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THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme	**BA (Hons) History**		
Level of Study	3	Academic Year of Study	**2026/2027**
Programme Code:	00384	Plan Code:	00255
Document link:	If you are reading a printed version of this document, you should check http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=15844 to ensure that you have the most up to date version.		
Contact:	If you have any questions about this structure, please contact the programme administrator for History: SALC.courseunits@manchester.ac.uk		

Regulations:

- All Level 3 History Honours students must take HIST30970

After following Steps 1-5 below, all Level 3 History Honours students must have:

- Total selection of exactly 120 credits
- **Students may take no more than 70 credits in any one semester** (including 20 credits per semester for the 40-credit dissertation).
- Minimum of 40 credits of optional course units in HIST-coded courses (excluding 40-credit History BA Dissertation)
- Total selection of exactly 120 credits (40-credit History BA Dissertation + 80 credits of optional course units)
- Course units which do not clash – **check the timetable**
- Select no more than 20 credits of University Language Centre modules

Note on Allocation of Credits Across Semesters and HIST30970:

- **Students may take no more than 70 credits in any one semester** (including 20 credits per semester for the 40-credit dissertation). Students would be advised not to exceed 60 credits (including 20 for the dissertation) in semester 2.
- Students must plan their dissertation research schedule appropriately, and in consultation from welcome week onwards with their appointed dissertation supervisor.
- The semester in which a course is taught is identified by the last digit in the code (eg HIST3010**1** = Sem. 1). A 0 (zero) final digit, e.g. HIST30970, indicates that the course is taught across both semesters and the total credit weighting for the unit is to be divided equally between semesters.

Please note that swapping or dropping full-year optional modules is prohibited after week 2 of semester 1.

Step 1: You will be automatically enrolled on the below by your Programme Administrator		
LIST A:		**Credits**
HIST30970	Dissertation	40

Step 2: Choose 20-80 credits from List B		**20-80 Credits**
LIST B:		**Credits**
HIST31941	Pirates: The Sea, the Empire and the Other	20
HIST31361	Heroes and Holy Men: The Irish Sea World in the Viking Age, c.780-1100	20

HIST31991	The Normans and the Kingdom of Sicily in the Mediterranean World (1000-1200)	20
HIST32242	Cultural Entanglements: Life and Death in Colonial America	20
HIST31952	Becoming Christian in The Early Middle Ages	20
HIST31882	Material Encounters in the Early Modern World	20

Step 3: Choose 0-20 credits from List C		**0-20 Credits**
LIST C:		**Credits**
HIST32171	Black Britain: Power, Neighbourhoods and the Everyday, 1948-1990	20
HIST32351	Global China in the Second World War	20
HIST31551	John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson, and U.S. Foreign Policy in the 1960s	20
HIST32152	From New Left to New Times: Socialist Ideas in Post-War Britain	20
HIST31592	Defining the Deviant: Crime and British Society, 1888-2000	20

Step 4: Choose 0-60 credits from List D		**0-60 Credits**
LIST D:		**Credits**
HIST31751	The Black Freedom Movement, 1955 - 1975	20
HIST31492	The Holocaust: History, Historiography, Memory	20
HIST31721	Ceaseless Revolution: France and the Social Republic, 1781-1871	20
HIST32251	The Anglo-American Connection in the long 19th Century: Race, Reform and National Identity	20
HIST31891	Brains and Numbers: Intellectual Life in Victorian Britain	20
HIST31051	Wealth and Welfare: Reconceptualising British Economy and Society between 1832 and 1942	20
HIST31671	The Aftermath of War in France, Britain and Germany	20
HIST31521	The Comparative and Transnational History of Fascist Italy and Nazi Germany	20
HIST30622	Empire, Gender and British Heroes, c.1885 - 1985	20
HIST31202	China and the West: The Age of Empire and Beyond	20
HIST32112	Spatial History: Mapping the Past	20
HIST32222	Africa and Development: A Political History of the Social Sciences	20
HIST32271	Contesting Hitler's Empire: Resistance, Collaboration, and Mass Violence in Occupied Europe (1939–1945)	20
HIST32322	Mixing it Up: A Global Intellectual History of Race and Miscegenation	20
HIST32342	Vanished: Histories of Extinction from the Mammoth to Extinction Rebellion	20
HIST32372	Democracy and Authoritarianism in Latin America's Twentieth Century	20
HIST32382	Islam in China	20
HIST30292	'A Nation In The Making': India, 1800-1947	20
HIST32412	Moving Stories: Migration and Modern European History	20

Step 5: Choose 0-40 credits from List E. **If not taking a minor, you need not select any credits from this list as all can come from those above. If you have, since level one, been taking part in the flexible honours programme, with a minor in another subject area, you should select your 40 minor credits in lieu of modules from List D.** You can access a full list of courses available for your Minor here, or you can email salc.programmes@manchester.ac.uk to discuss your options. **Please note: you cannot begin a new Minor in your second or third year.**		**0-40 Credits**
LIST E:		**Credits**
AMER30141	America Abroad: Non-State Actors and the Making of a World Power	20
RUSS30601	Culture, Media and Politics in the Soviet Union and post-Soviet Russia	20
SPLA31151	History of the Spanish Atlantic World: Empire, Trade, War	20
GERM30721	Culture and Society in Germany 1871-1918	20

HSTM32511	From Sherlock Holmes to CSI: History of Forensic Medicine	20
HSTM33501	Climate Change and Society	20
HSTM31121	Fossils: Global Histories of Natural Heritage, Science and Empire	20
HSTM31111	Fossils: Global Histories of Natural Heritage, Science and Empire	20
MCEL30001	Tools and Techniques for Enterprise [**cannot be taken with MCEL30002**]	10
MCEL30002	Tools and Techniques for Enterprise [**cannot be taken with MCEL30001**]	10
MCEL30052	Enterprise Feasibility	10
AMER30022	Slavery & the Old South	20
HSTM40332	Madness and Society in the Modern Age, 1780-2000	20
HSTM31712	The Nuclear Age: Hiroshima to Nuclear Terrorism	20
HSTM30342	People and Power in the Digital Age	20
Free Choice from any Subject Area in the Faculty of Humanities, including SALC and SoSS, except HIST-coded course units: https://livemanchesterac.sharepoint.com/sites/UoM-SALC-STUDENT-COMM/SitePages/Free-Choice-Units(1).aspx		**10 or 20**
University Language Centre course units please see: https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/study/university-language-centre-leap-courses		**10 or 20**
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