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**FAMILY HISTORY- GENEALOGY B.A. 2011-2012**

*For information on the major and careers see the website [http://history.byu.edu](http://history.byu.edu)*

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<td>I. Complete ONE Course from the following (this will fulfill the University Core First-Year Writing requirement): Phil 150, Wrtg 150. Advanced Placement (AP) or other test scores DO NOT apply to this requirement.</td>
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<td>II. Complete ONE Course from the following (this will fulfill the University Core Languages of Learning requirement): Honrs 250, Phil 305, Stat 121, an approved culminating foreign language course (see University Core list).</td>
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<td>III. Complete the following:</td>
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<td>ReIC 261 Intro to Family History (Genealogy)</td>
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<td>ReIC 293R Specialized Studies in Family History</td>
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<td>IV. Complete ONE course from the following: Hist 220 or 221.</td>
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<td>V. Complete the following:</td>
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<td>Hist 200 The Historian's Craft</td>
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<td>(Hist 200 is considered a prerequisite for all 300- and 400-level courses)</td>
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<td>Hist 317 The Family &amp; the Law in American History</td>
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<td>VI. Complete THREE courses from the following: Hist 350, 351, 352R, 353R, 354, 401, 403, 404, 405, 411R, 412, 414, 415. (It is recommended that students focus on one geographical area. Majors should consult with the family history coordinator soon after declaring.)</td>
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<td>VII. Complete ONE course from the following advanced skills courses: Hist 433 or 434.</td>
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<td>VIII. Complete the following:</td>
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<td>Hist 439 Seminar on Professional Family History Research</td>
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<td>IX. Complete ONE course from the following handwriting courses: Hist 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425.</td>
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<td>X. Complete ONE course from the following list of social and cultural history courses: Hist 244, 290, 318, 319, 320, 358, 378, 381, 384.</td>
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<td>XI. Complete ONE course from the list of history courses that (1) does not appear above and (2) relates to your selected geographical area of emphasis.</td>
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<td>XII. Complete the following capstone courses:</td>
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<td>Hist 482 Capstone Seminar: Writing and Professional Paths in Family History (Prereq: Hist 439)</td>
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<td>Hist 490 Capstone Research Seminar [to be taken during senior year] (Prereq: Hist 200)</td>
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**TOTAL MAJOR HOURS** 49-70.0

- History 200 & 490 together will fulfill the G.E. Advanced Written and Oral Communication requirement.
- Students who plan no formal education beyond the bachelor’s degree should take other courses that will enhance their employment opportunities. Consult a faculty advisor or your academic advisor for suggested minors, majors, and skills. Students are encouraged to take Student Development courses related to career planning in their junior or senior year.

For further planning assistance and for help choosing electives, contact the family history coordinator, George Ryskamp (2105 JFSB, 422-8047).

[More “Helpful Tips” on reverse side of page.]
## HISTORY ELECTIVES

### Family History Courses
- 244 Jewish History: A.D. 70 to the Present
- 290 Nature and History: The Earth’s Environmental Past
- 318 European Women’s History
- 319 The Family in Europe
- 320 Society in Europe
- 350 England/Wales After 1700 Family, Local, and Social History
- 351 Germanic Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 352R Scandinavian Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 353R Southern European and Latin American Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 354 Slavic Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 358 Gender and History in Latin America
- 377 American Social History
- 378 American Family History
- 381 U.S. Religious History
- 384 United States Women’s History
- 401 Northeastern United States and British Canada Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 403 Midwestern United States and Plains States Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 404 Southern United States Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 405 Native American Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 411R Advanced Southern European and Latin American Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 412 England/Wales Before 1700 Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 414 Scotland Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 415 Ireland Family, Local, and Social History Research
- 420 Latin Language Handwriting and Documents
- 421 English Language Handwriting and Documents
- 422 Germanic Language Handwriting and Documents
- 423 Slavic Language Handwriting and Documents
- 424 Romance Language Handwriting and Documents
- 425 Scandinavian Language Handwriting and Documents
- 433 Writing Narrative Biographies
- 434 Computers in Family Historical Research & Publication
- 439 Seminar on Professional Family History Research
- 496R Academic Internship: Family, Local, and Social History Research

### Religion Courses
- Rel C 261 Introduction to Family History (Genealogy)
- Rel C 293R Specialized Studies in Family History (Genealogy)

### Family History Core Courses
- 200 The Historian’s Craft
- 220 The United States Through 1877
- 221 The United States Since 1877
- 317 The Family & the Law in American History
- 482 Capstone Seminar: Writing & Professional Paths in Family History
- 490 Capstone Research Seminar

For course availability please see MyMAP, the class schedule online, or contact the department.

### HELPFUL TIPS
- As you begin your major classes, choose an area of emphasis according to the History source classes (401-416). Then select your classes accordingly.
- Avoid taking more than two of the following in any one given semester - 439, 482, 490.
- Should you choose this major later in your academic career, you should still try to take Hist 317 as soon as possible.
- It is best to leave Hist 439, 490 and 482 to your last few semesters.
- Take Hist 200 before Hist 433/434, and both before 490.
- Take Hist Handwriting & Document course and Hist source electives before taking 439, 482, and 496R.