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**HIST 1002 - Intro to African Diaspora.................2.00 Credits**

A study of the peoples and cultures of African descent throughout the African Diaspora, especially in Africa, the Caribbean, South America and the United States. Emphasis on the political, social and cultural institutions that have contributed to the development of African Diaspora peoples and cultures.

**HIST 1111 - Survey of World History I ................3.00 Credits**

A survey of World History to early modern times.

**HIST 1112 - Survey of World History II...............3.00 Credits**

A survey of World History from early modern times to the present.

**HIST 2111 - Survey of American History I ..........3.00 Credits**

A survey of American History to the post-Civil War period.

**HIST 2112 - Survey of American History II ........3.00 Credits**

A survey of American History from the post-Civil War period to the present.

**HIST 2113 - Minorities in America .......................3.00 Credits**

A survey of selected minority groups and their contributions in the development of the United States.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 2115 - African-American History ...............3.00 Credits**

A survey of African-American history beginning with the African background and moving through the 20th century to the present. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 2116 - American Military History...............3.00 Credits**

A survey of American Military History from the Revolutionary War to the present.

**HIST 2117 - Intro to Public History......................3.00 Credits**

A lecture and practical experience course for the history major or other student who wishes to learn about the field of public history. The course will be conducted in the classroom, with a component of Web-based study, and in area museums and related public history sites. Major topics of study will include archives and archival pro- cedures, museums and museum operations, historic preservation, Na- tional Register criteria, historic interpretation, oral history, and local and family history. This course will give students the opportunity to explore a field of history beyond the traditional realms teaching and publishing. As the area of public history is currently expanding, it may provide career opportunities for students who have an in- terest in history but who do not wish to follow the traditional paths of teaching in secondary schools or institutions of higher learning.

**HIST 3205 - History of Islam ................................3.00 Credits**

Must be enrolled in one of the following Class(s): junior, senior.

An evaluation of the emergence of Islam as a religious force in the seventh century. A review of the social, economic and political histo- ries of the lands stretching from India to Spain which converted to Islam between the eighth and twentieth centuries.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3206 - Slavery in Ancient & Modern Worlds3.00 Credits** A study of slavery-the practices, the process, and the slave trade- from the time of Neolithic man through the current epidemics of slavery in Africa and Asia. A narrative approach will trace the prac- tice through cultures -- Mesopotamian, Egyptian, Chinese, Indian,

Persian, Roman, Viking, Native American, Arabic, African, etc. -- and make reference to the part slavery played in the economic de- velopment of the world's cultures and societies. Particular attention will be paid to the survival of slavery in the post-emancipation era of the 1800s and its dramatic resurgence in the 20th and 21st cen- turies. This course will give students the opportunity to place the American slave and emancipation experience in the broader context of slavery throughout the world, and alert them to the continued ex- istence and growth of the practice in regions of the modern world.

**HIST 3301 - Historical Methods I .........................3.00 Credits** Must be enrolled in one of the following Class(s): Junior, Senior Introduction to the nature, methods and tools of historical research and documentation. Required of all history majors.

**HIST 3302 - Historical Methods II .......................3.00 Credits** Problems of oral history, documenting, photograph assessment and primary evidence research Required of all history majors. *Prerequisite(s): ( HIST 3301 or HIS 308 )*

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**HIST 3403 - History of Georgia ............................3.00 Credits**

A survey of the political, social and economic history of Georgia from colonial times to the present.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3404 - Diplomatic History of the U.S..........3.00 Credits** A survey of the development of American foreign policy and diplo- matic crises involving the United States and foreign nations from the birth of the Republic down to the 20th Century.

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*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3405 - Civil War & Reconstruction ............3.00 Credits**

An analysis of the origins of the Civil War, the War itself and the

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Reconstruction Period.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of Instructor.*

**HIST 3406 - Dir Reading in European History ...3.00 Credits**

A readings course for the history major or for any other student who wishes to improve his/her historical knowledge in any era of European history. The course can be conducted as a seminar class or biweekly appointments between the professor and the student. The course will be supervised by the ASU professor who normally teaches courses in European history. This course is designed to im- prove the student's thinking and writing skills by having him/her ac- tually "read" history. For history and pre-law majors, it will be an essential background for the self-direction and first-rate reading comprehension needed in both graduate school and law school. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of Instructor.*

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**son-Western History...............................................3.00 Credits**

A readings course for the history major or for any other students who wishes to improve his/her historical knowledge in any era of non-Western (most especially African, Latin American, and East Asian) history. The course can be conducted as a seminar class or by weekly appointments between the professor and the student. The course will be supervised by the ASU professor who normally teaches courses in non-Western history. This course is designed to improve the student's thinking and writing skills by having him/her actu- ally "read" history. For history and pre-law majors, it will be an es- sential background for the self-direction and first rate reading comprehension needed in both graduate school and law school. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of Instructor.*

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**HIST 3510 - Classical History ...............................3.00 Credits** A social, and political history of Greece and Rome. This course will focus on the birth of western civilization, democracy, philosophy,

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history, and drama in Greece and will also deal with the emergence

of international law, political institutions, and science within the roman republic and empire. This course will also focus on the birth of Christianity in the Roman empire and the transmutation of western civilization in the states of barbarian Europe of the fifth century. This course will complete a set of three courses (the other two being HIST

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3518 and HIST 3519), which treat the development of western Eu- rope from ancient time through the fall of Rome. All of these courses will apply to the Europe concentration. This course will perfect the student's skill as an investigator and historian by forc- ing he/she to choose a certain topic in Greek or Roman history and thoroughly research them both.

papers and examinations.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3511 - Modern Europe I...............................3.00 Credits**

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A study of the most important political, social, economic, intellec- tual and cultural phases of European life from 1789-1870. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3512 - Modern Europe II .............................3.00 Credits**

A study of European History from 1870 to the contemporary period

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

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**HIST 3514 - English History I ...............................3.00 Credits** Traces the development of England from ancient times through the Stuart dynasty.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3515 - English History II .............................3.00 Credits** A study of England from the Stuart dynasty to the present. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3516 - Social and Intellectual History**

**of Modern Europe ...................................................3.00 Credits** A survey of the intellectual tradition of Modern Europe from the Sci- entific Revolution of the seventeenth and eighteenth century to the emergence of post-modernism in the twenty-first century. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

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**HIST 3518 - The European Middle Ages..............3.00 Credits** A survey of Europe from the fall of the western Roman empire to the fall of the Byzantine empire in the fifteenth century. This course fo- cuses on the religious, political, cultural and economic development of Western Europe.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3519 - The Age of Renaissance, Reformation**

**& Reconnaissance ....................................................3.00 Credits** The history of Europe from 1453 to 1648 with emphasis on the re- ligious, political, cultural, and intellectual developments which un- derpinned the changes in early modern European life.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

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**HIST 3630 - Spanish History .................................3.00 Credits**

A social, economic, and political history of the peoples of the Iber- ian Peninsula which will focus on the emergence of celtiberian civi- lization, Roman, Visgothic, Muslim, and Christian Spain. This course will thoroughly discuss the era of the Siglo de Oro (sixteenth

century), that of the "decline of Spain" (seventeenth and eighteenth centuries), the birth of modern Spain (nineteenth century), and the destruction and rebirth of the modern Spanish state (twentieth cen- tury). This course will complete a set of two courses (the other one being HIST 3631) which treat the development of the Spanish state and it American empire and will serve as the history components of the Latin American certificate.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3631 - History of Latin America .................3.00 Credits**

A study of the exploration and colonization of Latin America, the record of the struggle for independence, and the establishment and growth of the independent states in this section of the Western Hemi- sphere.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 3632 - History of Russia...............................3.00 Credits** A survey of Russia from the Kievan and Muscovite periods through the Soviet era, the 19th Century revolutionary movement, the Revo- lutions of 1905 and 1917, and the establishment and the develop- ment of Soviet Russia under Lenin and Stalin.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of Iistructor.*

**HIST 3633 - The Revolution/Modern History .....3.00 Credits** Examines the origins, spread, and consequences of the revolu- tionary experience in select countries during modern times. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 4301 - Senior Seminar I ...............................3.00 Credits** Culminating experience in the History Program. Students engage in individual research or an original endeavor on a problem or a proj- ect of special interest. Qualified history majors shall enroll for two consecutive semesters during which time they shall develop and defend a research paper. Required of all history majors. *Prerequisites: HIST 3301 and HIST 3302.*

**HIST 4302 - Senior Seminar II..............................3.00 Credits** Culminating experience in the History Program. Students engage in individual research or an original endeavor on a problem or a proj- ect of special interest. Qualified history majors shall enroll for two consecutive semesters during which time they shall develop and de- fend a research paper. Required of all history majors. *Prerequisite: HIST 4301.*

**HIST 4402 - Dir Reading in American History 3.00 Credits**

A readings course for the history major or for any other student who wishes to improve his/her historical knowledge in any era of American history. The course can be conducted as a seminar class or bi- weekly appointments between the professor and the student. The course will be supervised by the ASU professor who normally teaches courses in American history. This course is designed to im- prove the student's thinking and writing skills by having him/her ac- tually "read" history. For history and pre-law majors, it will be an essential background for the self- direction and first-rate reading comprehension needed in both graduate school and law school. *Must be enrolled as a junior or senior.*

**HIST 4403 - The Afro-Americans**

**in America Thought.................................................3.00 Credits** A survey of the Afro-American's impact upon the intellectual history of the United States.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

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**HIST 4404 - The History of the South ..................3.00 Credits** Institutional approach to the political, economic and social develop- ment of the region, and a critical analysis of conditions, problems

and trends of the South, with some attention on History of Georgia.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 4405 - Contemporary Amer,**

**1945-Present .............................................................3.00 Credits**

A study of major forces-political, social and economic that have molded contemporary America.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor. Must be enrolled as a junior or senior.*

**HIST 4406 - The Civil Rights Era .........................3.00 Credits**

A senior level course in the development and progress of the civil rights struggle in the era after World War II.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 4611 - Studies in African History ................3.00 Credits**

An interdisciplinary survey of African civilization, with emphasis on modern Africa.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor. Must be enrolled as a junior or senior.*

**HIST 4612 - Studies in African Diaspora .............3.00 Credits**

A survey of the origin of African cultural, economic, and politi- cal institutions. Examines the origin and operation of the Atlantic Slave Trade, as well as compares and analyzes chattel slavery in var- ious New World societies.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor. Must be enrolled as a junior or senior.*

**HIST 4613 - East Asian History ............................3.00 Credits** Study primarily of China and Japan from ancient times to the present. *Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor. Must be enrolled as a junior or senior.*

**HIST 4614 - Race/Politics in U.S.**

**& The Caribbean .....................................................3.00 Credits** This course is a comparative study of the economic, social, political, cultural, and artistic experiences of people of African descent, in the United States and the Caribbean as they fought to acquire civil rights and political independence from the oppressive political systems in which they lived from the 1900 to the 1970s. Emphasis will be placed on the politics of emancipation, and the establishment of civil rights organizations in the U.S., slavery and emancipation in the Caribbean, and the birth of Caribbean independence movements. Attention will also be given to Pan-African linkage between Africa, the Caribbean, and the United States.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 4814 - Women/Politics Cross Culturally ....3.00 Credits**

A survey of women and politics globally from a cross-cultural per- spectivethe course offers a comparative, historical overview of the field of women and politics.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*

**HIST 4815 - Intro to Global Terrorism ................3.00 Credits** This course traces the historical development and evolution of ter- rorism globally through time, with emphasis on the present. This course pertinent at this time, especially since 9/11, because terrorism is fast becoming a part of our everyday lives.

*Prerequisite: HIST 1111 or permission of instructor.*