

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme	BA (Hons) History and German		
Level of Study	2	Academic Year of Study	2026/2027
Programme Code:	00387	Plan Code:	00258
Document link:	If you are reading a printed version of this document, you should check http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=15961 to ensure that you have the most up to date version.		
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Regulations:

- All Level 2 HGERM students must take either a 20-credit Long Essay / Research Project (List A), and GERM51030 or GERM51040, as relevant. With agreement from both departments, the German Long Essay can be taken from List B, in addition to HIST20392 from List A.
- All Level 2 HGERM students must choose 80 additional credits of optional course units (Lists B-E)
- Level 2 HGERM students taking 80 credits of History based courses (i.e. not GERM courses) must include one premodern course unit from List E.

After following Steps 1 to 5 below, all Level 2 HGERM students must have:

- Total selection of exactly 120 credits
- A maximum of 80 GERM coded modules
- A maximum of 80 credits of History modules, which can include HIST20392 and all modules listed in Lists C, D and E
- Minimum of 50 credits of course units in each semester
- Maximum of 70 credits of course units in each semester
- Course units whose lectures do not clash – **check the timetable**

Note on Credit Allocation Across Semesters and HIST Independent Research Project:

- The semester in which a course unit is taught is identified by the last digit in the course code (e.g. HIST10101 = Sem. 1). A 0 (zero) final digit indicates the course unit is taught across both semesters
- When calculating your credit allocation by semester, the credits for 0- (zero) coded courses should usually be divided equally between Sem. 1 and Sem. 2

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

Please ensure that you have read and understood the accompanying guidance document here:

<http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=43094>.

Step 1: You will automatically be enrolled on the below, as relevant and, by request, your choice of independent research project by your Programme Administrator.

LIST A:		Credits
HIST20392	Independent Research Project	20

OR		
GERM20802	German Long Essay	20
AND		
GERM51030	German Language 3 (Post-Beginners)	20
OR		
GERM51040	German Language 4 (Post-A-Level)	20

Step 2: You must select at least 20 credits from this list, if you selected HIST20392 in List A.		Min. 0 credits	Max. 40 credits
LIST B:			Credits
GERM20901	Spectres of Fascism: Literature, Film, and the Visual Arts in Germany and Austria since 1945		20
GERM20262	Weimar Culture? Art, Film and Politics in Germany, 1918-33		20

Step 3: Choose 20-60 credits from List C. You may only select 40 if you've selected HIST20392.		Min. 20 credits	60 credits
LIST C:			Credits
HIST21191	Histories of the Islamic World [Not available to those who took HIST10171/2]		20
HIST21211	A Transnational History of Europe in the Short Twentieth Century, c.1917-1991		20
HIST21251	Revolutionary Cities: The Urban World of the Middle Ages		20
HIST20181	Making of the Modern Mind: European Intellectual History in a Global Context		20
HIST21121	Colonial Encounters: Race, Violence and the Making of the Modern World		20
HIST21181	Back to the Future: The Uses and Abuses of History		20
HIST21152	The Stuff of History: Objects Across Borders, 1500-1800		20
HIST20252	Winds of Change: Politics, Society and Culture in Britain, 1899 -1990		20
HIST20482	The Cultural History of Modern War		20
HIST21202	Capitalism in Historical Perspective, 1700-1913 [Not available to those who took HIST10181/2]		20
HIST20422	Late Imperial China: The Great Wall and Beyond		20

Step 4: You must choose between 0 and 40 credits – as appropriate - from List D. If you selected HIST20392 from list A, you must not choose more than 20 credits from this list and must select 20 from List E.		Min. 0 credits	Max. 40 credits
LIST D:			Credits
AMER20141	From Jamestown to James Brown: African American History and Culture		20
AMER21001	The American Civil War		20
CAHE20061	Politics And Society In Classical Greece		20
CAHE20531	Roman Women in 22 Objects		20
HSTM20081	From Cholera to COVID-19: A Global History of Epidemics		20
HSTM20801	In Frankenstein's Footsteps		20
ITAL21011	The Italian Renaissance		20
MEST20271	Themes in the Histories of Arab and Jewish Nationalisms		20
RELT20121	Religion, Culture and Gender		20
RUSS20471	The Revolutions of 1989 and their Aftermaths: Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia		20
UCIL22001 or UCIL22002	Essential Enterprise		10
CAHE20042	The Conquering Hero: The Life, Times and Legacy of Alexander the Great		20
CAHE20052	The Roman Empire 31BC – AD235: Rome's Golden Age		20
GERM20262	Weimar Culture? Art, Film and Politics in Germany, 1918-33		20
HSTM21122	Animals in history: An introduction to human-animal relationships and why they matter		20

ITAL20502	Aesthetics and Politics of Italian Fascism	20
RUSS20242	100 Years of Revolution: From Lenin's Soviet Union to Putin's Russia	20
RUSS20842	Between East and West: Culture, Empire and Nation in Russia	20
SPLA20362	History of Latin America	20
UCIL24002	Entrepreneur: Innovator and Risk-taker	10
Free Choice from any Subject Area in the Faculty of Humanities, including SALC and SoSS, except HISTcoded course units: https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/study/your-programme/courseunit-selection/free-choice/		10 or 20
For free choice units available from the University College for Interdisciplinary Learning , please see: http://www.college.manchester.ac.uk/units/		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

Step 5: If you are selecting 80 credits of history modules, please select 20 of them from List E. If you are taking fewer than 80 history related credits, you do not need to select from this list		Min. 0 credits	Max. 20 credits
LIST E:			Credits
HIST21251	Revolutionary Cities: The Urban World of the Middle Ages		20
CAHE20061	Politics And Society In Classical Greece		20
CAHE20531	Roman Women in 22 Objects		20
HIST21191	Histories of the Islamic World [Not available to those who took HIST10171/2]		20
CAHE20042	The Conquering Hero: The Life, Times and Legacy of Alexander the Great		20
CAHE20052	The Roman Empire 31BC – AD235: Rome's Golden Age		20