

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes](#).

BA HISTORY (YEAR ABROAD) (V103)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in full-time and part-time modes of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List A:

List A:		Credit value
The Birth of Western Society, 300-1050	HIST1011	20
New Heaven, New Earth: Latin Christendom and the World, 1000-1300	HIST1401	20

3. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Early Modern England: a Social History	HIST1151	20
Reformation Europe	HIST1041	20
Introduction to Chinese History	HIST1481	20
The Century of Revolution	HIST1501	20

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List C:

List C:		Credit value
Tensions of Empire	HIST1521	20
The Making of Modern Africa	HIST1491	20
The Mediterranean World	HIST1251	20
Modern Times: a Cultural History of Europe, c. 1860-1960	HIST1541	20
Wars and Welfare: English Society, 1900-1945	HIST1281	20
The Soviet Revolution	HIST1511	20

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List D:

List D:		Credit value
Modules to the value of 40 credits from List A or List B or List C (above)		40
Modules up to the value of 40 credits offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study).		40

Level 2 (Diploma)

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following module to the value of 20 credits:

		Credit value
Conversations with History	HIST2921	20

7. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List E:

List E:		Credit value
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The King's Two Bodies (W)	HIST2331	20
Robin Hood (W)	HIST2951	20
The Golden Age of Northumbria, c. 650-c.800 (W) Φ	HIST2481	20
Inventing France, 1300-1500 (W)	HIST2321	20

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List F:

List F:		Credit value
The Ottoman World, 1400-1700 (N)	HIST2671	20
Tudor Monarchy and Reformation (W)	HIST2771	20
Early Modern Bodies (W) Φ	HIST2891	20
Colonial British America (N)	HIST2971	20
The Court: Art and Power (W)	HIST2721	20

9. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List G:

List G:		Credit value
Memory and Conflict (W/N) Ω	HIST2351	20
Hard Times: English Society, c. 1800-1901 (W) Ω	HIST2211	20
The Romantic Revolution (W/N) Φ	HIST2411	20
The American Half-Century: the United States since 1945 (N)	HIST2471	20
Civilizing Peoples: Progress, Governance and the British Empire (W/N)	HIST2431	20
Protest, Terrorism and Revolution (W/N) Φ	HIST2741	20
Soviet Socialism in the Cold War: The USSR, 1945-1991 (N) Ω	HIST2291	20
Native Americans and Minority Rights in the US, 1914-2000 (N)	HIST2871	20
The White Nile: Conflict, Power and Identity, 1820-2006 (N) Φ	HIST2981	20
Modern China's Transformations (N) Ω	HIST2201	20

10. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List H:

List H:		Credit value
Modules up to the value of 40 credits from List E, List F, or List G (above)		40
Level 2 open modules up to the value of 40 credits offered by another Board of Studies		40
Appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study to the value of 20 credits.		20

Year 3 (Year Abroad)

- Students will undertake an approved placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution, where at least 50% of their courses relate to History.
- Students who are considered by the History Board of Examiners to have made satisfactory progress, judged by reference to each student's learning agreement, will continue to Level 3 of the History (Year Abroad) (V103) programme. Otherwise, they will transfer to BA (Hons) in History (V100)

Level 3 (Degree)

- In accordance with the core regulations, candidates may take no more than 30 credits of Level 2 modules during Level 3. Appropriate credit-bearing language modules from the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study may be taken during Level 3, but only if the combined total of language modules and Level 2 modules taken does not exceed 30 credits.

12. Candidates shall study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List I:

List I:		Credit value
Inventing Humanity	HIST3981	20
Anglo-Saxon Invasion? The Search for English Origins	HIST3451	20
History of American Capitalism	HIST3441	20
Revolution and History	HIST3071	20
Inheriting the North: Economy and Society, 1500-1850	HIST3161	20
History and its Audiences	HIST3431	20
Interpreting Conflict in Post-colonial Africa	HIST3221	20
By exception, one 20-credit L3 module from another Board of Studies, if appropriate to the student's particular course of study, and by special permission of the programme director for V100		20

13. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one Special Subject module to the value of 60 credits from List J:

List J:		Credit value
Light beyond the <i>Limes</i> : the Christianization of Pagan Europe, 300-1000	HIST3813	60
The Wonder of the World: Frederick II (1194-1250) in Life and Legend	HIST3963	60
The Black Death	HIST3753	60
Worlds Apart: The City in late medieval England	HIST3873	60
The Disappearance of Claudine Rouge: Murder, Mystery and Microhistory in Early Modern France	HIST3973	60
1688: Monarchy and Revolution in Britain	HIST3423	60
English Architecture in the Age of Christopher Wren	HIST3243	60
Public Politics: protest, petition and print in England, 1530-1640	HIST3413	60
A World Turned Upside Down: Radicalism in the English Revolution	HIST3823	60
Politics and Welfare: England, 1880-1914	HIST3293	60
British Politics and the Great War	HIST3983	60
War to Cold War: US Foreign Policy, c. 1944-1948	HIST3303	60
Gender, Society and Cultural Change in China's Long Twentieth Century	HIST3953	60
Propaganda in Britain and Germany	HIST3393	60

14. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits, including at least 20 credits from List K:

List K		Credit value
20 Credit Dissertation in History ~	HIST3181	20
40 Credit Dissertation in History ~	HIST3192	40
Students may only take the 20 credit dissertation module by special permission of the programme director for V100. This will be granted in cases where a student lacks the necessary language skills or access to primary sources in their chosen field of study.		

List L		Credit value
One module from List I (above)		20
One Level 2 or Level 3 open module to the value of 20 credits offered by another Board of Studies		20
Appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the		20

Assessment, progression and award

15. Modules marked with ~ must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an honours degree. A mark of 30-39% cannot be compensated.
16. Modules marked Ω will be taught and assessed in Michaelmas Term only.
17. Modules marked Φ will be taught and assessed in Epiphany and Easter Terms only.
18. Students' choices at Level 2 must include at least one module in the history of Western Europe (W), and at least one module in the history of non-Western Europe (N).
19. Students may take up to a maximum of 40 credits offered by other Boards of Studies over Levels 2 and 3 together.