

History: Associate of Arts Degree

Faculty of Arts	kpu.ca/arts
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Program Type	Undergraduate
Credential Granted	Associate Degree
Offered At	Langley Richmond Surrey
Start Date(s)	September January May
Intake Type	Open intake
Format	Full-time Part-time
Instructional Cycle	Semester-based
Curriculum Effective Date	01-Sep-2011
How to Apply	www.kpu.ca/admission

DESCRIPTION

In the Associate of Arts Degree in History you will be introduced to the discipline and will be prepared for further study, either in History, or in other areas. By completing the Associate of Arts degree you will gain a broader understanding of the world in which you live and will become a more informed and engaged citizen. You can focus on a particular geographic region; however, we recommend that you complete as broad a range of courses as possible.

The Associate of Arts degree can be used as an entry pathway into the Bachelor of Arts Degree in History; however, you should note that the BA only requires six credits of History at the first year level and six credits of History at the second year level.

History courses are reading and writing intensive. It is therefore strongly recommended that you complete the English requirements of your degree within your first two semesters.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The Faculty's Admission Requirements, which consist of KPU's undergraduate English Proficiency Requirement, apply to this program.

CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

Within the framework of the Associate of Arts Degree, students must complete at least 60 credits with a minimum grade of C in each course and meet the following course requirements.

A minimum of 12 credits chosen from the following core courses:

HIST 1113	Cultures in Collision: Canada to 1867	3 credits
HIST 1114	Forged in Fire: Canada since 1867	3 credits
HIST 1120	The Age of Barbarism: Europe 1900 to 1939	3 credits

HIST 1121	From Total War and Genocide to Coexistence: Europe since 1939	3 credits
HIST 1130	Empires in Arms: Twentieth Century World 1900 to 1945	3 credits
HIST 1131	Atom Bombs to the Internet: Twentieth Century World 1945-2000	3 credits
HIST 1145	Expansion, Revolution, & Civil War: American History 1607-1865	3 credits
HIST 1146	World Wars, Reform, & Cold War: American History 1865-1974	3 credits
HIST 1150	Beyond the Middle Kingdom: Introduction to East Asian History	3 credits
HIST 2101	Europe in the Middle Ages	3 credits
HIST 2102	Europe 1450 to 1789	3 credits
HIST 2119	Europe 1789 to 1914	3 credits

A minimum of 9 credits from HIST courses numbered at the 2300 level or higher.

CREDENTIAL AWARDED

Upon successful completion of this program, students are eligible to receive an **Associate of Arts Degree in History**.