

Bachelor of Arts in HISTORY

Past Perspectives, Future Insights.

The History major provides students with an understanding of the breadth and depth of the human past while learning the methods of historical analysis that are central to critical thinking. In addition to learning about people, places and events, History majors learn about causation, textual interpretations and comparative analysis. History majors also gain a familiarity with the diversity of world cultures and learn to look at social problems in a global perspective.



PERSONAL

Our faculty has real-world professional experience to ensure you are challenged and supported through mentoring and the connections we provide.



PRACTICAL

Develop lifelong skills through your educational opportunities that are broadly useful, fully transferable and applicable to any challenge or career.



PURPOSE-DRIVEN

Use your degree as a stepping stone to pursue accredited certifications offered by leading organizations or post-graduate study programs.

CAREER AREAS:

- Teaching (High School Teacher/ Professor/Lecturer)
- Museum Work (Curator/Archivist/ Restoration Specialist)
- Government Historian
- Historical Consultant

PAY TRENDS:

The average annual pay* for the History Teacher jobs category was:

Nationwide

\$51,825

North Carolina

\$41,968

*ZipRecruiter 2023



“ I came for college, but found a family! The professors invested in me as a person and took time to guide me in life, and not just in the classroom. ”

Erin Gall, '05
BA in History



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BA IN HISTORY CURRICULUM PLAN



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Minor in History available.

General Graduation Guidelines:

- Total of 120 semester hours, 39 of which must be numbered 300 or 400 (Other programs may require coursework beyond 120 semester hours)
- At least 9 semester hours of courses designated as writing intensive
- A declared major
- A cumulative GPA average of C (2.00) and at least a C average in the graduation major

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Be able to write effectively, reason logically and argue convincingly
- Survey of American history from the European settlement to the Civil War. Usually offered in the fall semester
- Survey of U.S. history from the destruction of slavery to the modern period. Usually offered in the spring semester
- Answer the question, "What makes the American South unique?" by examining Southern history through its politics, customs, and culture
- Examine recent American history
- Understand the important people and events that shaped ancient world history
- Survey of the Latin-American political, economic, social and cultural experience
- Examine different models of New World colonization by European colonial powers, the ramifications of New World Slavery, encounters and conflicts between native and colonial peoples and the development of nation states in the Western Hemisphere
- Study of the Christian movement, its organization, leadership, literature and theological development

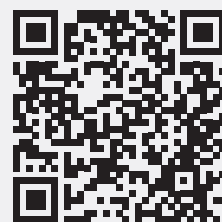
ADMISSIONS CRITERIA:

Applying to NC Wesleyan is as easy as **1-2-3**. You will have direct contact with a personal admissions counselor who will assist you every step of the way.

- Apply online for FREE
- Submit your high school transcript (2.5 GPA or higher)
- Complete your FAFSA at ***fafsa.ed.gov*** (School code is 002951)

When we receive your application and transcript, we will provide you with an admissions decision and which scholarships you may be qualified to receive.

For more information on admission requirements, visit *ncwu.edu/admissions***.*



APPLY TODAY!

Scan the QR code to fill out your **FREE** application.

For academic related questions about the program, contact:

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