

HISTORY

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Department Website (<https://www.uwec.edu/academics/college-arts-sciences/departments-programs/history/>)

The History Department offers the Master of Arts in History, Master of Arts in Public History, graduate certificates, and graduate-level course work.

Qualifications for Admission to Degree Programs in History

1. Applicants must hold a bachelor's degree with a minimum of 24 semester credits of undergraduate history. The department strongly recommends at least 30 semester credits.
2. A GPA of 3.00, or 3.15 in the second half of all undergraduate work and a 3.30 in the history concentration.
3. A letter of intent from prospective student, in which the student explains their academic and career goals and expectations.
4. Three letters of recommendation by professors who are familiar with the applicant's past work and potential to do graduate work. These letters may also be used for applying for graduate assistantships and fellowships.
5. Completion of an undergraduate research seminar involving the writing of a major research paper (minimum 10 pages preferred), a copy of which should accompany the application, together with a letter from the supervising professor. This letter may be counted as one of the three letters of recommendation. (A student meeting the above criteria, but not this one, may be admitted conditionally.)

Further Notes to Applying Students

1. It is strongly recommended that a student have completed two years of foreign language study at the college level or its equivalent. It is further recommended that the language be related to the intended area of concentration.
2. The department may consider admission of a student whose GPA and/or other qualifications do not meet all those specified above where there is convincing evidence that he or she is capable of performing satisfactory graduate work in the department. Admission under these circumstances is conditional. Completion of nine hours of graduate work with a grade of B or above in each course and removal of all deficiencies will lead to full standing.

Graduate Faculty

Selika M. Ducksworth-Lawton, Ph.D.

Joanne Jahnke-Wegner, Ph.D.

Cheryl Jiménez Frei, Ph.D.

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Andrew Sturtevant, Ph.D.

Patricia R. Turner, Ph.D. (Program Director)

Matthew Waters, Ph.D.

Graduate Programs

- History - Master of Arts (<http://catalog.uwec.edu/graduate/programs/history/history-ma/>)
- History, Public History - Master of Arts (<http://catalog.uwec.edu/graduate/programs/history/history-public-history-ma/>)

Graduate Certificates

- Military History (<http://catalog.uwec.edu/graduate/programs/history/military-history-certificate/>)
- Public History (<http://catalog.uwec.edu/graduate/programs/history/public-history-certificate/>)