

SAMPLE PROGRAM OF STUDY (MA PROGRAM)

The program of study often varies by field and many factors may extend or reorder the sequence and length of the program of study.

Students in major fields that require lengthy language or special skill acquisition will be granted an automatic one-year extension to progress-to-degree expectations.

Degree-by-Thesis Option	Degree-by-Examination Option
Year I	
Fall	Fall
Historiography (HIST 600) Field General Seminar (HIST 608) Field Readings Seminar	Historiography (HIST 600) Field General Seminar (HIST 608) Field Readings Seminar
Spring	Spring
Field Readings OR General Seminar Field Research Seminar	Field Readings OR General Seminar Field Research Seminar
Summer	Summer
EXPLORATORY THESIS RESEARCH LANGUAGE TRAINING	EXAM PREPARATION
Year II	
Fall	Fall
Field Readings OR Research Seminar Elective Master's Thesis Research (799)	Field Readings OR Research Seminar 2 Electives
Spring	Spring
Field Readings OR Elective Master's Thesis Research (799) THESIS DEFENSE	Field Readings OR Research Seminar Elective EXAMINATION

NOTES:

- Courses are typically listed at three credit hours.
- Up to nine hours of the readings seminar requirement may be taken at the 400 level.
- Students in the HiLS dual-degree program, as well as the Historic Preservation and Museum Scholarship & Material Culture certificate programs may request a waiver of the HIST 600 requirement if the requirement prevents them from fulfilling other degree and certificate requirements.