

HISTORY DEPARTMENT UNDERGRADUATE COURSES - SPRING 2025

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History 101 - Early Modern Europe, 1500-1815 (satisfies Pathways WCGI)

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44007	001	MW 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-108	Hratch Kestenian
43973	002	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-108	Tracey Billado-Lotson
43972	003	TR 12:15PM-1:30PM	PH-108	Tracey Billado-Lotson
43956	004	TR 3:10PM-4:25PM	PH-156	Myles Mcdonnell
43577	005	TR 6:30PM-7:45PM	PH-156	Myles Mcdonnell
Online				
44677	006	Asynchronous		Michael Wolfe

History 102 - Modern Europe, 1815 to the Present (satisfies Pathways WCGI)

44156	002	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-108	Irit Bloch
44391	004	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	CD-134	Elissa Bemporad
Weekend				
43456	003	Sa 9:00AM-12:00PM	PH-108	Margaret Bostwick
Online				
44253	001	MW 1:40PM-2:55PM	Online synch.	Joseph Cartolano
44252	005	W 6:30PM-9:20PM	Online synch.	Stephen Haller

History 103 - American History, 1607–1865 (satisfies Pathways USED)

44001	001	MW 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-156	Kevin Murphy
44217	002	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-156	Kara Schlichting
44147	003	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-156	Thomas Tilitz
43957	004	TR 12:15PM-1:30PM	PH-156	Douglas Manson
43578	006	TR 5:00PM-6:15PM	PH-156	Seth Rosenbloom
44220	007	TR 7:45AM-9:00AM	PH-108	David Osborn
Online				
44251	005	MW 3:10PM-4:25PM	Online synch.	Joseph Cartolano
43211	008	Asynchronous		Hamilton Craig

History 104 - American History, 1865 to the Present (satisfies Pathways USED)

45716	001	MW 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-157	Robert Cleary
43958	002	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-156	Seth Rosenbloom
44215	003	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-157	Nicholas Levis
43955	004	TR 12:15PM-1:30PM	PH-157	Samantha Chomsky
43971	005	TR 3:10PM-4:25PM	PH-108	Gloria Caminha
44000	006	MW 3:10PM-4:25PM	PH-156	Kevin Murphy
44146	007	MW 7:45AM-9:00AM	PH-156	Thomas Tilitz
44392	009	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	CD-134	Peter Vellon

History 108 - History of Great Britain since 1603

43924	001	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-012	Sarah Covington
English history from the death of Elizabeth I to the present.				

History 114 - History of the Jewish People I

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
45715	001	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-157	Arnold Franklin
The ancient period of Jewish history, drawing on literary and archaeological evidence in light of modern scholarship.				

History 115 - History of the Jewish People II

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44144	001	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-157	Francesca Bregoli
Jewish Middle Ages from decline of the Palestinian center to beginnings of civic emancipation (c. 200-1789).				

History 125 - World Civilizations to 1715

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44145	001	MW 9:15AM-10:30AM	PH-156	Bret Windhauser
A survey of the political, social, and cultural history of world civilizations to 1715.				

History 149 - Islamic Civilization: 1517–Present

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44216	001	TR 9:15AM-10:30AM	PH-156	Andrew Amstutz
History of Muslim societies in the Middle East, Asia, and Africa from 1517 to the present. Themes will include empires, the rise of nationalism, and global Muslim ties.				

History 158 - Topics in Premodern History

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
43933	001	M 1:40PM-4:30PM	PH-302	Warren Woodfin
Art in the Holy Land. Cross-listed with Art History 200.				

History 160 - Topics in Global History (satisfies Pathways WCGI)

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44124	001	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	RA-208	Fidel Tavarez Simo
A collection of small kingdoms in the war-torn Iberian Peninsula of the fifteenth century, Spain rose to become a powerful global empire, stretching from Europe and North Africa to Asia and the Americas. This course examines the four centuries of tumultuous history that led to the rise and fall of the Spanish Empire between 1492 and 1898.				
43672	003	W 6:30PM-9:20PM	PH-156	Mohamed Gamal-Eldin
History of the Palestinian people in the modern Middle East from the late 19th through the 20th c. Emphasis on social, cultural, economic, and environmental history through periods of empire, mandate rule, occupation, displacement, and war.				
54092	004	TR 12:15PM-1:30PM	PH-152	Nourit Zimerman
Taught by a visiting legal scholar from Israel, this course explores major trials of the 20th Century from four continents, including the Dreyfus Affair, the Nuremberg Trials, and others.				

History 162 - Topics in Gender History

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44123	001	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	RA-214	Nourit Zimerman
Taught by a visiting legal scholar, this course explores the history of the women's rights movement and gendered legal and political struggles in Israel and the US in the 20th century.				

History 186 - Introduction to Legal History

Hybrid Synchronous				
Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
53237	001	F 9:10AM-12:00PM	PH-117	Miryam Segal
Introduction to the ways the law and legal documents, such as court proceedings or speeches, legislative processes, police archives, and other primary sources may be used by historians to understand broader trends in society, culture, and political life.				

History 190 - Writing and History (satisfies Pathways EC2 requirement)

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44227	001	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	KY-417	Tracey Billado-Lotson
Focus on medieval Icelandic Sagas and family clan stories from c. 900-1250CE.				
43930	002	TR 12:15PM-1:30PM	PH-154	Andrew Amstutz
The partition of India and Pakistan in 1947. Themes will include borders, the end of empire, nationalism, and mass displacement.				
43364	004	TR 9:15AM-10:30AM	PH-108	Douglas Manson
Continuity and change in American social history. The class will vote on a specific theme within US history to focus on for the semester.				
Online				
44665	003	Online Asynchronous		Michael Wolfe
Focus on works of Renaissance humanism, such as Machiavelli and Erasmus, from the Black Death through the Age of Discovery.				

History 212 - Europe in the Middle Ages

44664	001	Online Asynchronous		Michael Wolfe
Europe from the end of the ancient world through the late Middle Ages.				

History 231 - Ireland since 1690

44250	001	M 6:30PM-9:20PM	Online synch.	Stephen Haller
Ireland and the rise of Irish nationalism from the Battle of the Boyne to the present troubles in the North.				

History 242 - Modern Greek History, 1923 to the Present

43736	001	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-204	Nicholas Levis
Political, social, economic, & cultural development of modern Greece, plus the Greek state in world politics.				

History 259 - The American Revolution and the Foundation of the Republic, 1763–1800

44149	001	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-121	Edward Knudsen
From the origins of the American Revolution to the establishment of the federal union and formation of political parties in the 1790s.				

History 277 - Afro-American History I

44063	001	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM		Sayida Self
A survey of African American life and history in the United States from 1619 to the late 19th c.				

History 278 - Afro-American History II

43982	001	MW 5:00PM-6:16PM	KY-119A	Keisha Wiel
The role of the African American people in the economic, political, and social development of the US since				

History 305 - The Industrial Revolution

43718	001	W 4:30PM-7:20PM	KY-271	Katherine Antonova
The origins of the Industrial Revolution in Britain, the social impacts of industrialization on people at the time, and the different patterns of industrialization in France, Germany, Russia, and the US.				

History 311 - Jewish Society in Islamic Lands, 632-1517

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
44221	001	TR 10:45AM-12:00PM	PH-108	Arnold Franklin
Political, cultural and religious history of Jews in the Islamic world from the rise of Islam to the 16th century. Particular attention will be given to points of contact between the two societies and the ways in which the Jewish experience was shaped by the surrounding Islamic environment.				

History 313 - The First World War

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
43690	001	M 4:30PM-7:20PM	PH-115	Bobby Wintermute Julia Sneeringer
World War One from its origins to its impact on Europe, the US, and the world. Co-taught by a US military historian and a German social historian, it explores military, social, cultural, and political dimensions using a variety of primary and secondary sources. This is a combined BA/MA section.				

History 340 - American Constitutional History to 1865

Hybrid Synchronous				
Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
53236	001	MW 1:40PM-2:55PM	TBA	Miryam Segal
The history of the US Constitution, its colonial-era sources, and its evolution through decisions of the Supreme Court and constitutional controversies from the early Republic through the Civil War.				

History 341 - American Constitutional History since 1865

Hybrid Synchronous				
Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
53234	001	MW 10:45AM-12:00PM	TBA	Miryam Segal
The evolution of the US Constitution since the Civil War and Reconstruction, changing conceptions of the federal system and rights guaranteed by organic law.				

History 342 - African-American Women's History

Hybrid Synchronous				
Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
42711	001	M 1:40PM-4:30PM	PH-116	Natanya Duncan
African American women's history from slavery to the present. Topics include changes in labor patterns, family relations, political and social movements, sexuality and reproduction, and black feminism. The course will illuminate the changing context in which African American women lived and worked, and their attempts at resistance and self-definition.				

History 391W - History and Literature (satisfies Pathways WRIC)

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
43949	001	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM	PH-253	Myles McDonnell
Homer's <i>Iliad</i> and <i>Odyssey</i> as history and literature. Topics include discussion of authorship (how, when, by whom were the poems composed?), historical contexts (how were they inspired by real events?), distinctive ways the poems present the human condition, and how they shaped Ancient Greek and Western culture. Cross-listed with Classics and Philosophy.				

History 392W - Colloquium (satisfies Pathways WRIC)

Code	Section	Day and Time	Room	Instructor
43952	001	Tavarez	PH-231	TR 1:40PM-2:55PM
Slavery & the Atlantic World				
43999	002	Rossabi	PH-231	M 1:40PM-4:30PM
The Silk Road Then and Now				
43954	003	Bemporad	PH-231	R 3:10PM-5:50PM
Mass Violence in Modern Times				
43953	004	Frangakis-Syrett	PH-231	T 3:10PM-5:50PM
Westerners in the Middle East and the Role of Money in the 18th Century				
43655	005	Giardina	PH-231	W 4:30PM-7:20PM
America in the Sixties				
*More detailed descriptions are available in a separate handout.				