

- Philosophy (Critical Thinking, Symbolic Logic, Debate, Persuasion, Linguistics)

Half of all credits in the major must be upper-division level. No major courses may be counted for General Education requirements. Introduction to Philosophy is a required course.

BS: General Studies Behavioral Sciences—45

A minimum of 30 semester credits must be selected from courses numbered 300 or above. The major includes the following core courses: ANTH124, 200; PSYC101, 251 or 252, 269, 450 or SOCI474; SOCI119, SOCI/PSYC432; FMST310. A cognate required for this major is STAT285. The remaining 18 semester credits must be selected from one of the following emphases:

Cross-Cultural Studies

GEOG260; BHSC220; SOCI425, 430; COMM436; FMST350.

Human Organization and Behavior

BHSC440 Topics: Industrial Psychology; ECON225; FMST460; PSYC315; SOCI360, 470, 488.

See the Department of Behavioral Sciences for course descriptions, p. 94.

AA: General Studies Personal Ministries—32

This degree prepares students for personal outreach ministries, including Bible instruction, offers an opportunity to study a broad spectrum of courses covering both Old and New Testament. The courses listed below are required for distance-education students only. See Department of Religion and Biblical Languages, p. 179, for course descriptions.

Requirements: RELB210, 304, 305, 335, 374 or 375; RELT225, 290, 308, 320, 340; HIST404.

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Academic Programs	Credits
BA: History	38
BA/BS Interdisciplinary Major in Political Science	45
BS: Social Studies	56
BS: Elementary Education (Social Studies)	38
Minor in History	20
Minor in Political Science	21
Elementary Education Minor in Social Studies	24
Pre-professional Curricula in Public History	
MA: Church-State Studies	33
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The study of history examines humanity through time. It contributes to both social and individual identity and expands awareness beyond the confines of time and place. The Department of History and Political Science promotes such study within the framework of a Christian world view. In addition to the quest for truth, this perspective emphasizes both individual and corporate responsibility for service to humanity.

The department's General Education courses and majors and minors provide a basic component of liberal arts education.

Undergraduate Programs

BA: History—38

HIST117, 118, 204, 205, 404, 480, 488, 490, **two** upper division courses in American History and **two** upper division courses in European **or** other non-U.S. history.

Electives: The following political science courses may be applied to the history major: PLSC104, 460, 470.

The Major Field Achievement Test in history must be taken by all majors during their senior year. *Students seeking secondary certification must complete HIST459 and PLSC104, which count towards the major, as well as GEOG110 and ECON225.*

BA or BS: Political Science—45

Interdisciplinary Major

PLSC104, HIST490, and a minimum of 21 additional credits in political science, plus 18 credits in another discipline approved by the student's academic advisor. In special cases, the 18 credits outside of political science may be chosen from more than one discipline when approved by both the advisor and the chair of the Department of History and Political Science. HIST465 may be applied to the political science portion of the major. Students are strongly encouraged to complete an internship in government or the private sector as part of their undergraduate study.

The Major Field Achievement Test in political science must be taken by all majors in their senior year. *Students seeking secondary certification must complete HIST459.*

BS: Social Studies—56

HIST117, 118, 204, 205, 404, 490; **one** upper-division United States and **one** upper-division European or other non-U.S. history course; PLSC104, 307; ECON225, 226; GEOG110, 260; SOCI430; ANTH200.

Electives: Remaining credits chosen from history, political science, geography, and economics. *Students seeking secondary certification must include HIST459.*

The major Field Achievement Test in History must be taken by all majors in their senior year.

BS: Elementary Education Major in Social Studies—38

ECON225, 226; GEOG110, 260. HIST117, 118, 204, 205, 404, 490; PLSC104, 307

Electives: Remaining credits chosen from economics, geography, history, and political science.

The Major Field Achievement Test in history must be taken by all majors in their senior year.

Minor in History—20

~~HIST117, 118, 204, 205, 404, 490; PLSC104, 307; ECON225, 226; GEOG110, 260; SOCI430; ANTH200.~~
division history courses.

Students desiring secondary certification must also complete HIST459.

Minor in es.

Courses

(Credits)

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CHURCH

CHIS660 (2-3)
History of Religion in America

CHIS668 (2-3)
History of Religious Liberty

HIST316 (3)
History of the Christian Church I
Surveys the internal and external developments and conflicts which Christianity has experienced from the time of Christ up to the Reformation. Special attention given to those developments that relate to Seventh-day Adventist theological heritage.
Prerequisite: HIST117 or permission of instructor. *Fall*

HIST316 V (3)
History of the Christian Church I
AU/HSI course—see content above.

HIST317 (3)
History of the Christian Church II
Surveys the history of the church from the Protestant Reformation to current time. Special attention is given to the Protestant Reformation, the Catholic counter-reformation, Puritanism, Rationalism, Evangelicalism, the rise of modern denominations, the world-wide mission expansion and ecumenism. Prerequisite: HIST118 or permission of instructor. *Spring*

HIST317 V (3)
History of the Christian Church II
AU/HSI course—see content above.

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HIST590 (1-2)
Independent Readings
Individual reading in specified area under the guidance of an instructor. Repeatable to 6 credits. *Fall, Spring*

HIST630 Alt (3)
Church-State Thought
A seminar that examines the themes of religious toleration and freedom and the relationship of church and state through the reading of primary sources. Includes classic writers such as Augustine, Aquinas, Calvin, Williams, Bayle, Locke, Jefferson, and Mill and contemporary authors such as Neuhaus and Carter. *Spring*

HIST650 (3)
Historical and Social Science Research Methodologies
An examination of the methods of historical and social science investigation and presentation. *Fall*

HIST698/PLSC698 (3)
Research Project
The research and writing of a paper based on primary sources and addressing an aspect of church-state relations or issues relating to religious toleration. Normally written in conjunction with a topical or thematic history course and completed in addition to the requirements of that course. The teacher of the course will direct the research project. May be repeated once. Prerequisite: HIST650. *Fall, Spring*

MSSN650 (3)
Introduction to a World Religion

THST634 (3)
Christian Social Ethics

All MSSN and THST courses are described under World Mission and Theology and Christian Philosophy in the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary section of this bulletin

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PLSC104 (3)
American Government
A study of American political institutions and behavior, primarily on the national level, and their global relationships. May be applied to the history major. *Fall, Spring*

PLSC104 V (3)
American Government
AU/HSI course—see content above.

PLSC260 Alt (3)
Introduction to American Law
A study of the roles that law and the legal system play in American life. Topics include: the constitution, civil rights, property, employment, consumer protections, criminal punishment and judicial activism/restraint. *Spring*

PLSC307 Alt (3)
Comparative Politics
Examines the global phenomenons of rule such as theocracies, democracies, monarchies, authoritarianism, totalitarianism, and repressive-development regimes; imperialism, colonialism, and communism. Analyzes the historical emergence of these forms of rule, their nature and form, the dynamics of particular types of governance, and the forces resisting such rule. *Spring*

PLSC350 Alt (3)
Public Service Administration
Presents various leadership theories and approaches as applied to administration of the public sector. Requires the student's development of his/her own management perspective as applied to case studies from governments internationally. *Spring*

PLSC415 g Alt (3)
Legal Writing and Rhetoric
An introduction to academic and professional writing, particularly argument and analysis, as they relate to the law, including theoretical and practical applications. Assignment will include pleadings, briefs, and memoranda. Students will also develop a philosophical and rhetorical understanding of their function as writers in relation to the law and the legal system. *Spring*

PLSC425 g Alt (3)
Crafting Constitutions and Public Policy
An investigation of activities essential to national and state constitution formulation and the creation of public s ofnance, and the fuprofesfd toitiUT

PLSC589 (3-9)

Internship

Students work part- or full-time with an agency involved with church-state issues. Ninety or more clock hours of work experience are required for each semester hour of credit. *Fall, Spring*

PLSC590 (1)

Independent Readings

Individual readings in a specified area under the guidance of an instructor. Repeatable to 3 credits. *Fall, Spring*

PLSC620 Alt (3)

Religious Liberty Advocacy

A seminar that studies church-state work with special reference to policies, rationales, and advocacy techniques developed at the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists since 1981. *Fall*

PLSC625 Alt (3)

Contemporary Issues in Peace and Freedom

A seminar that explores current international issues of inter-group conflict, the impact of ethnic, cultural, societal, and religious