MA Program Requirements

Brief Overview (For complete details, see our Graduate Handbook)

1. **Nine courses (thesis track) or ten courses (non-thesis track)**

   Three required courses:
   - History 7000: Introduction to Historical Methods/Theory
   - History 7050: Introduction to Graduate Studies and Pedagogy (or History 7045 w/o Pedagogy component)
   - History 7060: Research Seminar

   And one of the following:
   - History 7010: Issues and Interpretations in U.S. History
   - History 7020: Issues and Interpretations in European History
   - History 7030: Issues and Interpretations in World History
   - History 7040: Issues and Interpretations in Public History

   plus five or size other graduate courses

2. **Reading knowledge of a foreign language**

   Can be satisfied through coursework or passing a translation exam

3. **Oral and/or written exams testing student in their major field and coursework.** (Non-thesis track students must include written component.)

4. **Masters Thesis proposal (thesis track)**

5. **Masters Thesis (thesis track) or Research Paper (non-thesis track)**

Concentrations offered at the Masters Level:
- World History
- Public History