

HIST • HISTORY

HIST 202 • World Civilizations 3 Credits

In-depth analysis of global historical trends which have transformed world civilization, such as the emergence of world systems; formation of ethnic, racial, and national identities; capitalism, colonialism, and development; ecological imperialism; religious movements; industrialization; and modernization.

Prerequisite: ENGL 105.

HIST 204 • U.S. History from 1865 3 Credits

Major developments of U.S. history from the Reconstruction Era through recent times. Coursework emphasizes the ideas, groups, and events that helped form American culture. Students develop critical reading and writing skills through analyzing primary documents of this era and by considering how past movements have shaped our country in the present day.

Prerequisite: ENGL 105. Students who have successfully completed HIS 201 will not receive credit for this course.

HIST 420 • United States History and the Constitution 3 Credits

Exploration of United States history from pre-colonization until the Industrial Revolution. Candidates reflect on the importance of democracy and the Constitution as a lens for understanding democratic principles that serve as the foundation of our political system.

Prerequisite: ENGL 105. Students cannot earn credit for both HIS 203 and HIST 420.

HIST 440 • California History 3 Credits

Exploration of the factors contributing to California's development as a region, including agriculture, immigration, religion, arts, technology, and geography. This course acquaints the student with the major developments of California history from the Native American period, European exploration period, Spanish colonial period, Mexican period, and statehood in the United States to present.

Prerequisite: ENGL 105.