

HISTORY (For Transfer)

DEGREES, CERTIFICATES AND AWARDS

Associate in Arts Degree in History for Transfer (AA-T)

DESCRIPTION

History is the study of all human experience. It examines the people, institutions, ideas, and events of the past. The study of history contributes to cultural literacy, global awareness, and develops critical thinking skills, while helping student to better understand the present and their place in today's world. Historical study provides a solid, fundamental preparation for careers in business, industry, government and education. It also serves as excellent preparation for law school, the Foreign Services, international work, and library science. History is an academic discipline offering both breadth and focus. While it can be valuable for those going into other professions, it also produces a person capable of handling many different jobs and positions where critical analytical skills are in demand.

The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing this degree (AA-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. Display knowledge of important societies, cultures, people, and events in the history of the world, describing the causes and impacts of key historical events.
2. Identify and describe how and why different people, societies, and cultures have interacted with each other and how those interactions changed and influenced human communities in different times and places.
3. Research, evaluate, analyze, and interpret different types of historical texts and information and effectively present conclusions and results in well-crafted oral and/or written forms.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM (For Transfer)

The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) or the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing these degrees (AA-T or AS-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major. In order to earn one of these degrees, students must complete 60 semester units of CSU transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.0. Students transferring to a CSU campus that does accept the AA-T or AS-T will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree (unless the major is a designated "high-unit" major). This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor when planning to complete this degree for more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Of the career opportunities identified many will usually require the completion of degree requirements at 4-year colleges and universities.

- Historian
- Pre-Law/Lawyer
- Foreign Service
- Teacher
- Archivist
- Researcher/Research Analyst
- Museum Curator
- State Park Historian
- Librarian
- Businessperson
- Writer
- Consultant
- Market Research
- Travel
- Historical Societies
- Journalist
- Communications

TRANSFER PREPARATION

Courses that fulfill major requirements for an associate degree at Imperial Valley College may not be the same as those required for completing the major at a transfer institution offering a bachelor's degree. Students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university should schedule an appointment with an IVC Counselor to develop a student education plan (SEP) before beginning their program.

Transfer Resources:

www.ASSIST.org – CSU and UC Articulation Agreements and Majors Search Engine

www.CSUMentor.edu – CSU System Information

www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/index.html - UC System Information

www.aiccu.edu – California Independent Colleges and Universities, Association of

<http://wiche.edu/wue> - Western Undergraduate Exchange Programs

FINANCIAL AID

Paying for the cost of a college education requires a partnership among parents, students and the college. As the cost of higher education continues to rise we want you to know that IVC offers a full array of financial aid programs – grants, work study, scholarships, and fee waivers (we do not participate in the federal loan programs). These programs are available to both full and part time students who are seeking a degree or certificate. For those who qualify, financial aid is available to help with tuition, fees, books and supplies, food, housing, transportation, and childcare. Please log onto our website for additional information: www.imperial.edu/students/financial-aid-and-scholarships/

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ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM

HISTORY

Associate in Arts Degree in History for Transfer (AA-T) – 18.0 units

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE

- I. **Units/GPA** – Must complete 60 CSU transferable semester units with a minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU transferable coursework. *NOTE: While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some institutions and majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.*
- II. **General Education** – Must complete one of the following general education transfer patterns:
 - A. California State University General Education Breadth Pattern (CSU GE-B) – 39 units minimum
 - B. Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) – 37 units minimum
- III. **Eighteen (18.0) units required for the major.**

Required for the Major (6 units)

HIST	120	United States History: Prehistory to Reconstruction	3.0
HIST	121	United States History: Reconstruction to Present	3.0
List A: Select two (6 units):			6.0

Select one from:

HIST	100	Early World History (3.0)
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OR

HIST	110	Early Western Civilizations (3.0)
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Select one from:

HIST	101	Modern World History (3.0)
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OR

HIST	111	Modern Western Civilizations (3.0)
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List B: Select one course (6.0 units) from each area : **6.0**

Area 1 (3.0) units

Any List A World History course not already used.

AIS/ANTH	106	Indians of North America (3.0)
AIS/ANTH	108	Indians of the Southwest (3.0)
CHIC	100	Introduction to Chicana/o Studies (3.0)
ENGL/HUM	226	Introduction to Mythology (3.0)
GEOG	108	World Regional Geography (3.0)
HIST	130	Early Latin America (3.0)
HIST	131	Modern Latin America (3.0)
HIST	132	History of Mexico (3.0)
HIST	160	Middle East from 600 (3.0)
HIST	220	Women in American History (3.0)
HIST	225	Mexican American History (3.0)
POLS	106	Introduction to International Relations (3.0)
RELS	100	Religions of the Modern World (3.0)
SPAN	225	Introduction to Spanish American Literature (3.0)

Area 2 (3.0) units

Any List A or List B Area 1 course not already used.

ANTH	102	Cultural Anthropology (3.0)
ANTH	120	Introduction to Archaeology (3.0)
ART	100	History of Art I (3.0)
ART	102	History of Art II (3.0)
ART	104	History of Modern Art (3.0)
ECON	101	Introduction to Micro Economics (3.0)
ECON	102	Introduction to Macro Economics (3.0)
GEOG	102	Cultural Geography (3.0)
HIST	222	History of California (3.0)
HUM	100	Introduction to the Humanities (3.0)
POLS	100	Introduction to Political Science (3.0)

Total Major Units	18.0
CSU-GE or IGETC Pattern	37.0-39.0
Electives (as needed to reach 60 CSU transferable units)	
Total Maximum Units:	60.0