

HISTORY ASSOCIATE IN ARTS



This degree program is useful for students preparing for careers in education and teaching, the law and legal field, journalism, government service, political science, museums and archives, consulting, and research. The history program offers a diverse transfer curriculum and is committed to equity-minded teaching in an atmosphere of academic excellence. History course offerings focus on global cultures, historically underrepresented groups in the United States, and the development of American Institutions. History courses help students develop and refine research, writing, and interpretive skills that are essential in navigating both society and their careers. History faculty create a vibrant intellectual campus culture and promote civic engagement through a variety of panels, presentations, and field trips.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Interpret and evaluate evidence by analyzing biases, patterns, trends, and relationships.
- Evaluate and apply subject matter to students' lived experiences and current events.
- Analyze how power and privilege operate in society, through the categories of race, class, gender, ethnicity, and sexuality.
- Develop and support arguments with evidence, including academic and organic (i.e. cultural, traditional, and experiential).
- Research and explore career options and/or obtain experience in a career field.

Career Opportunities

Anthropologist¹
 Archaeologist¹
 Archivist¹
 Attorney
 Editor¹
 Education Administrator¹
 History Professor/Historian¹
 Judicial Law Clerk¹
 Law Professor¹
 Legislative Assistant¹
 Legal Arbitrator, Mediator, and Conciliator¹
 Museum Curator¹
 Political Science Professor¹
 Politician
 Research Historian¹
 Reporter, Correspondent¹
 Secondary School (K-12) Teacher¹
 Social Worker¹
 Writer, Author, Editor¹

¹ Bachelor Degree (B.A.) or higher required.

Associate in Arts Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Units
Select twelve units from any two of the following sequences:		12
HIST-100 & HIST-101	Early World History and Modern World History	
HIST-105 & HIST-106	Early Western Civilization and Modern Western Civilization	
HIST-108 & HIST-109	Early American History and Modern American History	
List A. Select one of the following:		3
HIST-107/ETHN-107	History of Race & Ethnicity in the United States	
HIST-118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	
HIST-119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	
HIST-128/KUMY-128	Kumeyaay History I: Precontact - 1845	
HIST-129/KUMY-129	Kumeyaay History II: 1846 - Present	
HIST-130/ETHN-130	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I	
HIST-131/ETHN-131	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II	
HIST-180	U.S. History: Black Perspectives I	
HIST-181	U.S. History: Black Perspectives II	
List B. Select one of the following:		3
HIST-114	Comparative History of the Early Americas	
HIST-115	Comparative History of the Modern Americas	
HIST-122	Women in Early American History	
HIST-123	Women in Modern American History	
HIST-124	History of California	
HIST-148	The Modern Middle East	
HUM-111	Culture, Art & Ideas of the United States	
HUM-115	Arts & Culture of San Diego	
KUMY-116/HUM-116	Kumeyaay Arts and Culture I	
KUMY-166/POSC-166	Introduction to Native American Politics and Policy	
POSC-140	Introduction to California Governments and Politics	
Any course from List A not selected		
Total Units		18

Plus General Education Requirements (<https://catalog.gcccd.edu/cuyamaca/degree-requirements-transfer-information/>)