

Ursuline COLLEGE CAMPUS
GANNON UNIVERSITY

Undergraduate Program

HISTORY

Careers

- Administrator
- Archivist
- Education
- Grant Writer
- Historian
- Lawyer
- Librarian
- Museum Curator
- Paralegal
- Public Affairs Specialist

Engage in a journey that connects historical insights to today's most pressing questions.

What makes this major so rewarding? It's uncovering hidden stories, the satisfaction of seeing how history shapes the present, and the confidence that comes with knowing your work matters. Your classwork will foster a deep understanding of how cultural influences and individual backgrounds shape perspectives, and make you adept at navigating diverse workplaces. Employers will value your capacity to see the big picture while recognizing how finer details contribute to it—a crucial asset in strategic planning, project management and leadership roles.

By honing these competencies as a History graduate, you'll emerge as an adaptable thinker who can analyze problems from multiple angles, communicate effectively and drive meaningful change—qualities that are essential in today's dynamic job market.



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History

COURSE REQUIREMENTS



History Core* 36 credit hours

PO 220	Civic Engagement
HI 454	Research Methods
	One Intro American Studies course
	One Focused American Studies course
	One European History course
	One Non-Western History course
	One Global Studies course
	Internship, Service Learning, or Foreign Travel

Elective Examples*

HI 209	Making Caribbean History
HI 214	US Social & Cultural History
HI 250	Introduction to Southeast Asia
HI 320	Women of the Renaissance
HI 344	Cleveland Past, Present, & Future
PO 106	Introduction to American Government
PO 210	Civil Rights & Civil Liberties

Ursuline's undergraduate History major is designed to prepare students to enter graduate-level programs. Students choose from a variety of history and political science electives to personalize their education.

In addition to the History courses, students are required to complete the Liberal Core Curriculum.

For the most up-to-date course information, please visit our website.

Your Pathway Through the Liberal Core Curriculum

The Rust Belt Pathway courses emphasize digital skills, mapping and storytelling to analyze the history of the region. The course pathway gives the student intellectual framework to engage locally with the community as problem-solvers and critial thinkers in Cleveland's specific cultural context. This material threads its way through the core curriculum, allowing students to earn a Rust Belt Pathway certificate upon completion.

Students select at least four Rust Belt Pathway courses. Options include*:

BI 111/L	Human Environment with Lab
AR 112	Digital Photography
UC 201	Identity, Diversity, and Community
HI 240	Ordinary Women in World History
EN 256	Rustbelt to Revival: Anisfield Wolf
PH 260	Bioethics
UC 401	Capstone Seminar
HIP 355	Cleveland Architecture
EN 370	Community-Based Journalism

*For first-time, full-time students, these requirements are subject to change with the upcoming merger with Gannon University.

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