

**CORE COURSES (9 hours)**

		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
HIST 501	Historical Methods	3	_____	_____
HIST 602	Historiography	3	_____	_____
HIUS 530	American Christian Heritage	3	_____	_____

**HISTORY ELECTIVE COURSES (18 hours)<sup>1, 2</sup>**

*Choose 18 hours of graduate history electives from the following disciplines:*

*HIST, HIEU, HIUS & HIWD*

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

**ELECTIVE COURSES (9 hours)<sup>1, 2, 3</sup>**

*Choose 9 hours of graduate electives:*

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

**TOTAL HOURS 36**

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 36 hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

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

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

<sup>1</sup>Students who have obtained a J.D. or are pursuing the dual degree J.D./MA History program 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 electives.

<sup>2</sup>Students who wish to write a thesis must take HIST 601, HIST 689<sup>4</sup>, and 690.

<sup>3</sup>Students may choose nine graduate hours in history or in other disciplines.

<sup>4</sup>Any student who is not ready for enrollment in HIST 690 after completing HIST 689 may be required, as determined by the student's thesis chair, to repeat HIST 689 until deemed ready for enrollment in HIST 690. Although HIST 689 may be taken more than once, only one enrollment in the course will count towards the degree requirements

*Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
HIST 501	3	HIUS 530	3
History Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	History Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
History Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>	Elective <sup>2,3,4</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9
 <u>Third Semester</u>		 <u>Fourth Semester</u>	
HIST 602	3	History Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
History Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	History Elective <sup>1,3</sup>	3
Elective <sup>2,3,4</sup>	<u>3</u>	Elective <sup>2,3,4</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

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