

## SAMPLE DEGREE PLAN

### Bachelor of Science, History

This degree program requires a total of **120** credit hours (CH), including 38 credit hours of the lower-division (LD) UCA Core and 40 credit hours of upper-division (3000- and 4000-level) courses. This sample degree plan demonstrates how a first-time entering freshman with no college credit can earn the degree in eight semesters. The upper-division UCA Core must be met using major, minor, or general elective courses. For general and specific degree requirements, please see the *Undergraduate Bulletin* at <https://uca.edu/ubulletin>. Consult your academic advisor for appropriate substitutions and additional information.

This degree is offered as an eight-semester degree completion program. Eligible students who follow this degree plan and complete all general and specific degree requirements in the *Undergraduate Bulletin* of the year in which they were admitted will earn this degree in eight semesters. For eligibility requirements, see <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/degreeplans/> for more information.

#### Year 1

| Fall — Semester 1                                                                             |           | Spring — Semester 2                                                                                                                              |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Courses                                                                                       | CH        | Courses                                                                                                                                          | CH        |
| WRTG 1310 Introduction to College Writing or<br>Other approved Writing Foundation alternative | 3         | WRTG 1320 Academic Writing & Research or<br>ENGL 1320 Interdisciplinary Writing & Research or<br>Other approved Research and Writing alternative | 3         |
| HIST Foundational Survey Course <sup>1</sup>                                                  | 3         | HIST Foundational Survey Course <sup>1</sup>                                                                                                     | 3         |
| LD UCA Core First-Year Seminar <sup>1</sup> or<br>Other LD UCA Core Course                    | 3         | LD UCA Core First-Year Seminar <sup>1</sup> (if not taken) or<br>Other LD UCA Core Course                                                        | 3         |
| Lower-Division UCA Core Course                                                                | 3         | Lower-Division UCA Core Lab Science                                                                                                              | 4         |
| MATH 1360 Quantitative Literacy or<br>Other LD UCA Core Course                                | 3         | MATH 1360 Quantitative Literacy (if not taken) or<br>Other LD UCA Core Course                                                                    | 3         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                  | <b>15</b> | <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                                     | <b>16</b> |

#### Year 2

| Fall — Semester 3                                   |           | Spring — Semester 4                                      |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Courses                                             | CH        | Courses                                                  | CH        |
| HIST Foundational Survey Course <sup>1</sup>        | 3         | HIST 3390 Historiography: Reading and Writing<br>History | 3         |
| HIST 2390 The Historian's Craft                     | 3         | History BS Elective                                      | 3         |
| Minor Course or Interest Area Elective <sup>2</sup> | 3         | History BS Related Course Requirement                    | 3         |
| Minor Course or Interest Area Elective <sup>2</sup> | 3         | Minor Course or Interest Area Elective <sup>2</sup>      | 3         |
| Lower-Division UCA Core Lab Science                 | 4         | Minor Course or Interest Area Elective <sup>2</sup>      | 3         |
| <b>Total</b>                                        | <b>16</b> | <b>Total</b>                                             | <b>15</b> |

<sup>1</sup>History majors must complete three foundational HIST courses that meet different requirements of the LD UCA Core.

<sup>2</sup>Instead of a minor, History majors may complete two 12-hour interest areas.

**Year 3**

| Fall — Semester 5                                                             |           | Spring — Semester 6                                                           |           |
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| Courses                                                                       | CH        | Courses                                                                       | CH        |
| History BS Elective                                                           | 3         | History BS Elective                                                           | 3         |
| History BS Elective                                                           | 3         | History BS Elective                                                           | 3         |
| History BS Related Course Requirement                                         | 3         | History BS Elective                                                           | 3         |
| Minor Courses or Interest Area Electives (as needed) and/or General Electives | 6         | Minor Courses or Interest Area Electives (as needed) and/or General Electives | 6         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                  | <b>15</b> | <b>Total</b>                                                                  | <b>15</b> |

**Year 4**

| Fall — Semester 7                                                             |           | Spring — Semester 8                                                           |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Courses                                                                       | CH        | Courses                                                                       | CH        |
| HIST 4300 Seminar or History BS Elective                                      | 3         | HIST 4300 Seminar (if not taken) or History BS Elective                       | 3         |
| Minor Courses or Interest Area Electives (as needed) and/or General Electives | 12        | Minor Courses or Interest Area Electives (as needed) and/or General Electives | 10        |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                  | <b>15</b> | <b>Total</b>                                                                  | <b>13</b> |

This sample degree plan has been approved by the Department of History in the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Science.



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