

History (Thesis Track)

PREREQUISITES

Students must achieve a minimum score of 400 on the verbal and 3.0 on the analytical writing section on the General Test of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). This requirement is expected to be met before enrollment into any graduate level course. However, under special circumstances with approval from the Dean of the Graduate School, a student may enroll for one semester taking no more than 12 graduate hours prior to fulfilling the requirement of the GRE. No student will be allowed to enroll for a second semester without fulfilling the GRE requirement. All transfer students are required to meet the GRE requirement before enrollment. (Students who are graduates of Southwestern with a 2.5 GPA will be conditionally admitted to the Harrison School of Graduate Studies without taking the GRE. After completing 12 hours of graduate work with GPA of 3.0 or higher, the student would then be accepted into the graduate school.)

HISTORY Prerequisites

Students must have credit for at least 12 semester hours of upper level undergraduate history (or related subjects approved by the History Graduate Program Coordinator) for admission into the program.

BIBLE/THEOLOGY/RELIGION Prerequisites

Students who have not taken a course in History of Christianity must take HIS 5193 Ages of Faith as one of their courses in the Professional Component.

Graduation Requirement

Students must apply for graduation and successfully pass the Graduate Comprehensive Examinations prior to being approved for graduation from the Registrar's Office. Application for graduation must be made by the end of late registration in the semester in which the student anticipates to graduate. In order to qualify for a specific graduation date, graduating students must have all program and course requirements completed. Contact the Graduate Studies Office and Registrar's Office for more information.

HISTORY

PROFESSIONAL COMPONENT: 24 hours

HIS 5113 Research Literature and Technology

HIS 5133 Biblical Backgrounds

HIS 5143 Historiography

15 hours from the following:

HIS 5153 American South

HIS 5163 American West

HIS 5173 Medieval Europe

HIS 5183 Religion in America

HIS 5193 Ages of Faith

HIS 5213 Military History

HIS 5223 Modern Europe 1848-1945

HIS 5233 Selected Topics

HIS 524X Historical/Cultural Study Tour

RESEARCH COMPONENT: 6 hours

HIS 5413 Thesis (Must take two sections for 6 hours total credit)

TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS 30