REQUIREMENTS FOR A HISTORY MAJOR WITH AN OPTION IN SOCIAL/CULTURAL/ECONOMIC HISTORY (There are no hidden prerequisites on this checksheet):

1. Minimum of 120 semester hours.
2. Minimum of 45 hours in history (maximum of 50 hours). No more than 9 hours of these 45 may be at the 1000-level; and no 1000-level courses may count toward the major if taken after completion of 90 hours.
3. Overall GPA of 2.0 or above.
4. Completion of at least 8 courses at the 2000 or 3000 level. Of these 8 courses, 1 must be Hist 2004, which must be passed with a B or better; 2 courses each must be from Groups I, II, and III; and 1 course from Group IV. See the Information Sheet for History Majors for a list of the courses in Groups I, II, III, and IV.
5. Students must earn a C- or above for a history course to count toward their major requirements.

   Hist 2004: Historical Methods (3 hours) __________________________
   Hist Group I (United States) (6 hours) __________________________
   Hist Group II (Europe) (6 hours) __________
   Hist Group III (Asia, Latin America, Middle East, Russia, Africa) (6 hours) __________
   Hist Group IV (Science & Technology) (3 hours) __________
   History electives (12 hours) __________

6. Complete 1 course at the 4000-level other than 4964, 4974, 4984, or 4994 (Prerequisite: 2004 and 3 other hrs of history; junior standing or above) (3 hours) __________

7. Completion of at least 12 hours of courses approved for the option; courses taken to meet this requirement may also count toward meeting requirement four. (see other side for a list of approved courses) __________

8. Completion of 6 hours of Undergraduate Research (4994) leading to the completion of a 25-50 page thesis on a topic appropriate to this option __________

9. Grade of B or better in HIST 2004 and in-major GPA of 3.0 or better. The in-major GPA is calculated using all Hist courses.

PROGRESS TOWARD DEGREE:
The University requires every department to establish benchmarks by which their majors can demonstrate that they are making satisfactory progress toward a degree. In the case of this option these benchmarks are: 1) completion of 15 hours of history, including History 2004 by the semester in which you have attempted 72 hours; 2) completion of the Curriculum for Liberal Education by the end of the junior year; 3) GPA of 2.5 or above in all history courses by end of semester in which you have attempted 18 hrs of history; 4) GPA of 3.0 or above in all history courses by the semester in which you have attempted 96 hours. Failure to make satisfactory progress toward a degree can result in a student’s being blocked from continuing in the option.
APPROVED COURSES FOR THE OPTION IN SOCIAL/CULTURAL/ECONOMIC HISTORY

2345, 2346 - History of the Middle East
2375, 2376 - History of the Indian Subcontinent
3004 - Colonial America
3014 - The American Revolution
3024 - The Early United States
3064 - Emergence of Modern America, 1877-1917
3084 - Recent America, 1917-Present
3104 - U.S. Social History
3105, 3106 - Women in U.S. History
3114 - U.S. Business History
3124 - History of American Agriculture
3134 - Sports in American History
3144 - American Environmental History
3155, 3156 - History of American Cities
3164 - Sexuality in American History
3174 - African-American Men in United States History
3175, 3176 - African-American History
3205, 3206 - U.S. South
3214 - History of Appalachia
3224 - History of Virginia
3234 - The North American West
3254 - The Vietnam War
3274 - The Greek City
3284 - The Roman Revolution
3304 - The World of Alexander the Great
3324 - The Medieval World
3334 - The Renaissance
3344 - The Era of the Reformation
3364 - The Age of Revolution
3394 - Europe Since World War II
3424 - Tudor and Early Stuart Century England
3434 - Late Stuart and Eighteenth Century England
3484 - Twentieth Century Germany
3494 - Holocaust
3514 - Russia to Peter the Great
3564 - The Vietnam War
3604 - Russia to Peter the Great
3614 - Imperial Russia
3644 - Twentieth-Century Russia
3684 - Cultural History of the Soviet Union and the Successor States
3694 - History through Film

CURRICULUM FOR LIBERAL EDUCATION
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

Foreign Language
Complete one of the following options:

3 years or more of a single foreign language in high school
2 years of a single foreign language in high school plus 1106 or equivalent in college (these 3 hours count toward the 120 hours required for graduation)
<2 years of a single foreign language in high school—must complete 1105-1106 or equivalent in college (these 6 hours do not count toward the 120 required for graduation)

(AREA 1) Writing and Discourse (6 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 2) Ideas, Cultural Traditions, and Values (6 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 3) Society and Human Behavior (6 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 4) Scientific Reasoning & Discovery (6 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 5) Quantitative & Symbolic Reasoning (6 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 6) Creativity and Aesthetic Experience (3 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

(AREA 7) Critical Issues in a Global Context (3 hours)
(See the current Curriculum for Liberal Education Handbook or University Catalog for approved courses)

FREE ELECTIVES
In addition to the Option and Curriculum for Liberal Education requirements, students must complete the necessary number of free electives to reach the 120 hours needed to graduate.