2016 - 2017 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Arts in History

Sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students may re-order as needed. * indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer. Courses in green are waived by the completion of an Associate degree (Not eligible for Applied Associate degrees).

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (30 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 110C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 111*	Literature	Transfer Guide
Language & Culture I	Transfer Guide*	Language & Culture II	Transfer Guide*
Interpreting the Past	Transfer Guide	Human Behavior	Transfer Guide
Oral Communication	Transfer Guide	Human Creativity	Transfer Guide
Mathematics	Transfer Guide	HIST 100-level elective (HIST 100H, 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H or 105H)	Transfer Guide*
YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (32 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 211C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 112 or 210*	Impact of Technology**	Transfer Guide
The Nature of Science I	Transfer Guide	The Nature of Science II	Transfer Guide
Language & Culture III	Transfer Guide*	Language & Culture IV	Transfer Guide*
Philosophy and Ethics	Transfer Guide	HIST 201 (Satisfies Information Literacy and Research)	
HIST 100-level elective (HIST 100H, 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H or 105H)	Transfer Guide*	HIST 300 or 400-level elective***	
YEAR 3 -JUNIOR (30 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
Major Coursework:		Major Coursework:	
HIST 300 or 400-level elective***		HIST 300 or 400-level elective***	
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Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:****		HIST 300 or 400-level elective***	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:****	
Elective Coursework:****		300-/400-level course in minor subject	
3-credit elective course		Elective Coursework:****	
3-credit elective course		3-credit elective course	
YEAR 4 - SENIOR (28 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (13 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
Major Coursework:		Major Coursework:	
HIST 402W (Grade of C or better required)		HIST 400-level elective***	
Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:****		Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:****	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		300-/400-level course in minor subject	
Elective Coursework:****		Elective Coursework:****	
3-credit elective course		3-credit elective course	
3-credit elective course		3-credit elective course	
3-credit elective course		1-credit elective course	

**May be met in the major by HIST 300T, 304T, 386T or 389T. If so, a 3-credit elective may be taken instead.

***A minimum of one course from three of the four fields is required, one of which must be 400-level. Fields include: United States History, European History, Area Studies (Asia, Latin America, Middle East, Russia, Africa) and Comparative History. Consult with your advisor.

****Upper Division General Education may be satisfied by several options. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.

*****Consult with your advisor for correct elective choices.

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.