



## GRADUATE STUDIES

# History



### MAKE HISTORY YOUR FUTURE

You are invited to explore our community of scholarship and research in the History Department at Villanova University. Villanova is one of relatively few academic institutions in the country that offer only a master's degree in history, rather than both the MA and PhD. The program is designed to serve your diverse academic interests and goals.

### CHOOSE YOUR COURSE OF STUDY

#### The Master of Arts in History

You will plan your course of study in consultation with a faculty advisor and complete at least 12 credits in one of the following concentrations:

- Africana
- Americas
- Asia
- Atlantic World
- Europe
- United States
- Empire
- Industrial Societies
- Intellectual History
- Race and Ethnicity
- Religion
- Revolution
- State & Society
- Women & Gender
- Chronological
- Public History
- Self-Designed Concentration

Students are required to complete one historiography course and to pass a comprehensive examination. The master's thesis is not required but can be accommodated.

#### PUBLIC HISTORY

This concentration prepares graduate students for careers or community service in one of Philadelphia's many historic sites, museums and archives. The concentration combines seminar discussions with practical experience and in-depth study of United States history.

#### CERTIFICATE IN ADVANCED STUDY IN HISTORY

If you already have a master's degree and wish to continue formal study, you may complete a Certificate in Advanced Study. This program is especially well suited to middle and secondary school teachers.

#### COMBINED MA IN HISTORY AND CERTIFICATE IN NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT

Students interested in working in museums, historic preservation, cultural tourism, libraries and media will learn how to manage the economic, administrative and political challenges faced by nonprofit institutions in this option that combines graduate seminars in historical theory and methods with courses in Villanova's nationally-accredited Master of Public Administration program.

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## EXPLORE OUR CURRICULUM

You may explore a complete listing of courses at [gradhistory.villanova.edu](http://gradhistory.villanova.edu).

Sample courses include:

- Theory and Methods in History
- Introduction to Digital History
- Public History Practicum
- Introduction to Public History
- Colonial North America
- Revolutionary America
- Early American Republic
- U.S. Civil War
- Reconstruction
- American Foreign Relations Since 1914
- Topics in African-American History Since Slavery
- The Ancient Mediterranean
- Women and Gender in Medieval & Early Modern Europe
- Medieval Europe
- British Economy and Society, 1689–1815
- Nineteenth Century Ireland
- Imperial Russia to 1917
- Women and Gender in Modern Europe
- Germany Since 1945
- Russia and the USSR in the 20th Century
- The Atlantic World
- Colonial Latin America
- Women and Gender in the Middle East
- Africa and the Emergence from Colonialism
- History of Modern South Asia
- Environmental History
- Impact of War on Society
- The Cold War as History
- Visual/Material Culture

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