

PLAN FOR SUCCESS



College of Liberal Arts

Department of History

Bachelor of Arts History Legal Track

1st Year

Fall Semester

ENGL 1301
HIST 1311
LANGUAGE 1441
MATH 1301/1302/1315
CREATIVE ARTS

Spring Semester

ENGL 1302
HIST 1312
LANGUAGE 1442
MATH 1303/1308/1316
SCIENCE WITH LAB

Summer (Optional)

HOURS 32

2nd Year

Fall Semester

POLS 2311
LANGUAGE 2313
CORE
HIST 2313 OR 2301
SCIENCE WITH LAB

Spring Semester

POLS 2312
LANGUAGE 2314
HIST 2314 OR 2302
HIST 3300
SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL

Summer (Optional)

HOURS 30

3rd Year

Fall Semester

HIST ADVANCED LEGAL
HIST ADVANCED LEGAL
POLS
CRCJ
PHIL 1301 OR 2311

Spring Semester

HIST ADVANCED LEGAL
HIST ADVANCED LEGAL
ECON 2305 OR 2306
POLS
MINOR

Summer (Optional)

HOURS 30

4th Year

Fall Semester

HIST 3000/4000
SOCI/ANTH 3000/4000
BLAW 3311 OR 3312
MINOR
MINOR

Spring Semester

HIST 3000/4000
MINOR
MINOR ADVANCED LEVEL
MINOR ADVANCED LEVEL
ELECTIVE

**SENIOR HOURS 28
TOTAL DEGREE HOURS 120**



DESIGN YOUR JOURNEY



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Beginning the Journey

- Review core curriculum requirements.
- Review Degree Plan w/Academic Advisor
- Complete HIST 1302/1302 OR 1331/1332

Trailblazing the Path

- Consider/Select a Minor
- Complete HIST 3300: Intro to Historical Methods
- Plan pathway through Legal History courses
- Include Business Law & Criminal Justice Req.

- Join Pre-Law Society & other student organizations
- Visit Study Abroad Office
- Attend multi-cultural events on campus
- Attend public lectures on campus.

- Apply/Serve as a Supplemental Instructor
- Consider running for an officer position in the Pre-Law Society.
- Consider a Service Learning Course w/ in the Dept.
- Plan/Apple for relevant Study Abroad programs

- Learn how to improve academic performance.
- Visit the History Tutoring Center, attend supplemental instruction sessions, join/make writing support and study groups.

- Apply/Complete Law Internship at Area court circuit
- Complete Professional Certificate/New Skill Course (coding, etc)
- Apply for departmental Scholarships

EDUCATE

ENGAGE

EXCEL

*You can ask your freshman advisor about what these requirements are

Destination Graduation

- Complete HIST 4395: History Seminar
- Explore career options and/or law school.
- Check w/ Advisor on Graduation Status
- Apply to Graduate

- Attend department, college and university awards ceremonies.
- Attend graduation.
- Attend a regional or national professional conference

Examples:

Dallas Area Society of Historians
Texas Historical Association

- Seek out publication opportunities
- Local, State, or National level
- Meet w/ Faculty if interested in law school
- Take LSAT



MAVERICK ADVANTAGE

Be Bold. Be Ambitious. Set Yourself Apart.



CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Attend Departmental Career Dev activities (workshops, brown bags, speakers)
- Apply for an external internship



GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT

- Join Foreign Language Club
- Complete a Study Abroad program



LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

- Take on a leadership role within Pre-Law Society or another Student Org.
- Apply for a job in Supplemental Instruction



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Volunteer/participate in annual History Day programs
- Attend Annual Webb Lectures
- Complete a Service Learning course



UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

- Submit a proposal for the CoLA Spotlight for Research
- Seek out publication destinations for seminar papers

FIND YOUR CAREER



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What careers options do I have with this major?

- Advancement Officer
- Government Consulting Teacher/Professor
- Lawyer
- Marketer
- Museum Curator
- Program Coordinator
- Social Policy Researcher

Workforce Skills

- Communication: Develop and articulate ideas clearly and effectively across all mediums including but not limited to written, oral, and digital communication.
- Critical Thinking: Analyze issues, make decisions, and overcome problems by using sound reasoning before forming a strategy, decision or opinion.
- Global Citizenship: Demonstrate inclusiveness, respect, and the ability to learn from diverse cultures, races, ages, genders, sexual orientations and religions.

Career Readiness

- Analyzing Ideas and Information
- Communicating
- Connect Current Events to Historical Trends and Narratives
- Critical Thinking
- Engage with Complex Narrative
- Explaining the Present by Referring to the Past
- Information Management
- Present Ideas Clearly and Concisely
- Prioritize Tasks, Meet Deadlines, and Manage Time
- Research and Synthesize Large Amounts of Material and Identify Relevant Information
- Seeing Relationships Between Factors
- Understand How Political, Social, Economic, and Cultural Change Occurs
- Writing And Editing

Take Action

- Explore workforce skill development through on-and-off-campus activities. Engage with the UTA Lockheed Martin Career Development Center at uta.edu/careers.
- Meet with a career consultant
- Network with employers
- Discover internships and co-ops
- Apply for on-campus employment
- Join Handshake, our career services platform
- Participate in career development programs
- In addition, students are required to complete student teaching.

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