional Geography

Regions of the world and their cultural, historical, climatic, and economic similarities or diversities. Emphasis on current developments. Even years.

GEOG 220 3 W
Geography of the Americas

Climate, natural resources, political, and economic geography of North and South America. Odd years.

History

LOWER-DIVISION COURSES:

HIST 101+102 4+4 F, W, S
History of World Civilizations I, II

Major characteristics and developments in world civilizations based on primary and secondary texts. Also integral: Discussion of history's place in the

liberal arts and of the problems of the historical method. Enrollment is limited to freshmen and sophomores. Prerequisite: ENGL 100.

HIST 134+135 4+4 F, W, S
History of the United States I, II

The United States from colonial beginnings to the present time. The central theme is the growth of American democracy with its implications for government and society, racial and religious minorities, and the emergence of the nation as a world power. Enrollment is limited to freshmen and sophomores. Prerequisite: ENGL 100.

History

HIST 180+181+182 1+1+1 F, W, S
History Methods IA, IB, IC

An introduction to the major, the department, its faculty and to the basic writing skills required for the survey courses in World Civilizations and U.S. History. Required for departmental majors during the freshman year.

HIST 210 4 S
Introduction to African History

Sub-Saharan Africa from the earliest societies to the modern era. Topics include the development of ancient African kingdoms and their customs, the spread and influence of Islam, the arrival of Europeans, the creation of colonies, and the struggle for independence. Odd years.

HIST 220 4 F
Introduction to Ancient History

Ancient civilizations from their emergence to their collapse, with special attention to Greece and Rome and the development of government, philosophy and the arts. Even years.

HIST 230 4 W
Introduction to Asian History

Asian civilization from earliest times to the present. Primarily focuses on South Asia with special attention to social, economic, political and intellectual developments. Odd years.

HIST 240 4 W
Introduction to Latin American History

Latin America from the earliest civilizations to the present. Emphasis on cultural, political, and economic trends. Even years.

HIST 250 4 S
Introduction to Middle East History

Middle East from the beginning of Islam to the modern era. Topics include the rise of the Islamic religion, the expansion of this religion into an empire, and the present nation-states of the region. Also includes the general geography of the region and the principal religious and cultural tenets of the Islamic world. Odd years.

HIST 280 2 S
History Methods II

Builds on the writing skills established during the freshman seminar series and introduces majors to significant historiographical schools in the field of history. Requires a major research paper based on primary and secondary sources. Prerequisite: HIST 180 or permission of the instructor.

UPPER-DIVISION COURSES:

HIST 320 3 F
Christian History: To 1054

(See also RELH 320.)
Development of the Christian Church to 1054, the year of the East-West schism. Emphasis on those social, political, intellectual, and religious pressures that contributed to the formation of Christian doctrines and the establishment of hierarchy and institutions. Detailed examination of significant work by major Christian figures. Even years.

HIST 321 3 W
Christian History: 1054 to 1600

(See also RELH 321.)

Developments in the Christian Church from the high Middle Ages to the Protestant Reformation. Emphasis on the major historical, theological and cultural forces that influenced the medieval church and gave rise to the Protestant Reformation. Examination of the work and writings of various Protestant reformers. Odd years.

HIST 322 3 S
Christian History: 1600 to the Present

(See also RELH 322.)

Development of the Christian Church from the aftermath of the Protestant Reformation to the present day. Emphasis on the effects on the Church of major cultural movements, such as the Enlightenment, missions, modern warfare, and ecumenism. Detailed examination of significant works by Christians in response to "the modern world."

HIST 328 4 F
Medieval Europe

The vital period from 300 to 1400, which saw the creation of Europe. The priorities and characteristics of the civilization which facilitated the emergence of a multifaceted medieval society that serves as the ancestor of the modern world. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 280. Odd years.

HIST 329 4 W
Renaissance Europe

Europe from the 14th to 17th centuries, when experiments in art, literature, political theories and systems, and religion were prominent features of society. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 280. Odd years.

- HIST 331** **4 F**
Early Modern Europe
 Europe from 1648 to 1815, with special attention to the effect of the Age of Reason on the modern mind, the growth of the bureaucratic state, and the impact of the era of revolution. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 280. Even years.
- HIST 332** **4 W**
Europe Since Napoleon
 The political, social and religious trends during the 19th and 20th centuries. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 280. Even years.
- HIST 337** **3 S**
History of California
 The geographic, economic, social, and historical factors which have contributed to the development of California. Odd years.
- HIST 351** **3 W**
History of Culture
 Thematic study of culture as it influences the world today. Emergence of culture through literature, sports, media, religion, and food. Appropriate for both majors and non-majors. Repeatable for credit under different subtitles.
- HIST 355** **4 W**
Colonial America
 The discovery, settlement, and growth of the European colonies in America, emphasizing those religious, political, and economic developments, particularly in the English colonies, that prepared the way for independence. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 280. Even years.
- HIST 356** **4 F**
The New Nation: 1763-1820
 The formative period of American national identity between 1763 and 1820. Includes intensive study of the creation and development of the U.S. Constitution. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 280. Odd years.
- HIST 357** **4 F**
Civil War and Reconstruction
 Slavery, the nature of the Union and the immediate and permanent effects of the Reconstruction on America. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 280. Even years.
- HIST 358** **4 W**
Recent America
 The rapid changes in American society, economy, and politics since World War II. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 280. Odd years.
- HIST 360** **4 W, S, Su**
Adventist Heritage
 (See also RELH 360)
 An interdisciplinary exploration of theological and historical issues important to an understanding of the Advent Movement and the ministry of Ellen G. White. Meets the requirement in Prophetic Guidance and Denominational History for Seventh-day Adventist teaching credentials.
- HIST 361** **4 S**
The World Since 1945
 Major issues and developments in World History from since the end of World War II. Includes nationalism and independence movements, the Cold War, globalization, and conflicts around the world. Prerequisites: HIST 102, 135, 280. Odd years.
- HIST 380** **2 S**
History Methods III
 Refines writing and analytical skills developed in freshman and sophomore seminars. Introduces majors to the professionalization of history and history as a career. Includes conference paper presentations, admission to and preparation for graduate school, and guest lecturers from the field of history. Prerequisites: HIST 180, 280.
- HIST 395** **2 S**
Social Studies Seminar
 Focuses on the preparation of social studies majors for careers in education, law, and history. Incorporates preparation for the California Subject Examination for Teachers in History.
- HIST 411** **4 F**
Seminar in the History of the Americas
 Themes in U.S. and Latin American history. Requires a major research paper. Repeatable for credit under different topics. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 240, 280. Odd years.
- HIST 412** **4 W**
Seminar in Asian History
 Themes in Asian history. Requires a major research paper. Repeatable for credit under different topics. Prerequisites: HIST 230, 280. Even years.
- HIST 413** **4 F**
Seminar in European History
 Themes in European history. Requires a major research paper. Repeatable for credit under different topics. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 280. Odd years.
- HIST 414** **4 S**
Seminar in Middle East History
 Themes in Middle East history. Requires a major research paper. Repeatable for credit under different topics. Prerequisites: HIST 250, 280. Even years.

History

HIST 450 4 Su

History Study Tour

Summer travel opportunity for majors. Topics vary. Repeatable for credit under different subtitles. Prerequisites: HIST 101, 102, 134, 135 and appropriate introductory course. Even summers.

HIST 480+481+482 1+1+1 F, W, S **Senior Thesis I, II, III**

First quarter serves as a preparation course for writing the senior thesis and requires the production of a thesis proposal. Second quarter incorporates the writing of the senior thesis. Third quarter consists of a formal thesis presentation to faculty and peers. These quarters must be taken in order and each section must be successfully completed in order to move on to the next term. Prerequisite: HIST 380. Eligible for IP grading.

HIST 495 1-3 Arranged **Independent Study**

Individual research; open by permission of the department chair to advanced students with an adequate background. Repeatable to a maximum of 3 credits.

Political Science

LOWER-DIVISION COURSES:

PLSC 124 4 F **Introduction to American Government**

The development and functioning of the American machinery of government and a study of the political processes, both formal and informal, in which the citizen is involved.

PLSC 274 3 F, S

Introduction to Political Thought

An introduction to the perennial questions and major thinkers in this area of philosophy.

UPPER-DIVISION COURSES:

PLSC 328 3 Su **Critical World Issues**

An important issue is selected by the instructor, discussed in class, and studied as a research topic. May include one or more of the following: the elements of national power, the dynamics of state conflict, national traits and policy patterns, the role of ideologies or moral considerations in the decision-making process, and the relationship between a society's world view and the realities of policy-making. Repeatable for credit under different topics.

PLSC 329 3 W **Environmental Policy**

Examination of environmental issues and their role in shaping local and national policies in the United States. Of particular interest will be political responses to environmental crises, the creation of local and national laws and their impact on both rural and urban spaces and role of the United States Environmental Protection Agency. Prerequisite: PLSC 124.

PLSC 330 3 S **Modern Comparative Government**

Introduction to the different types of government around the world and the concepts behind these variations. Focus on the comparison between the government of the United States and Western Europe. Includes economic development, political institutions and processes, political culture, nations and nationalism, and other selected topics. Prerequisites: PLSC 124, 274.

PLSC 340 3 W

History of Political Thought

Selected ancient, medieval, and modern political thinkers. Prerequisite: PLSC 274. Even years.

PLSC 414 4 F **Seminar in Political Studies**

Themes in Political Studies. Requires a major research paper. Repeatable for credit under different topics. Prerequisites: HIST 134, 135, 280.

PLSC 485 3 S **Foreign Relations of the United States**

Episodes selected from the history of American foreign relations to illustrate the development of U.S. foreign policy. Prerequisite: PLSC 124. Even years.

PLSC 494 1-3 F, W, S, Su **Internship**

Supervised work experience in a political science-related environment. Integration of academic study with workplace experience, including application of theoretical knowledge to real-world situations. Enrollment limited to department majors. Advanced approval of the department is required. May not be taken before the end of the sophomore year. Prerequisites: PLSC 124, 274; RELT 216. Qualifies for IP grading. Graded S/F.

PLSC 495 1-3 F, W, S **Independent Study**

Individual research; open only by permission of the department chair to advanced students with an adequate background. Repeatable to a maximum of 3 credits.

Sociology

(See Psychology & Social Work, Sociology area, for course descriptions.)