



History Honours Program Application and Proposed Thesis Project

The Honours Program in History allows History majors to undertake a significant thesis project, work on an extensive basis with a faculty mentor, and gain an understanding of the theory and methodology of history practice.

Form submission to the Department of History by August 25

PART A: Thesis Project – Completed by Student and Supervisor

Student Name: Student Number:

Supervisor: Expected Graduation Date:
 (Month/Year)

Co-Supervisor: Are you a double major? YES NO

Course: **HIST 499** Assigned section (to be completed by Dean's Office):

Credits: 6

Course methodology (select one):

Research paper

Other (please explain)

Start date:

End date:

(Course grade must be submitted by April 30 for graduating students)

Project Proposal (200 words or less)

Attach a course syllabus that includes:

- a course description;
- research expectations;
- evaluation and deadlines (list each component as a percentage of the final grade) (please specify if an iterative writing process is used instead);
- number of student -instructor contact hours per week, and the number of hours student is expected to work independently per week (these should total at least 8 hours per week, and not more than 12) (more than 12 hours requires additional explanation);
- where applicable, define the role of the supervisor and co-supervisor for this project.



PART B: Completed by the History undergraduate advisor in consultation with the student

Admission criteria for History Honours:

- Fourth-year standing (i.e. minimum 78 credits completed in the History major);
- Minimum overall grade average of 72% ;
- Minimum of 12 credits of History completed;
- Minimum average of 76% in all History courses

Once admitted, the student must complete the following to graduate with BA Honours History:

- Completion of HIST 492 (HIST 492 must be taken in third or fourth year)
- Completion of HIST 499 (Note, this six-credit course is in addition to the minimum 30 credits of upper-level HIST courses required for the major)

Number of credits completed:

Number of History credits completed:

Average in all courses completed:

Average in all History credits completed:

PART C: Signatures

Reviewed and approved by:

Student: Date:

Supervisor: Date:

Co-supervisor(if applicable) Date:

History Undergraduate Advisor: Date:

Department Head or Designate: Date:

Dean or Designate: Date: