

# NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

Accelerated Master of Arts in History

Department of History

ACCELERATED PROGRAM: **BS History – MA History (Extended Coursework Track)**

## Overview

*Note: This plan includes 12 units that are used to complete both the undergraduate and the graduate requirements: 6 at the undergraduate level and 6 at the graduate level. Students must receive a grade of "B" or higher in this coursework used towards both degrees.*

## Undergraduate requirements for students in the accelerated program

The following 39 units with a minimum GPA of 2.5, and a grade of "C" or better in each course. [HIS 300W](#), [HIS 498C](#) and at least 18 additional units must be taken at NAU including at least 6 units at the 300-level and at least 6 units at the 400-level.

- History - Introductory Surveys (12 units)
  - Set One: Select two courses from: [HIS 100\\*](#), [HIS 102\\*](#), [HIS 238](#), [HIS 240](#), [HIS 241](#), [HIS 270](#), [HIS 272](#), [HIS 291](#), [HIS 292](#), [HIS 293](#), or [HIS 295](#) (6 units)
  - Set Two: Select two courses from: [HIS 100\\*](#), [HIS 102\\*](#), [HIS 221](#), [HIS 230](#), [HIS 231](#), [HIS 249](#), [HIS 250](#), [HIS 251](#), [HIS 280](#), or [HIS 281](#) (6 units)
- [HIS 300W](#) (3 units)
- Select one course from: [HIS 312](#), [HIS 314](#), [HIS 325](#), [HIS 331](#), [HIS 332](#), [HIS 355](#), [HIS 379](#), [HIS 380](#), [HIS 381](#), or [HIS 382](#) (3 units)
- Additional 300-level HIS courses (9 units)
- Additional 400-level HIS courses excluding [HIS 407](#), [HIS 429](#), [HIS 430](#) and [HIS 466](#) (3 units)
- [HIS 498C](#) (3 units)
- Additional 500-level HIS courses from the primary field (6 units)

## NOTES:

- \* Please note that you may take [HIS 100](#) and [HIS 102](#) to fulfill either the Set One or the Set Two History Introductory survey requirement in this major, but you can't use this set of courses to fulfill both requirements.
- No more than 6 units of 300-level, and no more than 3 units of 400-level study abroad coursework may be used.
- No more than three units of individualized study coursework ([HIS 408](#), [HIS 485](#), [HIS 497](#)) may be used.

## MINOR REQUIREMENT

You must complete a minor of at least 18 units from those described in this catalog. In consultation with your advisor, you should select a minor that's appropriate for your career aspirations and educational needs. Your minor advisor will advise you about this part of your academic plan. We encourage you to consider the interdisciplinary minors described in this catalog, particularly [Asian Studies](#), [Ethnic Studies](#), [Latin American Studies](#), [Native American Studies](#), [Women's and Gender Studies](#).

## Graduate requirements for students in the accelerated program (Extended Coursework Track; 36 units)

### **Core requirements (18-21 units):**

- [HIS 550](#) or [HIS 560](#) (3 units)
- [HIS 600](#), preferably in the first semester (3 units)
- [HIS 602](#), with a grade of 'B' or better (3 units)

- Primary field coursework, select one from the following (9-12\* units):
  - Transregional and World
  - Race, Ethnicity and Gender
  - Public History and Interpretation
  - Politics, Economy, and Culture
  - Indigeneity and Colonialism
  - Environment and Health
  - Borderlands and U.S. West

\*You may take up to 12 units of primary field coursework.

**Track requirements (Extended coursework) (15 -18 units):**

- [HIS 597](#) (3 units)
- Secondary field coursework (6-9 units)  
In consultation with your advisor, choose a field from the list above, different from the one used to satisfy your primary field coursework requirement.
- Third field coursework or cognate (6 units):
  - a) one additional 400-level HIS course that relates to the third field coursework or cognate, excluding [HIS 407](#), [HIS 429](#), [HIS 430](#) and [HIS 466](#) (3 units)
  - b) [HIS 498C](#) (3 units)

• You must pass a comprehensive final examination covering the courses taken. The comprehensive exam will have written and oral components, and it will be structured by the program committee.

**Suggested Progression Plan**

**^ Denotes undergraduate course required for the undergraduate degree**

**% Denotes a course that applies towards both degrees**

**\* Denotes graduate course required for the graduate degree**

Fall Year 1 (Term 1: 16 units)	Spring Year 1 (Term 2: 18 units)
<a href="#">^ENG 105 (4 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^HIS Intro Surveys Set One (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^HIS Intro Surveys Set One (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^HIS intro Surveys Set Two (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^HIS Intro Surveys Set Two (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>
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Fall Year 2 (Term 3: 16 units)	Spring Year 2 (Term 4: 15 units)
<a href="#">^Liberal studies (Lab Science) (4 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Additional 300-level HIS course (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Additional 300-level HIS course (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Additional 300-level HIS course (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^HIS 300W (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Minor elective (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Minor elective (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Minor elective (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>

Fall Year 3 (Term 5: 15 units)	Spring Year 3 (Term 6: 15 units)
<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Liberal studies (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^HIS 312, HIS 314, HIS 325, HIS 331, HIS 332, HIS 355, HIS 379, HIS 380, HIS 381, or HIS 382 (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">%Additional 400-level HIS course (excluding HIS 407, 429, 430, and 466) (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">%HIS 498C (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Minor elective (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Minor elective (3 units)</a>
<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>	<a href="#">^Undergraduate elective (3 units)</a>

Fall Year 4 (Term 7: 15 units)	Spring Year 4 (Term 8: 15 units; graduate with the BS)
%HIS 5XX (primary field) (3 units)	*HIS 5XX (primary field) (3 units)
^Undergraduate elective (3 units)	%HIS 5XX (primary field) (3 units)
^Undergraduate elective (3 units)	^Undergraduate elective (3 units)
^Undergraduate elective (3 units)	^Undergraduate elective (3 units)
^Minor elective (3 units)	^Undergraduate elective (3 units)

Fall Year 5 (Term 9: 12 units)	Spring Year 5 (Term 10: 9 units; graduate with the MA)
*HIS 600 (3 units)	*HIS 602 (3 units)
*HIS 550 or 560 (3 units)	*HIS 597 (3 units)
*HIS 5XX (primary field) (3 units)	*HIS 5XX (secondary field) (3 units)
*HIS 5XX (secondary field) (3 units)	comprehensive exam