

DEGREE(S)

- + B.A. in History
- + Minor in History

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

To earn a Bachelor of Arts in History, you can complete your entire degree in Madrid, or you can study at both of our campuses, in Madrid and St. Louis.

Few places in the world offer as many Spanish history courses in English as SLU-Madrid. Our internationally recognized faculty have expertise in medieval, early modern and modern European history, with special interests in the interaction of Spain's Christian, Jewish and Muslim cultures, Colonial Latin America, the Spanish Civil War and the Classical Hellenistic World.

At the campus in St. Louis, academic areas of specialization include the 20th century American West, immigration, women's civic and social movements and the African American experience.

In keeping with the Jesuit tradition of promoting the development of the whole person, the history major requirements include the Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum. The Core provides a framework for acquiring a broad foundation of knowledge in the humanities, natural sciences and social sciences.

History students also have the opportunity to fulfill one of the required upper-level electives with an approved historical internship.

CURRICULUM

History Major Requirements

Required classes:

- + Origins of the Modern World to 1500
- + Origins of the Modern World: 1500 to the Present
- + The Historian's Craft
- + Senior Seminar

Coursework in each of the following areas:

- + European history
- + Pre-1865 U.S. history
- + Post-1865 U.S. history
- + Asian, African, Middle Eastern, and/or Latin American history

History courses offered at SLU-Madrid:

- + Origins of the Modern World to 1500
- + Origins of the Modern World: 1500 to the Present
- + History of the United States to 1865
- + History of the United States since 1865
- + The Historian's Craft: Methods Proseminar
- + The Age of Renaissance
- + Colonial Latin America
- + Early Modern History of Spain
- + Modern History of Spain, 1808-Present
- + Cultural Encounters
- + Medieval Spain
- + History of the Jews in Spain
- + The Making of the Spanish Nation: Identity, Myth and History

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WHY CHOOSE THIS PROGRAM?

History is the basis of all human experience and consequently forms an essential part of our understanding of everyday life. History students are taught information-processing skills that remain in strong demand in the ever-changing job market: analytical thinking, effective use of evidence, research and writing skills, rhetorical abilities, and an understanding of cultural differences. Aside from the job market, however, history provides the social and cultural resources necessary to approach the challenges of present-day society and our membership in a global community.

The Madrid Campus offers unparalleled opportunities to visit ancient and medieval cities, historic sites, monuments, archives and libraries.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- + Online Application Form // Common Application
- + 2 letters of recommendation (encouraged)
- + Curriculum vitae/résumé (encouraged)

First-year Students:

- + Secondary school academic transcripts
- + University entrance exam scores (SAT/ACT, IB diploma, A levels, PAU/Selectividad, etc.)

Transfer Students:

- + College transcript(s)
- + Proof of high school graduation

Non-native English speakers must submit an official English exam (TOEFL or IELTS).

Detailed information is available on our website.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

SLU-Madrid is committed to supporting students—and their families—who choose to invest in themselves and their future by studying at the Madrid Campus. Each student, from any state in the U.S., any region in Spain, or any country in the world, is eligible for University-funded aid. Scholarship/financial aid programs available include:

- + Merit Scholarships
- + Visiting Student Scholarships
- + Grants and Loans
- + Departmental Support Scholarships
- + Jesuit High School Award
- + Catholic High School Award
- + Madrid Campus Antiguos Alumnos Award
- + Family Award

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