



Historians research, analyze, and interpret the past. They use many sources of additional information in their research, including government and institutional records, newspapers and other periodicals, photographs, interviews, films, and unpublished manuscripts such as personal diaries and letters. Historians usually specialize in a country or region; a particular time period; or a particular field, such as social, intellectual, cultural, political, or diplomatic history. Other historians help study and preserve archival materials, artifacts, and historic buildings and sites.

Quoted from <http://stats.bls.gov/oco/ocos054.htm> April 2009

GENERAL INFORMATION

Typically, students pursue a history major at the bachelor's degree level, and then at the master's level. You can enjoy the benefits of smaller classes (and lower tuition) by beginning your college study at a community college and then transferring to a university.

At EvCC, students interested in History are encouraged to pursue the **Associate in Arts and Sciences - Option II**. This degree meets statewide guidelines for smooth transfer to most of Washington's colleges and universities, and several in Oregon. With this degree, you will have completed most or all of the lower division, general education requirements typically required within a bachelor's degree. The complete description of this degree program, with a checklist, is provided in the Associate in Arts and Sciences Direct Transfer Guide. A specific checklist for a History major is on the reverse side.

We encourage you to review the catalogs and History departments of a variety of colleges and universities. In reviewing the catalogs you will discover if special courses should be taken in the first and second year, in order to prepare for entering the major as a Junior. For example, courses in US, European, Non-Western, and/or World History may be recommended or required. In many cases, first and second year courses that may be prerequisite for the major may be taken within the AAS-Option II degree plan. Please work with an advisor to map out a plan that is best for you. EvCC's History advisors are listed to the right.

SUGGESTED PREPARATION

Strong reading and writing skills are essential. A willingness to interact with people and in social organizations is helpful. Foreign language skills may be useful or required.

CAREER OPTIONS

History majors can qualify for employment in many different fields: government service, museums, archives, writing, research and education. A study of history can be preparatory for further studies in law, librarianship, and public administration.

GETTING STARTED AT EVCC

Our Enrollment Services Office provides information about application, advising, orientation and registration for new and continuing students. Though advising is voluntary, all prospective and current students are invited to contact the Enrollment Services Office or the Counseling, Advising and Career Center (CACC) if they would like to speak one-to-one with an advisor about getting started at EvCC. Contact:

- ◆ Enrollment Services, Jackson Center, 425-388-9219
admissions@everettcc.edu
- ◆ CACC, Third Floor, Parks, 425-388-9263

PROGRAM ADVISORS

We strongly urge you to meet with an advisor to discuss your options, career ideas, and course selection.

- ◆ Tom Gaskin, Gray Wolf Hall 347, 425-388-9374
tgaskin@everettcc.edu
- ◆ Jason Ripper, Gray Wolf Hall 333, 425-388-9171
jripper@everettcc.edu

If there is no answer, please call the Division Office at 425-388-9387.

The Websites listed below provide information about various approaches to a History major.

- ◆ WSU: <http://futurestudents.wsu.edu/academics/fos/study.asp?ID=HIST>
- ◆ WWU: www.wwu.edu/cms/WWU.History/
- ◆ UW: <http://depts.washington.edu/history/>

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Associate in Arts and Sciences - Option II

This checklist is targeted at transfer students with an interest in HISTORY. It should be maintained by the student while at Everett Community College. The quarter before expected completion, this checklist should be submitted by the student, with a diploma application, to the Enrollment Services Office. This checklist refers to requirements listed in the curriculum guide titled "Associate in Arts and Sciences – Option II", which lists all the courses which are approved for the various categories of requirements. Note: Though courses in a foreign language are not required in the Option II degree, some universities may require two or three quarters of foreign language for admission or for graduation.

Courses listed with an ampersand in the course number (e.g. ENGL&101) reflect the new Common Course Numbering System.

Courses in [brackets] are the "old" course numbers and may be used to satisfy requirements. For more information, go to www.everettcc.edu/ccn

Student Name: _____ Advisor Signature: _____ Date: _____

PROFICIENCY in Intermediate Algebra

(Where Completed/Course Title)	(Year Completed)	(Grade)

COMPLETION of Diversity Course

(Where Completed/Course Title)	(Year Completed)	(Grade)

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Quarter Completed	Grade
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BASIC COMMUNICATION SKILLS (10 credits, see list of Option II Communication Skills, must include at least 6 credits in composition.)

ENGL& 101	English Composition I	5		

BASIC QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (5 credits, selected from MATH& 107[137], MATH 138 or PHIL& 106 [120].)

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HUMANITIES (15 credits from the Option II approved Humanities List. See Note 1. Recommend the following: ENGL& 245 [223], ENGL 251, 252, 253; HIST 111, 112, &146, &147, &148 [151, 152, 153]; MUSC 115; foreign language.)

SOCIAL SCIENCE (15 credits from the Option II approved Social Science List. See Note 1. Recommend the following: ANTH& 206D [202D]; GEOG 101; HIST 111, 112, &146, &147, &148 [151, 152, 153]; POLS& 101, 202 [201]; SOC& 101 [110].)

NATURAL SCIENCE (15 credits from the Option II approved Natural Science List, including at least one lab science. See Note 1. Recommend ENV& 100 [101].)

Lab: _____

ELECTIVES (Selected from Humanities, Social Science, Natural Science and Elective courses listed on the Option II guide. Include HIST 111, 112, &146, &147, &148 [151, 152, 153], if not completed above.)

List A				List B (maximum 15 credits)			
Course	Credits	Qtr Completed	Grade	Course	Credits	Qtr Completed	Grade

Total: minimum 90 credits required, minimum 2.0 GPA

Note 1: Courses must be from three different disciplines. No more than 10 credits in any one discipline may be used in Humanities, Social Science, and Science.

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