

# Bachelor of History – Small Plan

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History is a non-sequential major and thus both lower and upper-division courses may be taken in a different order than they are shown in the sample plan below. However, HIST 302 is a prerequisite for HIST 481 and students may not take them simultaneously. The History Small Plan requires a second major or a minor.

**Only two of the eight Knowledge Areas in General Education are allowed to be from the History Department and double count. Students must take non-history courses for six of the eight Knowledge Areas in General Education.**

- This is a sample plan.
- Not all courses will be offered in the quarter listed.
- Majors must take 20 units (four courses) from HIST 101, 102, 103, 143 and 144. Please note all five are listed on the sample plan.
- Majors (small plan) must take one course in at least three of the following areas: African History, Asian History, European History, Latin American History, World/Transcontinental. Students must take an additional two courses of upper-division History (any field) for a total of five courses or twenty-five units.
- See attached sheet for a list of upper-division major courses by field.
- Upper-division History courses are offered on a multi-year rotation. If majors see a course they want offered, they should not wait.

	FALL	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER
YEAR 1	ENG 101 (5) UNIV 101 (1) CWU 184 (4) HIST 143 (5)  <b>15 units</b>	HIST 144 (5) K2 Option (5) K3 Option (5)  <b>15 units</b>	Quantitative Reasoning (5) K4 Option (5) K5 HIST 102 or 301 (5)  <b>15 units</b>	
YEAR 2	HIST 101 (5) K6 Option (5) K7 Option (5)  <b>15 units</b>	HIST 103 (5) K8 Option (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	K1 HIST 302 (5) Upper-division U.S. (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	
YEAR 3	Upper-division History (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	Upper-division History (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	Upper-division History (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	
YEAR 4	HIST 481 (GE Culminating Experience) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	Upper-division History (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	Upper-division History (see list of courses by field) (5) Elective (5) Elective (5)  <b>15 units</b>	
				<b>180 units</b>