

# SOCIAL SCIENCE 7-12 TEACHING FIELD ENDORSEMENT, BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION

This degree prepares students to be credentialed to teach History and the Social Sciences in grades 7-12.

Offered by Department of History (<http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/history/>)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>General Education</b>		
<i>Foundational Requirements (LOPERs 1-4)</i>		12
Including:		
LOPER 2: Writing Skills		
ENG 101	Introduction to Academic Writing	
LOPER 3: Oral Communication Skills		
SPCH 100	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	
<i>Broad Knowledge Requirements (LOPERs 5-8)</i>		9
Including:		
LOPER 6: Humanities		
HIST 250	American History I <sup>1</sup>	
	or HIST 251 American History II	
LOPER 7: Social Science		
PSCI 110	Introduction to American Politics	
<i>Dispositional Requirements (LOPERs 9-10) <sup>2</sup></i>		6
Including:		
LOPER 9: Civic Competency and Engagement		
PSCI 110	Introduction to American Politics	
LOPER 10: Respect for Human Diversity		
HIST 230	World History to 1600 <sup>3</sup>	
	or HIST 231 World History since 1600	
<b>Program Specified Requirements</b>		<b>6</b>
ENG 102	Special Topics in Academic Writing and Research	
TE 100	Teaching in a Democratic Society	
<b>Professional Sequence</b>		
Complete all required courses <sup>4</sup>		25
Including:		
TE 319	Management and Assessment in K-12/ Secondary Classrooms	
TE 320	Field Experience in Secondary Classroom	
<b>Endorsement</b>		
Complete all required courses		60
<b>Unrestricted electives</b>		
Needed to reach 120 credit hour minimum		2
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>120</b>

## Endorsement

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<b>Social Science Field Endorsement Core Requirements</b>		
HIST 299	The Historian's Craft	3
HIST 496	Senior Seminar in History: Variable Topics	3
SOSC 370	Social Science of the High School	3
Select 3 credit hours of the following:		3
HIST 250	American History I	
HIST 251	American History II	
Select 3 credit hours of the following:		3
HIST 210	Western Civilization I	
HIST 211	Western Civilization II	
HIST 212	Non-Western World History	
HIST 215	Introduction to Latin America	
HIST 230	World History to 1600	
HIST 231	World History since 1600	
<b>Social Science Field Endorsement Advanced Courses</b>		
Select 12 credit hours from Advanced History Courses. At least 6 credit hours of the advanced history credit hours must be 400 level courses.		
<i>Advanced US History</i>		
Select 3 credit hours of the following:		3
HIST 315	American Military History	
HIST 327	World War I	
HIST 328	World War II	
HIST 406	History and Film	
HIST 421	Women in America	
HIST 429	Religion in America	
HIST 431	Colonial America 1492-1750	
HIST 432	Revolutionary America, 1750-1800	
HIST 433	The Early Republic, 1800-1850	
HIST 445	The Civil War and Reconstruction	
HIST 456	Regional Field Study	
HIST 471	History of the Pacific Rim	
HIST 473	American Constitutional History I	
HIST 474	American Constitutional History II	
HIST 477	American Thought and Culture, 1620-1865	
HIST 478	American Thought and Culture, 1865-1990	
HIST 481	North American Frontiers, 1500-1850	
HIST 482	The American West, 1850-Present	
HIST 483	The Gilded Age 1870-1898	
HIST 484	The United States: 1898-1945	
HIST 485	The United States Since 1945	
HIST 495	Topical Studies	
HIST 499	Independent Study	
HIST 801	America Interpreted <sup>5</sup>	
	or HIST 848 Readings in American History	
<i>Advanced Nebraska History</i>		
Choose one of the following:		3
HIST 405	The Plains Indians	
HIST 479	Nebraska and the Great Plains History	

*Advanced World History*

Select 6 credit hours of the following:	6
HIST 327 World War I	
HIST 328 World War II	
HIST 375 English History	
HIST 376 English History	
HIST 407 History of Sea Power	
HIST 408 War and Society	
HIST 409 The High Middle Ages 1050-1350	
HIST 411 Saints and Sinners	
HIST 412 Society and Gender in the Middle Ages	
HIST 416 History of Christianity	
HIST 420 Women in Europe	
HIST 422 Nazi Germany	
HIST 439 Pre-Hispanic and Colonial Latin America	
HIST 441 Modern Latin America	
HIST 450 Variable Topics in Latin American History	
HIST 451 Comparative Colonialism: Asia and Africa	
HIST 452 Colonial India	
HIST 453 Modern India	
HIST 455 Comparative Studies in Ethnic Conflict	
HIST 456 Regional Field Study	
HIST 457 British Empire	
HIST 459 European Expansion and Exploration	
HIST 461 Renaissance and Reformation	
HIST 462 Seventeenth and Eighteenth Century Europe	
HIST 463 French Revolution and Napoleon	
HIST 486 Imperial Russia	
HIST 488 Nineteenth Century Europe	
HIST 489 Fascism and Communism in Twentieth Century Europe	
HIST 490 Twentieth Century Europe	
HIST 492 Soviet Russia	
HIST 493 Modern Eastern Europe	
HIST 495 Topical Studies	
HIST 499 Independent Study	
HIST 849 Readings in World History <sup>5</sup>	

**Social Science Field Endorsement Distribution Requirements***Political Science*

Select 1 of the following:	3
PSCI 140 Democracy and Global Citizenship	
PSCI 168 Introduction to International Relations	
PSCI 170 Democracy as a Political Idea	

Select 3 credit hours of the following:	3
PSCI 300-PSCI 499	

*Psychology*

PSY 203 General Psychology	3
Select 3 credit hours of the following:	3
PSY 300 - PSY 499	

*Sociology*

SOC 100 Introduction to Sociology	3
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*Economics*

ECON 270 Principles of Economics, Macroeconomics	3
ECON 271 Principles of Economics, Microeconomics	3
Select 3 credit hours of the following:	3
ECON 100-ECON 499	

*Geography*

GEOG 104 World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 106 Human Geography	3
Select 3 credit hours of the following:	3
GEOG 300-GEOG 499	

Total Credit Hours	60
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A student that selects HIST 250 for General Education should take HIST 251 for the Lower-division US History requirement. A student that selects HIST 251 for General Education should take HIST 250 for the Lower-division US History requirement.

2

Designated courses with the appropriate content may be approved to satisfy one of the Broad Knowledge requirements plus LOPER 9 or Broad Knowledge plus LOPER 10. Courses may be approved to satisfy LOPER 9 or LOPER 10 alone. (Courses satisfying LOPER 9 or LOPER 10 alone must be 3 credit hours.) Students applying this option will need to take additional hours in other categories to meet the required General Education hours.

3

A student that selects HIST 230 for LOPER 6 should take HIST 210, HIST 211, HIST 212, HIST 215, or HIST 231 for the Lower-division World History requirement. A student that selects HIST 231 for LOPER 6 should take HIST 210, HIST 211, HIST 212, HIST 215, or HIST 230 for the Lower-division World History requirement.

4

Students must apply for admission to all Teacher Education programs (<http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/teacher-education/professional-sequence-education-degrees/>).

5

Students accepted into the Accelerated 4+1 MA in History or MA in Public History may take up to 9 hours of specified graduate level course work (HIST 801, HIST 848, HIST 849).

This document represents a sample 4-year plan for degree completion with this major. Actual course selection and sequence may vary and should be discussed individually with your academic advisor. Advisors can also help you plan other experiences to enrich your undergraduate education such as internships, education abroad, undergraduate research, learning communities, and service learning and community-based learning.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Semester 1</b>		
LOPR 126	First Year Seminar	3
ENG 101	Introduction to Academic Writing	3
TE 100	Teaching in a Democratic Society	3
PSCI 110	Introduction to American Politics	3
HIST 230	World History to 1600	3

or HIST 231	World History since 1600	
Total Credit Hours		15

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**Semester 2**

ENG 102	Special Topics in Academic Writing and Research	3
SPCH 100	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
LOPER 4:	Mathematics, Statistics, and Quantitative Reasoning	3
LOPER 5:	Visual or Performing Arts	3
HIST 250	American History I	3
or HIST 251	American History II	
Total Credit Hours		15

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**Semester 3**

HIST 299	The Historian's Craft	3
LOPER 8:	Natural Science	3
HIST 250	American History I	3
or HIST 251	American History II	
GEOG 104	World Regional Geography	3
TE 204	Growth & Development/Introduction to Exceptionalities	4
Total Credit Hours		16

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**Semester 4**

HIST 210	Western Civilization I	3
or HIST 211	Western Civilization II	
or HIST 212	Non-Western World History	
or HIST 215	Introduction to Latin America	
or HIST 230	World History to 1600	
or HIST 231	World History since 1600	
Advanced US History		3
GEOG 106	Human Geography	3
PSY 203	General Psychology	3
TE 206	Instructional Technology and the Preservice Teacher	3
Total Credit Hours		15

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**Semester 5**

HIST 405	The Plains Indians	3
or HIST 479	Nebraska and the Great Plains History	
Advanced non-US History		3
ECON 270	Principles of Economics, Macroeconomics	3
PSCI 140	Democracy and Global Citizenship	3
or PSCI 168	Introduction to International Relations	
or PSCI 170	Democracy as a Political Idea	

TE 306	Reading and Inclusion in K-12 Classrooms	2
Unrestricted Elective		2
Total Credit Hours		16

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**Semester 6**

Advanced non-US History		3
ECON 271	Principles of Economics, Microeconomics	3
GEOG 300-499		3
PSY 300-499		3
TE 319	Management and Assessment in K-12/Secondary Classrooms	2
TE 320	Field Experience in Secondary Classroom	2
Total Credit Hours		16

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**Semester 7**

HIST 496	Senior Seminar in History: Variable Topics	3
ECON 100-499		3
PSCI 300-499		3
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOSC 370	Social Science of the High School	3
Total Credit Hours		15

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**Semester 8**

TE 400	Student Teaching	12
Total Credit Hours		12