Degree Worksheet

Mason Core Requirements	Course Information	Credits	Grades Earned	Grades Needed
Mason Core Foundation				
Written Communication (lower-level)	ENGH 101 (100)	3		
Oral Communication	COMM 101	3		
Quantitative Reasoning		3		
Information Technology & Computing	May be met by Major Requirement (HIST 390)	3		
Mason Core Exploration				
Arts		3		
Global Understanding	Satisfied by Major Requirement	3		
Literature		3		
Natural Science Overview		3		
Natural Science with Lab		4		
Social and Behavioral Sciences	Satisfied by Major Requirement	3		
Global History		3		
Mason Core Integration				
Written Communication (upper-level)	ENGH 302	3		
Synthesis/Capstone	Satisfied by Major Requirement	3		

College Level Requirements for the BA Degree

Philosophy or Religious Studies		3		
(PHIL 323, 324, 327, 393, 460 cannot be used to fulfill this requirement. PHIL 253, RELI 235, RELI 333, and RELI 339 cannot be used to fulfill both the PHIL/RELI requirement and the Mason Core literature requirement)				
Additional Social & Behavioral Sciences		3		
(The two courses used to fulfill the combined college and university requirements must be from different disciplines. This requirement may be fulfilled by completing any course in ANTH, CRIM, ECON, GOVT, HIST (except 100 or 125), LING, PSYC, or SOCI & these courses in GGS: 101, 103, 110, 301, 303, 304, 305, 306, 315, 316, 320, 325, 330, 357, 380)				
Foreign Language		0-12		
(Intermediate level in a single language by completing a course in a foreign language numbered 202 (or higher); or achieving a satisfactory score on an approved proficiency test; or by completing the following ASL three course sequence EDSE 115, 116, and EDSE 219; or students who are already proficient in a second language may be eligible for a waiver of this requirement)				
Non-Western Culture	May be Satisfied by Major Requirement	3		
(Approved courses for this requirement may be found under Degree Requirements for the major listed within the University Catalog. The course used for this requirement may not simultaneously fulfill Mason Core Global Understanding)				

Major Requirements (36 credits - at least 18 credits at the 300/400 level)
GPA of 2.00 in courses applied to the major. No more than 3 credits of ARTH coursework may apply to the History BA

		Credits	Earned	Needed
HIST 300	Introduction to Historical Method (Mason Core)	3		
HIST 499	RS: Senior Seminar in History (Mason Core)	3		
HIST 390	The Digital Past	3		
Select three electives with at least 6 credits in HIST from the following: other coursework, including internships, approved by the program director:		9		
HIST 395	Topics in Digital History			
ENGH 375	Web Authoring and Design			
ENGH 376	Rhetoric and New Media			
U.S. History: Two courses (6 credits) chosen from: HIST 121, 122, 334-336, 339-345, 350-352, 370, 373, 377, 378, 380, 389, 391, 392, 401, 403				
US HIST Elective #1		3		
US HIST Elective #2		3		

European History: Two courses (6 credits) chosen from: HIST 100, 101, 102, 301, 302, 304-309, 312, 314, 321, 322, 326-329, 388				
European HIST Elective #1		3		
European HIST Elective #2		3		
Global, Latin American, African, Asian, or Middle East History: Two courses (6 credits) chosen from: HIST 125, 202, 251, 252, 261, 262, 271, 272, 281, 282, 353, 354, 356-358, 360, 364-366, 384, 387, 394, 461, 462, 465				
HIST Elective #1		3		
HIST Elective #2		3		

Degree Notes

All students must complete at least one course designated "writing intensive" in their majors at the 300 level or above. Students majoring in History may fulfill this requirement by successfully completing HIST 300 or 499. Any remaining credits may be completed with electives to bring degree total to 120 with 45 credits at the 300/400 level.