

## Programme Specification amendment notification

Title of Programme: BA (Hons) History

Programme Code: HUHIS

As a result of the ongoing Coronavirus pandemic, the University has been required to make some revisions to this programme for the 2020/21 academic session, affecting sections C and D of this Programme Specification. These amendments are as follows:

Section	Amendment
<i>C, assessment strategies</i>	<i>An unseen examination has been replaced by additional coursework assessments for semester A.</i>
<i>D, module % examination/ coursework split</i>	<i>The following module will be assessed by coursework only instead of by coursework and examination: 5HUM1160 Nation and Identity: Newly Independent States in Inter-War Europe</i>

Associate Dean of School (Academic Quality Assurance):

Marjolein Groefsema



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School of Humanities

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## Programme Specification

This programme specification is relevant to students entering:  
21 September 2020

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A programme specification is a collection of key information about a programme of study (or course). It identifies the aims and learning outcomes of the programme, lists the modules that make up each stage (or year) of the programme, and the teaching, learning and assessment methods used by teaching staff. It also describes the structure of the programme, its progression requirements and any programme-specific regulations. This information is therefore useful to potential students to help them choose the right programme of study, to current students on the programme, and to staff teaching and administering the programme.

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### Summary of amendments to the programme:

Section	Amendment
1	Withdrawal of the titles <i>History and/ with American Studies</i> and <i>History with Religious Studies</i> for students entering level 4 in September 2020
D + Table 2	<p>4HUM1099 <i>Belief and Disbelief</i> replaced by 4HUM1114 <i>Belief and Disbelief</i>            4HUM1107 <i>Cashing In</i> replaced by 4HUM1100 <i>Cashing In</i>            5HUM1159 <i>Propaganda in 20<sup>th</sup> Century War and Politics</i> replaced by 5HUM0268 <i>Propaganda in 20<sup>th</sup> Century War and Politics</i>            6HUM1207 <i>Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period</i> replaced by 6HUM1099 <i>Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period</i></p> <p><i>Modules withdrawn for 2020-21:</i>            5HUM1164 <i>USA 1861 to 1969</i>            6HUM1206 <i>Witch-Bottles to Wishing Wells</i>            6HUM1205 <i>The American Pacific Rim</i>            6HUM1211 <i>Princes and Paupers</i></p>

	6HUM1208 <i>Migrants and Minorities in Britain, 1688-1850</i>  Modules added: 5HUM1010 <i>Britain at War</i> 6HUM1220 <i>Sinners, Scoundrels &amp; Deviants</i> 6HUM1219 <i>Pacific Histories</i> 6HUM1232 <i>Cold War Film and Propaganda</i>
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# Programme Specification History

This programme specification (PS) is designed for prospective students, enrolled students, academic staff and potential employers. It provides a concise summary of the main features of the programme and the intended learning outcomes that a typical student might reasonably be expected to achieve and demonstrate if he/she takes full advantage of the learning opportunities that are provided. More detailed information on the teaching, learning and assessment methods, learning outcomes and content for each module can be found in Definitive Module Documents (DMDs) and Module Guides.

## Section 1

<b>Awarding Institution/Body</b>	University of Hertfordshire
<b>Teaching Institution</b>	University of Hertfordshire
<b>University/partner campuses</b>	De Havilland
<b>Programme accredited by</b>	Not applicable
<b>Final Qualification</b>	BA Hons
<b>All Final Award titles (Qualification and Subject)</b>	History

History and Creative Writing  
History and English Language  
History and English Literature  
History and Journalism  
History and Philosophy

The above titles may also be:

< ..... > (Sandwich)  
< ..... > with a Year Abroad  
< ..... > with Study Abroad

History with Creative Writing  
History with English Language  
History with English Literature  
History with Film  
History with French  
History with German  
History with Japanese  
History with Journalism  
History with Mandarin  
History with Philosophy  
History with Spanish

The above titles may also be:

< ..... > (Sandwich)  
< ..... > and a Year Abroad  
< ..... > and Study Abroad

<b>FHEQ level of award</b>	6
<b>UCAS code(s)</b>	V150 History V1Q1 History and English Language V1Q3 History and English Literature V1VP History and Philosophy V1W1 History and Creative Writing

	V1P9	History and Journalism
	V1W6	History with Film
	V1R9	History with French, German or Spanish
	V1T9	History with Japanese or Mandarin
<b>Language of Delivery</b>	English	

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## A. Programme Rationale

- The rationale for the History programme is to provide students with a sequence of modules through which they can develop their knowledge, skills and understanding of topics in History as a single honours subject, major or joint.
- The Programme is designed to recruit students who have an A-Level in History or a related subject and/or who have a desire to develop their historical knowledge and skills.
- The structure of the programme is designed such that students have a degree of choice and students can, therefore, determine to follow a pattern of study within History or between History and other subjects offered on the different programmes.
- Through the learning of transferable skills embedded in the History Programme graduates are equipped for a variety of careers, including those traditionally open to Honours graduates in the Arts and Humanities: teaching, work in the Heritage Sector, the Civil Service, local government, journalism and publishing as well as for further study at post-graduate level.

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## B. Educational Aims of the Programme

The programme has been devised in accordance with the University's graduate attributes of programmes of study as set out in [UPR TL03](#).

### **Additionally this programme aims to:**

- provide students with an understanding of the past;
- train students in the methodological vocabulary of the discipline;
- inculcate transferable skills;
- introduce students to a progressively wide range of interpretations of history, historical approaches and primary sources.

The aims of a Joint in History are, in addition to the above:

- a significant body of historical knowledge;
- an understanding of the variety of approaches to understanding, constructing, interpreting and presenting the past;
- an awareness of history's role and use in the modern world;
- knowledge of the theoretical underpinnings of the historical discipline;
- the ability to read, analyse and reflect critically and contextually upon primary historical sources;
- the ability to develop and sustain historical arguments in a variety of literary forms, formulating questions and utilizing evidence.

The aims of a Major in History are, in addition to the above, to develop in students:

- a substantial body of historical knowledge;
- an understanding of the variety of approaches to understanding, constructing, interpreting and presenting the past;
- an awareness of history's role and use in the modern world;
- a considerable knowledge of the theoretical underpinnings of the historical discipline;
- an ability to read, analyse and reflect critically and contextually upon primary historical sources;

- the ability to develop and sustain historical arguments in a variety of literary forms, formulating questions and utilising evidence;
- the opportunity to write an extended piece of independent work;
- an understanding, knowledge and the skills to enable them to pursue post-graduate study.

The aims of a Single Honours in History are, in addition to the above, to develop in students:

- a comprehensive body of historical knowledge;
- an understanding of the variety of approaches to understanding, constructing, interpreting and presenting the past;
- a critical awareness of history's role and use in the modern world;
- a substantial knowledge of the theoretical underpinnings of the historical discipline;
- an ability to read, analyse and reflect critically and contextually upon primary historical sources;
- the ability to develop and sustain historical arguments in a variety of literary forms, formulating questions and utilising evidence;
- experience of writing an extended piece of independent work;
- a good understanding, knowledge and the skills to enable them to pursue post-graduate study.

### C. Intended Learning Outcomes

The programme provides opportunities for students to develop and demonstrate knowledge and understanding, skills and other attributes in the following areas. The programme outcomes are referenced to the QAA benchmark statements for History and the Frameworks for Higher Education Qualifications of UK Degree-Awarding Bodies (2014) and relate to the typical student. Additionally, the SEEC Credit Level Descriptors for Further and Higher Education (2016) have been used as a guiding framework for curriculum design.

Knowledge and Understanding	Teaching and learning methods	Assessment strategy
<p>At all Levels: A1- be able to demonstrate accurate knowledge of the content of the modules they have studied;</p> <p>At Level 5: A2 - an understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas;</p> <p>Additionally for the major/single Honours in History: A3 - Some knowledge and understanding of the theoretical underpinnings of the discipline</p> <p>At Level 6: A2 - an understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas;</p> <p>A3 - Some knowledge and understanding of the theoretical underpinnings of the discipline</p>	<p>Acquisition of knowledge and understanding is through a combination of lectures, seminars workshops and tutorials (A1, A2, A4, A6). Acquisition of A3 is through taking the module <i>Doing History</i> at Level 5 in which students are also introduced to A4 and A5. Acquisition of A5 is through the preparation of either a 10,000-word dissertation or an Extended Essay at Level 6.</p> <p>Throughout, the learner is encouraged to undertake independent study both to supplement and consolidate what is being taught/learnt and to broaden their individual knowledge and understanding of the subject.</p>	<p>Knowledge and understanding are assessed through a combination of seen and unseen examinations and in-course assessments (A1, A2), and in the form of essay assignments, projects, oral and written presentations, document analysis exercises, logbooks and book reviews (A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6).</p>

<p>A4 - an understanding of the range and uses of primary source material in constructing historical arguments</p> <p>A5 - an understanding of the strategies and ethical considerations used by historians in conducting research.</p> <p>A6 – an understanding of how historical knowledge can illuminate the ways the past shapes the present</p>		
Intellectual skills	Teaching and learning methods	Assessment strategy
<p>At all Levels: B1 develop arguments supported by evidence</p> <p>B2 demonstrate an appreciation of the complexity and diversity of the historical discipline</p> <p>B3 demonstrate a basic awareness of the range and potential use of primary sources</p> <p>Level Five: B4 demonstrate an effective use of secondary sources, and an understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas;</p> <p>B5 create increasingly sophisticated synthetic arguments;</p> <p>B6 demonstrate a reflexive understanding of the discipline of history and its terminology.</p> <p>Level Six: B4 demonstrate an effective use of secondary sources, and an understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas;</p> <p>B5 create increasingly sophisticated synthetic arguments;</p> <p>B6 demonstrate a reflexive understanding of the discipline of history and its terminology.</p>	<p>Intellectual skills are developed throughout the programme by the methods and strategies outlined above.</p> <p>Throughout, the learner is encouraged to develop intellectual skills further by independent study.</p>	<p>Intellectual skills (B1, B2, B3, B4, B5, B6, B7, B8, B9, B10) are assessed through a combination of seen and unseen examinations and in-course assessments, and in the form of essay assignments, projects, oral and written presentations, logbooks, document analysis exercises and book reviews</p>

<p>B7 develop and demonstrate an ability to gather, sift, read, analyse and reflect critically upon historical sources;</p> <p>B8 address historical problems in depth, through use of contemporary sources and advanced secondary literature;</p> <p>B9 deploy the specialised vocabulary and concepts of the discipline.</p> <p>B10 demonstrate an awareness of theories and concepts of cognate disciplines</p>		
<p><b>Practical skills</b></p> <p>At all levels: C1 demonstrate understanding of the subject's protocols and expectations regarding the quotation and reproduction of the work of others.</p> <p>At Level 5 for the major/single Honours in History and at Level 6:</p> <p>C2 identify and access a range of textual, digital, audio-visual and material sources and texts.</p> <p>At all levels: C3 demonstrate an ability to engage with summative and formative feedback in order to improve historical analysis and arguments</p> <p>At Level 6:</p> <p>C4 An ability to undertake statistical and/or graphical analysis of historical data sets</p> <p>At all Levels:</p> <p>C5 An ability to identify and apply appropriate digital tools to select, refine and analyse historical data</p>	<p><b>Teaching and learning methods</b></p> <p>Practical skills are developed through assessment and familiarity with the guidelines in the Subject Guide (C1).</p> <p>Students are introduced to skill C2 in <i>Doing History and Making a Historical Documentary</i> at level 5, and this skill is subsequently embedded into all level 6 taught modules.</p> <p>Skill C3 is developed throughout the programme</p> <p>Skill C4 is developed at level 6 and is topic-specific.</p> <p>Skill C5 is developed throughout the programme</p>	<p><b>Assessment strategy</b></p> <p>Practical skills are assessed through in-course assessments (C1, C2, C3, C4, C5) and the Dissertation (C1, C2, C3).</p>
<p><b>Transferable skills</b></p>	<p><b>Teaching and learning methods</b></p>	<p><b>Assessment strategy</b></p>



At all levels:

D1 take responsibility for their own learning, using initiative and self-discipline;

D2 communicate effectively in writing and orally;

D3 work collaboratively and effectively in a group;

D4 demonstrate digital literacy through the use of a range of software applications and online resources;

D5 demonstrate global awareness and a sensitive professional approach to diversity and inclusivity

D6 demonstrate compassion and an appreciation for alternative points of view in collaborative work with peers;

D7 demonstrate an ability to test the validity and importance of arguments and evidence.

Skill D1 is developed with students learning to manage themselves and their time to meet assignment submission deadlines.

Skill D2 is developed in the written work which all modules require. Students receive feedback not only on their knowledge and understanding but also on their ability to communicate their ideas effectively and to reference appropriately. Effective oral communication is developed in seminar and seminar group work, and several modules require oral presentations, either individually or in groups.

Skills D3, D5 and D6 are developed primarily in seminar and group work.

Skill D4 is developed when students are inducted into the facilities of the Learning Resources Centre (use of e-mail, Internet, online resources), at the beginning of their programme, and then developed further throughout the programme.

D7 is developed throughout the programme in all written work and in seminar discussion and tasks.

Throughout, the learner is encouraged to develop transferable skills by maintaining a record of evidence and completing a personal development plan.

Transferable skill D1 is not formally assessed but it is expected that students will have to demonstrate this skill in order to pass through the programme and meet module deadlines. Work submitted after the module deadline will be penalised in accordance with University guidelines.

Transferable skills D2 and D7 are assessed formatively by tutorials and summatively in a range of assignments built into the curriculum, e.g. coursework, examination essays, and oral presentations. Skills D3 and D5 are assessed by group presentations and debates.

Transferable Skill D4 is built into the programme. All students are required to access module StudyNet sites for module information and seminar tasks and to access electronic resources as appropriate in the completion of their coursework. All essay assignments must be word processed.

Skills D5 and D6 are embedded into the programme and students are expected to demonstrate respect and a sensitive approach to the past in all assignments and other tasks.

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## D. Programme Structures, Features, Levels, Modules, and Credits

The programme is offered in full- time (normally 3 years), sandwich (normally 4 years) and part- time (normally 5 years) modes, and leads to the award BA Degree with Honours with the appropriate title from those listed in Section 1.

Entry is normally at Level 4 (with suitable A level or equivalent qualifications) but is possible at Level 5 and Level 6 with suitable accredited prior learning. Intake is normally in Semester A.

#### Professional and Statutory Regulatory Bodies

N/A

#### Work-Based Learning, including Sandwich Programmes

An award in the sandwich mode requires the successful completion of at least **360 hours** placement activity from a maximum of two separate placements in addition to the period of academic study required for the full-time award. This optional placement year is undertaken after Level 5 and before Level 6 and meets the SEEC criteria for Level 6.

#### Erasmus Exchange programme

Erasmus students are permitted to study modules at all levels.

#### Programme Structure

The programme structure and progression information below (Table 1a and 1b) is provided for the Honours award. Any interim awards are identified in Table 1b. The Programme Learning Outcomes detailed above are developed and assessed through the constituent modules. Table 2 identifies where each learning outcome is assessed. In addition, on the Major-Minor and Joint pathways the Minor or Joint Subject/Programme Learning Outcomes are developed and assessed through the constituent modules, as identified within the relevant Subject /Programme Specification.

#### Table 1a Outline Programme Structure

##### Mode of study Full-time

Students on a full-time mode of study must normally take the equivalent of eight 15 credit modules per year with the equivalent of four 15 credit modules undertaken per semester.

In addition, at level 5 students must normally study the module 5HUM1064 Graduate Skills, unless they take 5HUM1175 Employability Skills. Failure in this module will not prevent progression, provided the normal progression rules had been met.

Compulsory Modules (full-time students only) Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Graduate Skills	5HUM1064	0	English	0	100	0	AB

##### Mode of study Part-time

Students on a part-time mode of study are allowed to take up to five 15 credit modules per year and most normally choose to study between 2 and 5 modules per year, with modules being taken in each semester. Varying rates of study are possible: students can increase or decrease their rate of study year by year or semester by semester in response to their changing circumstances. Students are entitled to take a break from study for a semester or even a year if their circumstances require it.

Students can apply to transfer to a full-time rate of study; this should be arranged before the beginning of the academic year.

##### Entry point Semester A

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### Level 4

Students study 120 credits of the following modules:

Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
<b>Compulsory Modules</b>							
The Historian's Toolkit	4HUM1147	15	English	0	100	0	A
Leisure and Lifestyle: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment	4HUM1146	15	English	0	100	0	A
Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001	4HUM1100	15	English	0	100	0	A
Introduction to Public History	4HUM1143	15	English	0	100	0	A
The Fight for Rights: Freedom and Oppression, 1790s-1990s	4HUM1142	15	English	0	100	0	B
Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine, 1500-1800	4HUM1114	15	English	50	50	0	B
Africa and The World	4HUM1149	15	English	50	50	0	B
The Heritage Industry in Britain	4HUM1145	15	English	50	50	0	B

Progression to level 5 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 4.

### Level 5

Students study 120 credits of the following modules:

Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
<b>Compulsory Modules</b>							
Doing History	5HUM1171	15	English	0	100	0	B

Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
<b>Optional Modules</b>							
Nation and Identity: Newly Independent States in Inter-War Europe	5HUM1160	15	English	50	50	0	A
Making Histories: Public History Work Experience*	5HUM1163	15	English	0	100	0	A
Maladies and Medicine in Early Modern Europe	5HUM1166	15	English	0	100	0	A
Propaganda in Twentieth Century War and Politics	5HUM0286	15	English	0	100	0	A
Postcards from the Empire: Experiences of British Imperialism	5HUM1165	15	English	0	100	0	A
Hearth and Heart: Family Life in the Long Eighteenth Century	5HUM1158	15	English	0	100	0	B
Crime and Society in England 1550-1750	5HUM1167	15	English	50	50	0	B
The Age of the Cold War, 1945-1991	5HUM1169	15	English	50	50	0	B

Britain at War	5HUM1010	15	English	50	50	0	B
Making a Historical Documentary	5HUM1161	15	English	0	40	60	B

Students may take the Humanities Employability Skills module instead of one of the optional semester B History modules:

Optional Module Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Employability Skills*	5HUM1175	15	English	0	80	20	B

\* Students can choose either 5HUM1163 *Making Histories: Public History Work Experience* or 5HUM1175 *Employability Skills* but not both.

Progression to level 6 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 5.

### Level 6

Students study 120 credits of the following modules:

Compulsory Modules* Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Final Year History Dissertation OR	6HUM1204	30	English	0	100	0	AB
Oral History Project	6HUM0409	30	English	0	100	0	AB

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Everyday Lives: An Intimate History of 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Women	6HUM1202	15	English	0	100	0	A
Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period	6HUM1099	15	English	0	80	20	A
The 1956 Suez Crisis: Causes, Courses and Impact, 1945-1962	6HUM1201	15	English	0	100	0	A
Sinners, Scoundrels & Deviants: Non-Conformity in the Atlantic World	6HUM1220	15	English	0	100	0	A
Local and Global Community Heritage	6HUM1209	15	English	0	100	0	A
Pacific Histories: Colonisation, Conflict and Connections	6HUM1219	15	English	0	100	0	B
Thinking with History: Applying Historical Insight to Real-Life Issues	6HUM1203	15	English	0	100	0	B
Italy and Fascism	6HUM1183	15	English	50	50	0	B
Popular Protest, Riot and Reform in Britain, 1760-1848	6HUM1200	15	English	50	30	20	B
Cold War Film and Propaganda	6HUM1232	15	English	50	50	0	B

\* 6HUM1204 *Final Year History Dissertation* or 6HUM0409 *Oral History Project* is normally compulsory for students taking 120 credits of History at Level 6. Students cannot take both the Dissertation and the Oral History Project. In order to take the Dissertation or Oral History Project students must have completed *Doing History* at Level 5 and have a minimum average grade of 50 for Level 5 overall. Students who have a lower average for Level 5 need to take 120 credits of taught optional modules at Level 6.

The award of a BA Honours degree requires 360 credits passed with a minimum of 120 credits at Level 6.

## BA (Hons) History with a Minor

History with American Studies\*  
 History with Creative Writing  
 History with English Language  
 History with English Literature  
 History with Film  
 History with French  
 History with German  
 History with Japanese  
 History with Journalism  
 History with Mandarin  
 History with Philosophy  
 History with Religious Studies\*  
 History with Spanish

\**History with American Studies* and *History with Religious Studies* are not available as pathways to new students entering Level 4.

### Level 4

Students study the following History modules:

Compulsory Modules Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
The Historian's Toolkit	4HUM1147	15	English	0	100	0	A

  

Optional Modules*	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Leisure and Lifestyle: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment	4HUM1146	15	English	0	100	0	A
Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001	4HUM1100	15	English	0	100	0	A
Introduction to Public History	4HUM1143	15	English	0	100	0	A
The Fight for Rights: Freedom and Oppression, 1790s-1990s	4HUM1142	15	English	0	100	0	B
Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine, 1500-1800	4HUM1114	15	English	50	50	0	B
Africa and The World	4HUM1149	15	English	50	50	0	B

\* Students will be placed, by default, on *Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001, Leisure and Lifestyle: 20<sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment, The Fight for Rights: Freedom and Oppression, 1790s-1990s, Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine 1500-1800* and *Africa and The World* but have the option to change two of these.

In addition, students study 30 credits of the Minor Subject.

Progression to level 5 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 4, including 30 credits in each Subject.

At the beginning of Semester A at Level 5 and within the constraints of the individual subject structures (prerequisites and module credit values), students may exercise a change of pathway to the Single Honours title by increasing study of History by 30 credits or to a joint title, by increasing study of the Minor subject by 30 credits, where at least 60 credits of the Minor subject are available at level 5. In both cases this necessitates decreasing study of the other subject by 30 credits.

### Level 5

Students study 90 credits of the following History modules:

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Nation and Identity: Newly Independent States in Inter-War Europe	5HUM1160	15	English	50	50	0	A
Making Histories: Public History Work Experience**	5HUM1163	15	English	0	100	0	A
Maladies and Medicine in Early Modern Europe	5HUM1166	15	English	0	100	0	A
Propaganda in Twentieth Century War and Politics	5HUM0286	15	English	0	100	0	A
Postcards from the Empire: Experiences of British Imperialism	5HUM1165	15	English	0	100	0	A
Hearth and Heart: Family Life in the Long Eighteenth Century	5HUM1158	15	English	0	100	0	B
Crime and Society in England 1550-1750	5HUM1167	15	English	50	50	0	B
The Age of the Cold War, 1945-1991	5HUM1169	15	English	50	50	0	B
Britain at War	5HUM1010	15	English	50	50	0	B
Making a Historical Documentary	5HUM1161	15	English	0	40	60	B
Doing History*	5HUM1171	15	English	0	100	0	B

\* Students intending to take the History Dissertation or the Oral History Project at Level 6 must take *Doing History* at Level 5.

Students may take the Humanities Employability Skills module instead of one of the optional semester B History modules:

Optional Module Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Employability Skills**	5HUM1175	15	English	0	80	20	B

\*\* Students can choose either 5HUM1163 *Making Histories: Public History Work Experience* or 5HUM1175 *Employability Skills* but not both.

In addition, students study 30 credits of the Minor Subject.

Progression to level 6 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 5.

At the beginning of Semester A at Level 6 and within the constraints of the individual subject structures (prerequisites and module credit values), students may exercise a change of pathway to the Single Honours title by increasing study of History by 30 credits or to a Joint title, by increasing study of the Minor subject by 30 credits, where at least 60 credits of the Minor subject are available at level 6. In both cases this necessitates decreasing study of the other subject by 30 credits.

## Level 6

Students study 90 credits of the following History modules:

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Final Year History Dissertation* OR	6HUM1204	30	English	0	100	0	AB
Oral History Project*	6HUM0409	30	English	0	100	0	AB
Everyday Lives: An Intimate History of 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Women	6HUM1202	15	English	0	100	0	A
Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period	6HUM1099	15	English	0	80	20	A
The 1956 Suez Crisis: Causes, Courses and Impact, 1945-1962	6HUM1201	15	English	0	100	0	A
Sinners, Scoundrels & Deviants: Non-Conformity in the Atlantic World	6HUM1220	15	English	0	100	0	A
Local and Global Community Heritage	6HUM1209	15	English	0	100	0	A
Pacific Histories: Colonisation, Conflict and Connections	6HUM1219	15	English	0	100	0	B
Thinking with History: Applying Historical Insight to Real-Life Issues	6HUM1203	15	English	50	50	0	B
Italy and Fascism	6HUM1183	15	English	50	50	0	B
Popular Protest, Riot and Reform in Britain, 1760-1848	6HUM1200	15	English	50	30	20	B
Cold War Film and Propaganda	6HUM1232	15	English	50	50	0	B

\* Students cannot take both the Dissertation and the Oral History Project. Students wishing to take the Dissertation or Oral History Project must have completed *Doing History* at Level 5 and have a minimum average grade of 50 for Level 5 overall.

In addition, students study 30 credits of the Minor Subject.

The award of a BA Honours degree requires 360 credits passed with a minimum of at least 120 credits at Level 6.

## BA (Hons) History and a Joint

History and Creative Writing  
 History and English Language  
 History and English Literature  
 History and Journalism  
 History and Philosophy

### Level 4

Students study 60 credits of the following History modules:

Compulsory Modules Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
The Historian's Toolkit	4HUM1147	15	English	0	100	0	A

  

Optional Modules* Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Leisure and Lifestyle: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment	4HUM1146	15	English	0	100	0	A
Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001	4HUM1100	15	English	0	100	0	A
Introduction to Public History	4HUM1143	15	English	0	100	0	A
The Fight for Rights: Freedom and Oppression, 1790s-1990s	4HUM1142	15	English	0	100	0	B
Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine, 1500-1800	4HUM1114	15	English	50	50	0	B
Africa and The World	4HUM1149	15	English	50	50	0	B
The Heritage Industry in Britain	4HUM1145	15	English	50	50	0	B

\* Students will be placed, by default, on *Leisure and Lifestyle: 20<sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment*, *The Fight for Rights: Freedom and Oppression, 1790s-1990s*, and *Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine 1500-1800* but have the option to change two of these.

In addition, students study 60 credits of the Joint Subject.

Progression to level 5 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 4, including 30 credits in each Subject.

Students may exercise a change of pathway onto a Major-Minor title, by increasing study of History by 30 credits and decreasing study of the other subject by 30 credits at the beginning of Semester A at Level 5.



## Level 5

Students study 60 credits of the following History modules:

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Nation and Identity: Newly Independent States in Inter-War Europe	5HUM1160	15	English	50	50	0	A
Making Histories: Public History Work Experience	5HUM1163	15	English	0	100	0	A
Maladies and Medicine in Early Modern Europe	5HUM1166	15	English	0	100	0	A
Propaganda in Twentieth Century War and Politics	5HUM0286	15	English	0	100	0	A
Postcards from the Empire: Experiences of British Imperialism	5HUM1165	15	English	0	100	0	A
Hearth and Heart: Family Life in the Long Eighteenth Century	5HUM1158	15	English	0	100	0	B
Crime and Society in England 1550-1750	5HUM1167	15	English	50	50	0	B
The Age of the Cold War, 1945-1991	5HUM1169	15	English	50	50	0	B
Britain at War	5HUM1010	15	English	50	50	0	B
Making a Historical Documentary	5HUM1161	15	English	0	40	60	B
Doing History*	5HUM1171	15	English	0	100	0	B

\* Students intending to take the History Dissertation or the Oral History Project at Level 6 must take *Doing History* at Level 5.

Students may take the Humanities Employability Skills module instead of one of the optional semester B History modules:

Optional Module Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Employability Skills**	5HUM1175	15	English	0	80	20	B

\*\* Students can choose either 5HUM1163 *Making Histories: Public History Work Experience* or 5HUM1175 *Employability Skills* but not both.

In addition, students study 60 credits of the Joint Subject.

Progression to level 6 requires a minimum of 60 credits at level 5, including 30 credits in each Subject.

Students may exercise a change of pathway onto a Major-Minor title, by increasing study of History by 30 credits and decreasing study of the other subject by 30 credits at the beginning of Semester A at Level 6.

## Level 6

Students study 60 credits of the following History modules:

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Final Year History Dissertation* OR	6HUM1204	30	English	0	100	0	AB
Oral History Project*	6HUM0409	30	English	0	100	0	AB
Everyday Lives: An Intimate History of 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Women	6HUM1202	15	English	0	100	0	A
Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period	6HUM1099	15	English	0	80	20	A
The 1956 Suez Crisis: Causes, Courses and Impact, 1945-1962	6HUM1201	15	English	0	100	0	A
Sinners, Scoundrels & Deviants: Non-Conformity in the Atlantic World	6HUM1220	15	English	0	100	0	A
Local and Global Community Heritage	6HUM1209	15	English	0	100	0	A
Pacific Histories: Colonisation, Conflict and Connections	6HUM1219	15	English	0	100	0	B
Thinking with History: Applying Historical Insight to Real-Life Issues	6HUM1203	15	English	0	100	0	B
Italy and Fascism	6HUM1183	15	English	50	50	0	B
Popular Protest, Riot and Reform in Britain, 1760-1848	6HUM1200	15	English	50	30	20	B
Cold War Film and Propaganda	6HUM1232	15	English	50	50	0	B

\* Students cannot take both the Dissertation and the Oral History Project. Students wishing to take the Dissertation or Oral History Project must have completed *Doing History* at Level 5 and have a minimum average grade of 50 for Level 5 overall.

In addition, students study 60 credits of the Joint Subject.

The award of a BA Honours degree requires 360 credits passed with a minimum of 120 credits at Level 6.

## Validated modules not offered in 2020-2021

Optional Modules Module Titles	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% examination	% coursework	% Practical	Semesters
Belief and Disbelief: Faith, Magic and Medicine, 1500-1800	4HUM1099	15	English	0	100	0	A
Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001	4HUM1107	15	English	50	50	0	B
Propaganda in 20 <sup>th</sup> Century War and Politics	5HUM1159	15	English	50	50	0	B
USA 1861 to 1969: From Civil War to Civil Rights	5HUM1164	15	English	0	100	0	B
Witch-Bottles to Wishing Wells: The Material Culture of Everyday Ritual	6HUM1206	15	English	0	100	0	A
The American Pacific Rim: Colonisation, Conflict and Connections, 1800 – Present	6HUM1205	15	English	0	100	0	A
Migrants and Minorities in Britain, 1688-1850	6HUM1208	15	English	0	100	0	A
Princes and Paupers, 1760-1820	6HUM1211	15	English	0	100	0	B
Bodies and Sexuality in the Early Modern Period	6HUM1207	15	English	50	50	0	B

### *Sandwich Year and Year Abroad*

Students on all pathways may optionally undertake a placement year or a year abroad studying at a foreign University after successfully completing their level 5 studies at honours level. The placement year and year abroad offer an additional optional year (0 credited) which increases the length of the Honours degree award to a four year full-time degree. Successful completion of the placement year or year abroad is reflected in the degree title.

### *Sandwich Year*

The placement year comprises an agreed period of 36 weeks (including employers' and statutory holidays) of work based learning a maximum of two institutions or companies which has agreed to those terms and conditions regarded as essential by the University of Hertfordshire. Students will be supervised according to university regulations. The learning experience will be assessed with assessments set by the Employability Tutor to enable students to demonstrate both their knowledge of the industry, their skills development and their professional attributes.

Placements are advertised through the Career and Placements Office and have included areas such as marketing, journalism, PR, management and Policy Units. Students may also source their own placement, but it must be subsequently approved by the School in terms of health and safety, equality legislation and supervisory guidelines before a student can take it up.

All students are eligible to proceed to a placement year provided they have achieved 120 credits at Level 4 and at least 90 credits at Level 5 and have completed the appropriate placement induction and documentation. Success in the placement will be recognised in the title of the award but does not carry additional credit towards the Honours programme.

### *Year Abroad*

The year abroad comprises an agreed programme of study in the third year of a partner institution in Europe (other than the UK), North or South America, Australia or Singapore with which the University of Hertfordshire has an institutional agreement.

A student's programme of study will be negotiated and approved by the Dean of School (or nominee) in consultation with appropriate others and the host University. The programme provided by the host institution may comprise taught modules, a research project, field studies, or a mixture of these components. The programme of study will require a minimum of 25% of studies to be undertaken in aspects of culture of the placement country. Prior to the commencement of the year abroad, the student and Study Abroad Tutors

from UH and the host institution will agree a learning contract. The learning contract will specify the assessment requirements to be met for successful completion of the programme of study. A Module Board of Examiners will consider the results for the year abroad during the first semester of the following academic year. All assessments must be completed by the end of the year abroad, and no subsequent referrals will be permitted. Students who have varied their programme of study without agreement from UH or have failed to meet the requirements of the learning contract will not have their year abroad studies included in the degree title.

A student must confirm the intention to study abroad during the first ten weeks of study at Level 5. This will enable a place to be negotiated at a host institution and the Study Programme and learning contract to be arranged and agreed. Only a limited number of places exist. These will be awarded on the basis of the suitability of students and guided by choice on the most appropriate programme and host institution.

To be eligible to proceed to a year abroad, a student must, by the time of the Semester B Module Boards of Examiners, have achieved at least 210 credits overall, including at least 90 credits at Level 5. Success in the year abroad will be recognised in the title of the award but does not carry additional credit towards the Honours programme.

For the year abroad in Europe where study will be undertaken in a foreign language students must meet the host University's language requirements.

#### *Combined Placement and Study Abroad Year*

Students who are eligible for the Year Abroad or Placement Year will also be eligible for the combined Placement and Study Abroad Year. This will involve a semester spent in a partner university abroad that is willing to provide a study abroad semester, combined with an appropriate placement of a minimum of 12 weeks which can be taken either abroad or in the UK.

Optional Modules Module Title	Module Code	Credit Points	Language of Delivery	% Examination	% Coursework	% Percentage Practical	Semesters
The Humanities Placement Year	6HUM1123	0	English	0	100	0	AB
Year Abroad	6HUM1049	0	English	0	0	0	AB
Placement with Study Abroad	6HUM1210	0	English	0	100	0	AB

#### Honours classification

The University has approved structure and assessment regulations common to all programmes. Full details are provided in [UPR AS14](#), Section D.

The programme provides the following final and interim awards:

Final Award	Award Title	Minimum requirements	Available at end of Level	Programme Learning Outcomes developed (see above)
BA (Hons)	See section 1	360 credit points including 240 at level 6/5 of which 120 must be at level 6	6	For a single honours award, all programme learning outcomes (see Table 2), for awards with History as a major or joint, a subset of the programme learning outcomes depending on the student's individual module choices

Interim Award	Award Title	Minimum requirements	Available at end of Level	Programme Learning Outcomes developed (see above)
University Certificate		45 credit points at level 4	4	See UPR AS11, section 13: <a href="http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm">http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm</a>
Certificate of Higher Education		120 credit points at level 4	4, 5	See UPR AS11, section 13: <a href="http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm">http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm</a>
Diploma of Higher Education		240 credit points including at least 120 at level 5	5, 6	See UPR AS11, section 13: <a href="http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm">http://sitem.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/AS11.htm</a>
BA	See section 1	300 credit points including 180 at level 6/5 of which 60 must be at level 6	6	A subset of the programme learning outcomes depending on the student's individual module choices (see Table 2)

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## Programme-specific assessment regulations

The programme complies with the University's academic regulations (in particular, [UPR AS11](#), [UPR AS12](#) and [UPR AS14](#)) with the exception of those listed below, which have been approved by the University:

*None*

Further programme-specific regulations (requiring School-level approval) are given below:

- At Levels 4 and 5 students may opt to replace 30 credits of optional modules (where available) of a joint or major subject with 30 credits (15 per semester) of modules in any of the subjects offered in the School of Humanities, not part of their degree title (subject to meeting any pre-requisite requirements).
- Progression from one Level to the next depends on meeting the pre-requisite requirements: students must normally have 30 credits in a subject area at the lower Level before progressing to study of that subject at the higher Level;
- At Level 6 students may take a maximum of 30 credits of a project or dissertation, provided they fulfil the prerequisites.

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## E. Management of Programme & Support for student learning.

### Management

The programme is managed by:

- A Dean of School who has overall responsibility for all programmes in the School
- An Associate Dean of School (Academic Quality Assurance) who has overall responsibility for academic quality, assurance and enhancement with and on behalf of the Dean of School
- An Associate Dean of School Education (Learning and Teaching) who has overall responsibility for learning and teaching with and on behalf of the Dean of School
- An Associate Dean of School Education (Student Experience) who has specific responsibility for induction
- A Head of History who is responsible for all the modules in the subject area
- A Programme Leader
- Admissions Tutors, with specific responsibility for selection
- Designated Student Administrators to deal with day-to-day administration associated with the courses and modules within the Programme
- A Programme committee which has a membership which includes all of the above plus Subject and student representatives
- Module Leaders who are responsible for individual modules

### Support

At university level, students are supported by:

- Attractive modern study environments in two Learning Resource Centres, incorporating libraries and computer centres
- StudyNet, a versatile on-line interactive intranet and learning environment
- Guided student centred learning through the use of StudyNet.
- Access to extensive digital and print collections of information resources
- A substantial Student Centre which provides advice on issues such as Finance, University regulations, visa applications, legal matters, accommodation, international student support etc.
- The Office of Dean of Students, incorporating Chaplaincy, Counselling and nursery

- Overseas Orientation
- A Medical Centre
- Student Wellbeing: Disability Services
- Student Wellbeing: Counselling Centre
- An Equal Opportunities Officer
- The Students' Union
- A Careers and Placement Service for all current students and graduates

At School level, students are further supported by:

- A Head of History
- A Head of Creative Writing
- A Head of English Language
- A Head of English Literature
- A Head of Languages
- A Head of Media
- A Head of Philosophy
- A student support team to provide confidential pastoral advice through a daily Helpdesk run during term-time.
- Scheduled weekly Student Support and Advice ('Drop-in') hours for all academic staff for student support and guidance
- Designated Programme Administrators to deal with day-to-day administration associated with the modules within the Programme
- Module Leaders who are responsible for individual modules
- A School Community Organiser (SCO)
- A Study Abroad Tutor
- An Academic Skills Tutor

On the History Undergraduate Programme students are further supported by:

- A Programme Leader to help students understand the programme structure, and provide confidential academic advice
- An induction session at the beginning of each new academic session
- Personal tutors to provide further academic and pastoral support, with scheduled meetings each semester to advise on academic performance, feedback, module choices, and long term plans
- Student Representatives on the Programme Committee

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## F. Other sources of information

This Programme Specification should be read in conjunction with the Subject Programme Specification for American Studies, Creative Writing, English Language, English Literature, Film, Journalism, Languages, Philosophy and Religious Studies, as applicable.

In addition to this Programme Specification, the University publishes guidance to registered students on the programme and its constituent modules:

- A Programme (or Student) Handbook;
- A Definitive Module Document (DMD) for each constituent module;
- A Module Guide for each constituent module.

The [Ask Herts](#) website provides information on a wide range of resources and services available at the University of Hertfordshire including academic support, accommodation, fees, funding, visas, wellbeing services and student societies.

As a condition of registration, all students of the University of Hertfordshire are required to comply with the University's rules, regulations and procedures. These are published in a series of documents called 'University Policies and Regulations' (UPRs). The University requires that all students consult these documents which are available on-line, on the UPR web site, at: <http://www.herts.ac.uk/secreg/upr/>. In particular, [UPR SA07](#) 'Regulations and Advice for Students' Particular Attention - Index' provides information on the UPRs that contain the academic regulations of particular relevance for undergraduate and taught postgraduate students.

In accordance with section 4(5) of the Higher Education and Research Act 2017 (HERA), the UK Office for Students (OfS) has registered the University of Hertfordshire in the register of English higher education providers. The Register can be viewed at: <https://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/advice-and-guidance/the-register/the-ofs-register/>. Furthermore, the OfS has judged that the University of Hertfordshire delivers consistently outstanding teaching, learning and outcomes for its students. It is of the highest quality found in the UK. Consequently, the University received a Gold award in the 2018 Teaching Excellence and Student Outcomes (TEF) exercise. This award was made in June 2018 and is valid for up to 3 years. The TEF panel's report and conclusions can be accessed at: <https://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/advice-and-guidance/teaching/tef-outcomes/#/provider/10007147>.

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## G. Entry requirements

The normal entry requirements for the programme are:

For current entry tariff point requirements, please refer to the relevant page for the Course on the University website or on the online prospectus.

All students from non-majority English speaking countries require proof of English language proficiency, equivalent to an overall IELTS score of 6.5 with a minimum of 5.5 in each band.

The programme is subject to the University's Principles, Policies and Regulations for the Admission of Students to Undergraduate and Taught Postgraduate Programmes (in [UPR SA03](#)), along with associated procedures. These will take account of University policy and guidelines for assessing accredited prior certificated learning (APCL) and accredited prior experiential learning (APEL).

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If you would like this information in an alternative format please contact: Ask Herts (de Havilland), [DHAdmin@herts.ac.uk](mailto:DHAdmin@herts.ac.uk).

If you wish to receive a copy of the latest Programme Annual Monitoring and Evaluation Report (AMER) and/or the External Examiner's Report for the programme, please email a request to [aqo@herts.ac.uk](mailto:aqo@herts.ac.uk)



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**Table 2: Development of Intended Programme Learning Outcomes in the Constituent Modules**

This map identifies where the programme learning outcomes are assessed in the constituent modules. It provides (i) an aid to academic staff in understanding how individual modules contribute to the programme aims (ii) a checklist for quality control purposes and (iii) a means to help students monitor their own learning, personal and professional development as the programme progresses.

		Programme Learning Outcomes (as identified in section 1 and the following page)																											
		Knowledge & Understanding						Intellectual Skills										Practical Skills					Transferable Skills						
Module Title	Module Code	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	B8	B9	B10	C 1	C 2	C 3	C 4	C5	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D 6	D 7
Level 4	Belief and Disbelief	4HUM1114	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Leisure and Lifestyle: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Music, Sport and Entertainment	4HUM1146	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	The Fight for Rights	4HUM1142	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Cashing In: Traders and Consumers, 1600-2001	4HUM1100	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Introduction to Public History	4HUM1143	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	The Heritage Industry in Britain	4HUM1145	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	History Toolkit	4HUM1147	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Africa and the World: 1450-c.1850	4HUM1149	x					x	x	x								x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Level 5	Hearth and Heart	5HUM1158	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Britain at War	5HUM1010	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Making Histories	5HUM1163	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Maladies and Medicine	5HUM1166	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Postcards from the Empire	5HUM1165	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Level 6	Crime and Society	5HUM1167	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Making a Historical Documentary	5HUM1161	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Propaganda in 20 <sup>th</sup> Century	5HUM0286	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	The Age of the Cold War	5HUM1169	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Nation and Identity	5HUM1160	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Doing History	5HUM1171	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Everyday Lives	6HUM1202	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	The 1956 Suez Crisis	6HUM1201	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Popular Protest	6HUM1200	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Sinners, Scoundrels & Deviants	6HUM1220	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Pacific Histories	6HUM1219	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Bodies & Sexuality	6HUM1099	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Thinking with History	6HUM1203	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Italy and Fascism	6HUM1183	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Cold War Film	6HUM1232	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Final Year Dissertation	6HUM1204	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Oral History Project	6HUM0409	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Local and Global Community Heritage	6HUM1209	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

## KEY TO PROGRAMME LEARNING OUTCOMES

### Knowledge and Understanding e.g.

- A1. Be able to demonstrate accurate knowledge of the content of the modules they have studied
- A2. An understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas
- A3. Some knowledge and understanding of the theoretical underpinnings of the discipline
- A4. An understanding of the range and uses of primary source material in constructing historical arguments
- A5. An understanding of the strategies and ethical considerations used by historians in conducting research.
- A6. An understanding of how historical knowledge can illuminate the ways the past shapes the present

### Intellectual Skills e.g.

- B1. Be able to develop arguments supported by evidence
- B2. Be able to demonstrate an appreciation of the complexity and diversity of the historical discipline
- B3. Be able to demonstrate a basic awareness of the range and potential use of primary sources
- B4. Be able to demonstrate an effective use of secondary sources, and an understanding of historiographical debates in their subject areas;
- B5. Be able to demonstrate an ability to create increasingly sophisticated synthetic arguments
- B6. Be able to demonstrate a reflexive understanding of the discipline of history and its terminology
- B7. Be able to develop and demonstrate an ability to gather, sift, read, analyse and reflect critically upon historical sources
- B8. Be able to demonstrate the ability to address historical problems in depth, through use of contemporary sources and advanced secondary literature
- B9. Be able to deploy the specialised vocabulary and concepts of the discipline

### Practical Skills

- C1. Be able to demonstrate understanding of the subject's protocols and expectations regarding the quotation and reproduction of the work of others.
- C2. Be able to identify and access a range of textual, digital, audio-visual and material sources and texts
- C3. Be able to demonstrate an ability to-engage with summative and formative feedback in order to improve historical analysis and arguments
- C4. Be able to undertake statistical and/or graphical analysis of historical data sets
- C5. Be able to identify and apply appropriate digital tools to select, refine and analyse historical data.

### Transferable Skills

- D1. Be able to take responsibility for their own learning, using initiative and self-discipline
- D2. Be able to communicate effectively in writing and orally
- D3. Be able to work collaboratively and effectively in a group
- D4. Be able to demonstrate digital literacy through the use of a range of software applications and online resources
- D5. Be able to have demonstrate global awareness and a sensitive professional approach to diversity and inclusivity
- D6. Demonstrate compassion and an appreciate for alternative points of view in collaborative work with peers
- D7. Demonstrate an ability to test the validity and importance of arguments and evidence.

## Section 2

### Programme management

<b>Relevant QAA subject benchmarking statements</b>	History
<b>Type of programme</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Date of validation/last periodic review</b>	March 20
<b>Date of production/ last revision of PS</b>	April 2020
<b>Relevant to level/cohort</b>	Level 4 entering September 2020
<b>Administrative School</b>	School of Humanities

Table 3 Course structure

Course details		
Course code	Course description	HECoS
HUHIS	BA (Hons) History	100302 – History 101273 – Combined Studies