

CORE COURSES (6 hours)

		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Semester</u>	<u>Grade</u>
HIST 501	Historical Methods & Interpretation	3	_____	_____
HIUS 530	American Christian Heritage	3	_____	_____

HISTORY ELECTIVE COURSES (21 hours)^{1, 2, 3}

Choose seven 500-600 level electives from the following disciplines for which prerequisites have been met: HIST, HIEU, HIUS & HIWD

_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____

GRADUATE ELECTIVE COURSES (9 hours)^{1, 2, 4}

Choose three 500-600 level graduate courses including history courses not already taken above:

_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____

TOTAL HOURS 36

Graduation Requirements

Complete 36 hours
 A minimum of 30 hours must be completed through Liberty University, not to include credits from a prior degree earned through Liberty
 A maximum of 6 hours of transfer credit, including credit from a degree on the same academic level previously earned through Liberty, may be applied to the degree
 3.0 GPA
 Grades of C are not permitted in the Core area (includes grades of C+ & C-)
 No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)
 No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)
 Degree must be completed within 5 years
 All Resident students are required to enroll in and pass GRST 500 in their first semester
 All Online students admitted on Academic Caution are required to enroll in and pass GRST 500 in their first semester
 Please submit a Graduation Application to the Registrar's Office at the beginning of the final semester

Notes

¹Students who have obtained a J.D. or are pursuing the dual degree J.D./MA History program (comprehensive track) may satisfy a History Elective (3 hours) with LAW 581 or LAW 585 (or approved LAW substitutes) and apply up to 9 hours of LAW credit to the Graduate Electives.
²Students who switch from the thesis track to the comprehensive track are permitted to use one enrollment in HIST 689 toward degree requirements.
³Students must take two electives from HIEU or HIWD disciplines.
⁴Students may choose nine graduate hours in history or in other disciplines such as Church History, Theology, English, Public Policy, etc. Six of the nine elective hours may be from another accredited university as stated under the graduation requirements.

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
HIST 501	3	HIUS 530	3
History Elective ¹	3	Graduate Elective ^{2,3}	3
History Elective ¹	<u>3</u>	History Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
Graduate Elective ^{2,3,4}	3	Graduate Elective ^{2,3,4}	3
History Elective ¹	3	History Elective ¹	3
History Elective ^{1,4}	<u>3</u>	History Elective ^{1,4}	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

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¹Choose seven 500-600 level courses from the following: HIST, HIEU, HIUS or HIWD (Two of these electives must be taken from HIEU or HIWD disciplines.)

²Choose three 500-600 level graduate courses including history electives not already taken above.

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