

# **History Education B.S.**

## **Program Description**

The History Education degree leads to 6-12 teacher certification in the state of Georgia. Candidates concentrate on history, as the principal social science discipline in the secondary education curriculum and take courses in several other social science disciplines (such as political science, economics, and geography) as part of their cross-disciplinary teaching field preparation. After certification in history, graduates can add on certification in additional disciplines.



This program is a part of the Norman J. Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

## **Accreditation**

The B.S. with a major in History Education is fully accredited and approved by Georgia's Professional Standards Commission for teacher certification in line with recommendations from the National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS).

## **Admission, Enrollment and Graduation Policies**

### **Admission Requirements**

Admission to teacher education is separate from admission to Kennesaw State University. Students must meet the admission requirements outlined in the Teacher Education Admission, Enrollment, and Graduation Requirements catalog page to pursue this degree program.

### **Graduation Requirements**

Each student is expected to meet the requirements outlined in Academic Policies 5.0 PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS & GRADUATION.

## **Program Course Requirements**

### **Core IMPACTS Curriculum (42 Credit Hours)**

General Education Core IMPACTS Curriculum

### **Core Field of Study (18 Credit Hours)**

Students must earn a "C" or better in these courses.

- EDUC 2110: Investigating Critical & Contemporary Issues in Education
- EDUC 2120: Exploring Socio-Cultural Perspectives on Diversity in Educational Contexts
- GEOG 1101: Introduction to Human Geography  
or
- GEOG 1130: World Regional Geography
- HIST 2111: Survey of U.S. History I
- HIST 1112: Survey of World History II
- HIST 2206: Origins of Great Traditions

### **Major Requirements (42 Credit Hours)**

Students must earn a "C" or better in these courses.

### **Required Courses (15 Credit Hours)**

- ECON 2106: Principles of Microeconomics
- HIST 3100: Historical Methods
- HIST 3304: History of Georgia
- HIST 4488: Approaches to World History
- POLS 3300: U.S. Constitution and Courts

### **Professional Education (6-12) Requirements (27 Credit Hours)**

Students must be admitted to Teacher Education and History Education before taking these courses.

- EDUC 2130: Exploring Teaching & Learning
- HIST 3271: Introduction to History Education
- HIED 4550: Methods of History Education
- HIED 4650: Yearlong Clinical Experience I
- HIED 4660: Yearlong Clinical Experience II
- EDUC 4610: Introduction to the Yearlong Clinical Experience
- INED 3300: Educating Students with Exceptionalities in Inclusive Settings
- INED 4431: Foundations for Teaching Multilingual English Learners

### **Major Electives (18 Credit Hours)**

Students must earn a "C" or better in these courses.

### **Geography Electives (3 Credit Hours)**

Select 3 credit hours of 3000-4000 level GEOG coursework except for "Geographic Technique" courses (GEOG 3305, GEOG 3315, GEOG 4405, GEOG 4410, GEOG 3320, or SURV 3451).

### ***American History (6 Credit Hours)***

Select 6 credit hours from the following list of courses:

- HIST 3310: The Old South
- HIST 3311: The New South
- HIST 3331: History of Religion in the U.S.
- HIST 3333: African American History to 1865
- HIST 3335: African American History, 1865 to Present
- HIST 3340: U.S. Military Experience
- HIST 3341: Women in U.S. History and Culture
- HIST 4204: The History of the American West
- HIST 4255: Diplomatic History of the United States
- HIST 4251: U.S. Social and Cultural History
- HIST 4245: Business & Economic History of United States
- HIST 4410: Colonial America to 1763
- HIST 4411: The American Revolution
- HIST 4412: The Early Republic
- HIST 4415: Jacksonian America
- HIST 4451: Civil War and Reconstruction
- HIST 4461: Gilded Age & Progressive Era
- HIST 4163: The United States between the World Wars
- HIST 4471: Recent United States History
- HIST 4490: Special Topics in History (as appropriate)
- HIST 4495: Research Seminar in US History

### ***European History (3 Credit Hours)***

Select 3 credit hours from the following list of courses:

- HIST 3350: England to 1688
- HIST 3351: Modern England
- HIST 3361: Themes in Slavic and Eastern European Studies
- HIST 3371: Modern Europe
- HIST 3377: History of Science
- HIST 4428: The Third Reich
- HIST 4440: Medieval Europe
- HIST 4441: The Holy Roman Empire
- HIST 4442: History of Religious Tolerance

- HIST 4445: Age of Enlightenment
- HIST 4453: World War I
- HIST 4454: Twentieth Century Europe
- HIST 4456: World War II
- HIST 4496: Research Seminar in European History
- HIST 4501: Ancient Greece
- HIST 4502: Ancient Rome
- HIST 4503: Twilight of Antiquity
- HIST 4544: Renaissance Europe
- HIST 4545: Reformation Europe
- HIST 4555: Topics in European Culture
- HIST 4558: The Holocaust
- HIST 4633: Modern German History
- HIST 4640: Modern Ireland
- HIST 4654: Russia to 1861
- HIST 4655: Russia Since 1861
- HIST 4490: Special Topics in History (as appropriate)

***Non-Western World Studies (6 Credit Hours)***

Select 6 credit hours from the following list of courses:

- HIST 3305: The World Since 1945
- HIST 3334: The Africans in the Diaspora
- HIST 3357: Africans in Asia
- HIST 3358: Africans in Latin America and the Caribbean
- HIST 3366: History of Mexico and Central America
- HIST 3367: History of Brazil
- HIST 3372: Ancient to Pre-Modern China
- HIST 3373: Modern India and South Asia
- HIST 3374: Modern China
- HIST 3375: Silk Road
- HIST 3379: Central Asia in World History
- HIST 3380: Premodern Japan
- HIST 3381: Modern Japan
- HIST 3382: North Africa and Middle East in Modern Times
- HIST 3391: History of West Africa
- HIST 3392: History of Southern, Eastern and Central Africa
- HIST 4373: Modern India and South Asia

- HIST 4374: History of Ancient and Medieval India
- HIST 4375: Themes in Asian History
- HIST 4391: Emerging Themes in African History
- HIST 4497: Research Seminar in non-Western History
- HIST 4498: Research Seminar in World History
- HIST 4760: The Age of Imperialism
- HIST 4765: History of Terrorism
- HIST 4905: History of the Atlantic World
- HIST 4490: Special Topics in History (as appropriate)

**Program Total (120 Credit Hours)**