Department of History

The Department of History educates students about the past by blending traditional and contemporary approaches to the study and teaching of history and by emphasizing global perspectives, while recognizing the value of local and regional history. Students will learn to analyze and interpret complex information, and to present coherent arguments about its meaning and significance. Upon graduation, students will have the critical thinking and communication skills necessary to succeed in a variety of careers or in further professional education. Consistent with the mission of the University, the department fosters a culture of engagement that bridges theory with practice, extends the learning environment beyond the classroom, and promotes student growth and life success.

Students earning the B.A. in History will be able to:
1) Display knowledge of fundamental themes and narratives in history
2) Conduct original historical research
3) Communicate historical knowledge and explanations to others.

History majors will analyze and interpret information, write and share ideas about why events happened, and develop the knowledge and skills that help them to succeed in today's workplace.

History Major

- History B.A. (http://catalog.georgiasouthern.edu/archive/2017-2018/undergraduate/liberal-arts-social-sciences/history/history-ba)

History Minor

- History (http://catalog.georgiasouthern.edu/archive/2017-2018/undergraduate/liberal-arts-social-sciences/history/history-minor)

History Concentration

- Asian Studies Interdisciplinary Concentration (http://catalog.georgiasouthern.edu/archive/2017-2018/undergraduate/liberal-arts-social-sciences/history/asian-studies-interdisciplinary-concentration)

HIST 1111 World History I: Development of World Civilization
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the major developments in world history from the beginnings of civilization to 1450, establishing the historical context for contemporary global society.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 1111S.

HIST 1111S World History I: Development of World Civilization
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the major developments in world history from the beginnings of civilization to 1450, establishing the historical context for contemporary global society.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 1111.

HIST 1112 World History II: Emergence of Modern Global Community
0.3 Credit Hours. 0.3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Addresses the historical context of contemporary global society by tracing developments from the fifteenth century to the present.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 1112H, HIST 1112S.
HIST 3030S  Selected Topics in History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Topics vary with individual professor. Honors course is designated for Honor Students.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 3030 and HIST 3030H.

HIST 3130  African American History to 1877
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
African American history from African beginnings to Reconstruction. This is a study of the thought and actions of people of African ancestry from their origins in precolonial Africa to the conclusion of the Civil War and its aftermath.
Cross Listing(s): AAST 3130.

HIST 3131  African American History Since 1877
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
African American history from Reconstruction to the present.

HIST 3132  Young Republic, 1788-1848
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
A survey of U.S. history from the Ratification of the Constitution through the end of the war with Mexico. This course will cover major aspects of American politics, economy, and culture as the country expanded to the Pacific.

HIST 3133  United States Constitutional History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
A survey of United States Constitutional history from its origins to the present including an exploration of the adaptation of the federal system to changing social, economic, and political demands.

HIST 3134  American Economic History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
The changing character of American economic life from colonial times to the modern consumer culture including religious beliefs, economic thought, industrialization, business organization, government-business relations, and social transformation.

HIST 3135  Rise of U.S. to World Power
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Studies the history of U.S. foreign relations from the initial breach with Britain in the 1770s to the aftermath of the Spanish-American War at the end of the nineteenth century.

HIST 3136  U.S. as a Global Power
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Studies the history of U.S. foreign relations from the turn of the twentieth century to the present.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 3136S and INTS 3136.

HIST 3136S  U.S. as a Global Power
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Studies of U.S. foreign relations from the turn of the twentieth century to the present.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 3136 and INTS 3136.

HIST 3137  Topics in U.S. Women's History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Examines the experiences of women in the United States from colonial times to the present within the overall framework of American history.

HIST 3138  American Political History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Explores major political issues from the founding to the present.

HIST 3139  History of Religion in the U.S.
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
A survey and analysis of the major religious patterns in the United States with special attention given to belief systems, institutional forms, social composition, and historical development.
Cross Listing(s): RELS 3139.

HIST 3150  The History of Vietnam, 236 B.C. to Present
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
In this course, students will be introduced to the history of Vietnam from its origins in 236 B.C. through the present. Included will be the impact of a thousand years of Chinese colonial rule until 939 and then the country's independent development and expansion versus its neighbors in Southeast Asia before the arrival of the French in the early 19th century. The course will then shift to Vietnam's long struggle to regain its independence that only concluded in 1975. Students will develop advanced proficiency in history through readings and writing assignments as well as individual research projects.

HIST 3151  The American War in Vietnam
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
This course examines political, military, social, and cultural aspects of the American War in Vietnam from American and Vietnamese perspectives.

HIST 3158  War and Society: A Global Perspective
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
This course examines the relationship between warfare and societies from a global perspective.

HIST 3230  American Military History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Studies military strategy, tactics, technology, and main features of American conflicts from colonial times to this century.

HIST 3231  Introduction to Public History
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
This class surveys the field of Public History and its various subfields. This project-driven class will provide students experience with presenting history through museums, historic sites, media programs, and other public venues.

HIST 3232  The Early Church
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
How did Christianity turn from an illegal, persecuted cult into the official religion of the Roman empire? The course will focus on the first five hundred years of the Christian church: its development, doctrine, and especially its relationship with the ancient civilizations of the Mediterranean world (Greece, Rome, and the Near East).
Cross Listing(s): RELS 3232.

HIST 3234  The History of Islam in Southeast Asia
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
How did Christianity turn from an illegal, persecuted cult into the official religion of the Roman empire? The course will focus on the first five hundred years of the Christian church: its development, doctrine, and especially its relationship with the ancient civilizations of the Mediterranean world (Greece, Rome, and the Near East).
Cross Listing(s): RELS 3234.

HIST 3235  The History of Islam in Southeast Asia
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
How did Christianity turn from an illegal, persecuted cult into the official religion of the Roman empire? The course will focus on the first five hundred years of the Christian church: its development, doctrine, and especially its relationship with the ancient civilizations of the Mediterranean world (Greece, Rome, and the Near East).
Cross Listing(s): RELS 3235.

HIST 3236  The History of Islam in Southeast Asia
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
How did Christianity turn from an illegal, persecuted cult into the official religion of the Roman empire? The course will focus on the first five hundred years of the Christian church: its development, doctrine, and especially its relationship with the ancient civilizations of the Mediterranean world (Greece, Rome, and the Near East).
Cross Listing(s): RELS 3236.
HIST 3235 History of Modern Cuba
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course will examine the economic, political, social, and cultural history of Cuba from the nineteenth century to the present day. We will explore the island’s unique past as it transformed from being a Spanish colony to a neocolonial U.S. protectorate, then an independent nation, and finally a socialist state. We will discuss the question of national identity, the politics of race and gender, economic changes, and the role of what historian Louis A. Perez, Jr. has called the “ties of singular intimacy” between Cuba and the United States. We will also pay specific attention to the national and international popularity of Cuban music and culture, the origins and legacies of the Cuban Revolution of 1959, the difficulties and uncertainties brought on by the dissolution of the Soviet Union, and the future of Cuba in a post-Castro era.

HIST 3236 History of Latinos/as in the United States
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A political, social, and cultural survey of Latinos/as in the United States from the eighteenth century to the present day.

HIST 3250 The Muslim World to Tamerlane
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A study of the rise of Islam in the seventh century and of the various Muslim societies that arose prior to the fifteenth century from the Iberian Peninsula to South Asia.
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3250 and RELS 3250.

HIST 3251 The Muslim World Since Genghis Khan
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A study of the global reach of Islam since the thirteenth century. The focus is on how Muslim societies have dealt with the precipitous decline in their well-being since their pinnacle of influence in the seventeenth century.
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3251 and RELS 3251.

HIST 3330 History of Greece
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of ancient Greek history from the Minoan and Mycenaean civilizations to Alexander the Great.

HIST 3330S History of Greece
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of ancient Greek history from the Minoan and Mycenaean civilizations to Alexander the Great.

HIST 3331 History of Rome
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of Roman history and society from the beginnings to the emperor Constantine.

HIST 3331S History of Rome
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of Roman history and society from the beginnings to the emperor Constantine.

HIST 3332 Late Antiquity
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the Mediterranean world from the later Roman Empire to the new civilizations of Europe, Byzantium, and Islam.

HIST 3332S Late Antiquity
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the Mediterranean world from the later Roman Empire to the new civilizations of Europe, Byzantium, and Islam.

HIST 3333 The Middle Ages
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the development of European civilization and relations between Christendom and Islam from the decline of the Roman Empire to the Renaissance.

HIST 3333S The Middle Ages
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the development of European civilization and relations between Christendom and Islam from the decline of the Roman Empire to the Renaissance.

HIST 3334 Christian Europe 450-1750
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The major theme of this course is the development of various Christian traditions in Europe from the early middle ages to the Enlightenment. Topics include the spread of Christianity, formation of distinct Christian churches, and the many wars fought in the name of Christianity.

HIST 3338 Contemporary Europe
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the European experience since the end of World War II. Emphasizes the political, economic social, cultural, and intellectual change and continuity in the years 1945 to the present.

HIST 3338S Contemporary Europe
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the European experience since the end of World War II. Emphasizes the political, economic social, cultural, and intellectual change and continuity in the years 1945 to the present.

HIST 3341 Modern Britain: 1485 to the Present
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This comprehensive survey of the political, economic, and cultural history of the British Isles and British Empire covers the period from the end of the Wars of the Roses in 1485 to the present era of devolved sovereignty in Scotland and Wales and the partial independence of Ireland.

HIST 3342 Modern Germany
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of modern German history, outlining the origins of Prussia, Bismarck’s statecraft, the rise and fall of Hitler’s Third Reich, and post-World War II Germany.

HIST 3343 Modern European Thought
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of significant figures and developments in modern European intellectual history from the eighteenth century Enlightenment to Post-Structuralism.

HIST 3345 The Scientific Revolution
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A study of scientific change from Copernicus to Newton.

HIST 3346 The Holocaust
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course will examine the origins, implementation, and legacy of the Holocaust: the attempt of the Nazis to eliminate Europe’s Jews and other ethnic groups labeled as undesirables by the National Socialist Movement in Germany.

HIST 3346S The Holocaust
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course will examine the origins, implementation, and legacy of the Holocaust: the attempt of the Nazis to eliminate Europe’s Jews and other ethnic groups labeled as undesirables by the National Socialist Movement in Germany.

Cross Listing(s): HIST 3333S.
HIST 3530 History of Africa to 1800  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Traces the development of significant social, economic and political institutions within precolonial Africa.  
Cross Listing(s): AAST 3530 and INTS 3530.

HIST 3531 History of Africa since 1800  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Traces significant developments in precolonial, colonial and post-colonial African history. These include trade and the origins of the colonial state as well as African encounters with colonialism.  
Cross Listing(s): AAST 3531 and INTS 3531.

HIST 3532 The Modern Middle East  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A survey of the major developments in the Middle East since World War I.  
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3532.

HIST 3533 Modern Eastern Europe  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A survey of Eastern Europe which will stress the political, social, economic, military and cultural development of 19th and 20th century Poland, Hungary, and Czech Republic as well as the Balkan nations.

HIST 3534 Modern Southeast Asia  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Common themes of the region from 1600, including the impact of the West, the nationalist response, and the post-WW II rise of a modern community of nations.  
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3534.

HIST 3536 Russia to 1917  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A survey of the history of Russia from its Kievan origins to the Revolution of 1917.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 3536S.

HIST 3536S Russia to 1917  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A survey of the history of Russia from its Kievan origins to the Revolution of 1917.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 3536.

HIST 3537 Colonial Latin America  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A political, social, and economic survey of Latin America from its pre-Columbia era to its struggles for independence.  
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3537 and LAST 3537.

HIST 3538 Modern Latin America  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
A political, social, and economic survey of Latin America from independence to the present.  
Cross Listing(s): INTS 3538, INTS 3538S, LAST 3538, LAST 3538S.

HIST 3630H History Honors Seminar  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
In this course, History majors in the Honors program will select a historical topic, begin researching it, choose a faculty mentor, and write a thesis prospectus that includes a review of the historiographical literature and an annotated bibliography.  
Prerequisite(s): A minimum grade of “B” in HIST 2630.

HIST 4030 Directed Study in History  
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Independent study with topics varying by professor.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4030H and HIST 4030S.

HIST 4030H Directed Study in History  
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Independent study with topics varying by professor.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4030 and HIST 4030S.

HIST 4030S Directed Study in History  
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Independent study with topics varying by professor.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4030 and HIST 4030H.

HIST 4130 Georgia History  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Explores important political, social, cultural, and economic developments that have shaped modern Georgia. Satisfies the Georgia Constitution and Georgia History requirements.

HIST 4131 Biography and History  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Analysis of biography as a genre in historical writing and scholarship using life stories of representative individuals in history.

HIST 4132 Recent America: U.S. Since 1945  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Surveys the history of the United States from World War II to the present, including social, political, and economic developments.

HIST 4133 U.S. Diplomacy: The Cold War  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Examines the history of U.S. foreign relations from the aftermath of World War II to the collapse of the Soviet Union.  
Cross Listing(s): INTS 4133.

HIST 4134 The Civil Rights Movement  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
The course explores the origins, ideologies, strategies and legacy of the modern civil rights movement in the North and the South with special focus on the impact of race, class and gender on civil rights from 1946-1968.  
Cross Listing(s): AAST 4134.

HIST 4135 The United States in the 1960's  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
An examination of the cultural, social and political changes in the United States during the 1960s. Topics include the Civil Rights movement, the Vietnam War, the rise of feminism, the counterculture, and the conservative backlash.

HIST 4230 The Renaissance  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Examines the cultural, intellectual, political, economic and social aspects of Italy from 1300-1525, with additional reference to its northern European context.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4230S.

HIST 4230S The Renaissance  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
Examines the cultural, intellectual, political, economic and social aspects of Italy from 1300-1525, with additional reference to its northern European context.  
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4230.

HIST 4235 Tudor and Stuart England  
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.  
This course covers the Tudor and Stuart monarchies from 1485-1714, a decisive era in the making of modern Britain and the modern world. Topics include how monarchs reformed religion, patronized major artists, made constitutional changes, and created an economic and political empire spanning the globe. This 230-year period will be examined along primarily political and social lines: “reason of state,” the development of bureaucracies, diplomacy (foreign and domestic), and responses to the growing gap between church and state first introduced by the Reformation and reaching a climax 100 years later in the major reorganizations of government. The course concludes with the end of the Stuart Dynasty, and with it, the end of native English, Welsh, and Scottish monarchs.
HIST 4335 Woman Question” in Europe
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An Intellectual History course focusing on the debate over women’s
nature, women’s roles, and the notion of “woman”. Although the “woman
question” has a history spanning the entire modern period, this course will
examine the period 1848-1950 when many of the classic texts appeared.
Cross Listing(s): WGST 4335.

HIST 4336 Science and Religion
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Examines the interactions between science and religion from ancient times
to the present.
Cross Listing(s): RELS 4336.

HIST 4337 Technology and the Historian
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course considers the implications of new technologies for the reading,
writing, organization and presentation of history. Along with analyzing how
technological development has helped fashion collective memory, the
course emphasizes creating and implementing design solutions for the
communication of historical findings through individual and group projects.

HIST 4431 Invasion of the Americas: Contact, Encounter and
Colonization in Early America
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The Atlantic World context for the settlement of North America, initial
contacts between Old World and New, and the processes of colonization
and intercultural encounter are the primary subjects of this course.

HIST 4432 Early American History
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course focuses on early American history from the pre-contact to
the period just prior to the Revolution. It examines the growing prosperity
of the colonial American colonies, the increasing diversity of their
populations, and the tensions and crises that resulted from both of these
developments. Topics will include the rise of slavery, the birth of consumer
society, and the contest among European nations and their Indian allies
over the future of North America.

HIST 4530 Revelation and Revolution
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Explores issues of gender, spirituality, and power within the context of
African history.
Cross Listing(s): AAST 4530 and WGST 4530.

HIST 4531 World War I
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the background, origins, diplomacy, strategy, critical
turning points, conclusion, and meaning of World War I.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4531H, HIST 4531S.

HIST 4531H World War I
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the background, origins, diplomacy, strategy, critical
turning points, conclusion, and meaning of World War I.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4531, HIST 4531S.

HIST 4531S World War I
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the background, origins, diplomacy, strategy, critical
turning points, conclusion, and meaning of World War I.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4531H.

HIST 4532 Destruction of Slavery
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Focuses on the end of plantation slavery in the nineteenth century
Atlantic World. The geographic concentration and topics covered will vary
according to the focus of the instructor.
Cross Listing(s): AAST 4532.

HIST 4533 The History of Flight
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A study of the development of aeronautics from the earliest ideas through
the space age.

HIST 4534 Dinosaurs and Extinctions
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The history of (1) the meaning of fossils, meteorites, comets, and
asteroids; (2) the discovery of dinosaurs and other extinct animals; and (3)
the various extinction theories.

HIST 4635 Senior Seminar
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A senior seminar in which students will engage in extensive research in
historical sources and literature relating to a specific problem or topic.
Emphasis will be on the individual preparation of research papers. Topics
will vary with professor.
Prerequisite(s): A minimum grade of "C" in HIST 2630.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4635S.

HIST 4635S Senior Seminar
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A senior seminar in which students will engage in extensive research in
historical sources and literature relating to a specific problem or topic.
Emphasis will be on the individual preparation of research papers. Topics
will vary with professor.
Prerequisite(s): A minimum grade of "C" in HIST 2630.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 4635.

HIST 4790 Internship in History
1-9 Credit Hours. 0 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Designed to give History majors applied history experiences in museums,
historical societies, historical sites, or other venues approved by the
History Department chair. May be taken only by History majors.

HIST 5030 Selected Topics in History
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Topics will vary with individual professor.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5030G, HIST 5030S.

HIST 5030S Selected Topics in History
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Topics will vary with individual professor.
Cross Listing(s): SPAN 5030, SPAN 5030G.

HIST 5130 American Indian History
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the history of American Indians from pre-contact to the
present, supplemented by case studies from a number of regions.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5130G.

HIST 5133 Revolutionary America
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An intensive study of themes in Revolutionary American history (from 1763
to approximately 1790), including the growing rift between Britain and its
colonies, the roles of women and African-Americans, and the origins of
American identity.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5133G.

HIST 5134 Civil War and Reconstruction
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the sectional polarization of the 1850’s, the impact
of war on the southern and northern home fronts, and the trauma of
reconstructing the Union.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5134G.

HIST 5137 The Antebellum South
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The social, intellectual, cultural, economic, and political history of the
American South to 1861 with an emphasis on Georgia’s role.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5137G.

HIST 5138 The New South
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The social, intellectual, cultural, economic, and political history of the post-
Civil War South with an emphasis on Georgia’s role.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5138G.
HIST 5230 Advertising and Culture
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Surveys the business of selling consumer goods from the nineteenth century to the present with analysis of how advertising became a cornerstone of the consumer culture and how ads historically have communicated images of the American dream.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5230G.

HIST 5232 Working Class History in the United States
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the social, cultural and political history of the working class in the United States since industrialization.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5232G.

HIST 5233 The American City
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of American urban development from the colonial period to the present with particular attention paid to migration, architecture, technology, politics, transportation, and urban culture in the late nineteenth and twentieth centuries.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5233G, AAST 5233, AAST 5233G.

HIST 5234 Piracy in the Americas, 1500-1750
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course focuses on the history of piracy in the Americas during the Golden Age of Piracy, a period that ranges from European contact to the mid-1700s. It is an age marked by exploration, colonization, overseas trade, endemic religious conflicts, expansive empires, and refractory fiefdoms. Spain and Portugal began the exploration, overseas trade and conquest of this period, but their successes quickly led their northern neighbors, particularly the French, English, and Dutch, to cast their covetous eyes upon slow-moving, inbound treasure fleets of their southern neighbors; creating an elaborate game between predators and prey. The interactions that developed between predators and prey will be the primary subject of this course.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5234G.

HIST 5236 Religion, Empire, and Revolution in the Eighteenth Century
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course will follow the so-called long eighteenth century — an era of great historical change and globalization — through the many religions, intellectual, and scientific achievements associated with the rise and fall of European empires in the Atlantic World from c. 1650-1815. This era culminated in revolutionary movements that included the American, French, Haitian, and the Latin American Revolutions, events which arguably influenced much of nineteenth- and twentieth-century global history. This course proceeds through an examination of various topics associated with this important crucible of global modernity: such topics may include religious change and the Enlightenment, imperial competition and absolutism, debates over race, slavery and gender equality, slavery in the Enlightenment, and the Age of the Democratic and Atlantic Revolutions.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5236G.

HIST 5332 The Reformation
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Focuses on the breakup of western Christian unity in the sixteenth century, particularly on the formation of Lutheran and Calvinist denominations and the social, political, and economic consequences for all Europeans through the seventeenth century.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5332G, RELS 5332, RELS 5332G.

HIST 5335 World War II
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
The Second World War from its origins to its consequences. The military campaigns are covered, but there is also emphasis on the personalities, the technology, the national policies, and the effect of the war on the home fronts.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5335G.

HIST 5336 Revolutionary France
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the causes, course, and consequences of the French Revolutionary and Napoleonic Eras.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5336S, HIST 5336G.

HIST 5336S Revolutionary France
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
An examination of the causes, course, and consequences of the French Revolutionary and Napoleonic Eras.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5336S, HIST 5336G.

HIST 5339 Britain and the World
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course focuses on the diplomatic, economic, colonial, environmental or cultural relationships between the British Isles and the broader world since 1485.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5339G.

HIST 5430 Modern France and French Society in Global Context
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course is a topical overview of major issues surrounding the History of Modern France and its place in major patterns of European and Global History. Possible semester-long course topics include: Revolutionary Transformations in French History, France and Its Empire from 1870 to Decolonization, Modern French Society from Napoleon to the Present, Rise and Fall of the Old Regime French Monarchy from Renaissance to Revolution, or France and French Empire in the Era of the World Wars, 1914-1945.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5430G.

HIST 5530 20th Century Russia
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the history of Russia in the 20th century.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5530S, HIST 5530G.

HIST 5530S 20th Century Russia
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the history of Russia in the 20th century.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5530S, HIST 5530G.

HIST 5531 Modern Japan
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Japan through the Tokugawa period to its nineteenth century emergence from isolation and its growth as a world power with emphasis on traditional culture, industrialization, and post-WW II society.
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HIST 5532 Modern China, 1600 to 1949
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course not only offers a general survey on the history of modern China from the rise of the Qing dynasty in 1644 to the establishment of the People’s Republic of China in 1949, but also introduces students to the historiography of modern China and requires students to analyze and discuss related theoretical issues.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5532G, INTS 5532, INTS 5532G.

HIST 5533 Economic Rivals: U.S.-EC-Japan
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Contrasts the historical development of business in the U.S., European Community, and Japan from preindustrial times to the present, emphasizing how culture, economics, and politics have shaped business growth and international trade, creating rival capitalists.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5533G, INTS 5533, INTS 5533G.
HIST 5534 Contemporary China, 1949 to Present
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course focuses on China's unique historical trajectory of modernization from 1949 to the present. It consists of a series of topical lectures on changes in China's politics, economy, society, and culture, with special emphasis on important events such as the Great Leap Forward, the Cultural Revolution, China's Post-Mao Reforms, the 1989 Tiananmen Incident, and the 2008 Beijing Olympics.
Cross Listing(s): HIST 5534G.