

## THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme	<b>BA (Hons) History and Cultures and Societies</b>		
Level of Study	2	Academic Year of Study	<b>2025/2026</b>
Programme Code:	09989	Plan Code:	12977
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### Regulations:

- All Level 2 H&C&S students must take 20-credit Independent Research Project (List A)
- All Level 2 H&C&S students must choose 100 additional credits of optional course units (Lists B-E)
- Level 2 H&C&S students taking 80 credits of History based courses (i.e. not language courses) must take one pre-modern course unit from List E

### After following Steps 1 to 5 below, all Level 2 H&C&S students must have:

- Total selection of exactly 120 credits
- Maximum of 80 credits of HIST-, HSTM- and SALC-coded course units (including HIST20392)
- Maximum of 80 credits of language-coded course units
- 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 relevant below modules by your Programme Administrator

LIST A	Credits
HIST20392 Independent Research Project	20

<b>Step 2 You must enrol on a minimum of 40 credits and a maximum of 80 credits of optional units from List B.</b>	<b>Min. 40 credits</b>	<b>Max. 80 credits</b>
<b>LIST B</b>		<b>Credits</b>
GERM20262 Weimar Culture? Art, Film and Politics in Germany, 1918-33		20
ITAL20502 Aesthetics and Politics in Italian Fascism		20
ITAL21011 The Italian Renaissance		20
RUSS20242 100 Years of Revolution: From Lenin's Soviet Union to Putin's Russia		20
RUSS20472 The Revolutions of 1989 and their Aftermaths: Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia		20
RUSS20841 Between East and West: Culture, Empire and Nation in Russia		20
SPLA20062 Visual Culture in Modern Spain		20
SPLA20161 Writing Women in the Spanish Golden Age		20
SPLA20362 History of Latin America		20

<b>Step 3: Choose 20-40 credits from List C.</b>	<b>20-40 credits</b>
<b>LIST C</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HIST20182 Making of the Modern Mind: European Intellectual History in a Global Context	20
HIST20251 Winds of Change: Politics, Society and Culture in Britain, 1899 -1990	20
HIST20481 The Cultural History of Modern War	20
HIST21122 Colonial Encounters: Race, Violence and the Making of the Modern World	20
HIST21182 Back to the Future: The Uses and Abuses of History	20
HIST21192 Histories of the Islamic World [ <b>Not available to those who took HIST10171/2</b> ]	20
HIST21202 Capitalism in Historical Perspective, 1700-1913 [Not available to those who took HIST10181/2]	20
HIST21211 A Transnational History of Europe in the Short Twentieth Century, c.1917-1991	20
HIST21241 Silk Roads: Eurasian connections from the Mongols to Manila, 1200-1800	20
HIST21251 Revolutionary Cities: The Urban World of the Middle Ages	20
HIST20422 Late Imperial China: The Great Wall and Beyond	20

<b>Step 4: If you have credits remaining, you can choose from List D. If you've taken 40 credits from List C, you cannot take any from List D.</b>	<b>Min. 0 credits</b>	<b>Max. 20 credits</b>
<b>LIST D</b>		<b>Credits</b>
AMER20141 From Jamestown to James Brown: African American History and Culture		20
AMER21002 The American Civil War		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
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
HSTM20592 The Crisis of Nature: Issues in Environmental History		20
HSTM21122 Animals in history: An introduction to human-animal relationships and why they matter		20

MEST20272 Themes in the Histories of Arab and Jewish Nationalisms	20
MEST20501 History of Modern Islamic Thought	20
MCEL20021 Enterprising and Entrepreneurial Futures – Developing the Competencies and Skills to Succeed in a Challenging Global Economy	10
MCEL20031 Enterprising and Entrepreneurial Futures – Developing the Competencies and Skills to Succeed in a Challenging Global Economy	20
RELT20121 Religion, Culture and Gender	20
RELT21082 End of the World and Apocalypticism	20
UCIL24002 Entrepreneur: Innovator and Risk-taker	10
UCIL22001 or UCIL22002 Essential Enterprise	10
<b>For free choice units available in the School of Arts Languages and Cultures</b> please see: <a href="https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/study/your-programme/course-unit-selection/free-choice/">https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/study/your-programme/course-unit-selection/free-choice/</a> A maximum of 20 credits can be taken as free choice outside of the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures.	<b>10 or 20</b>
<b>For free choice units available from the University College for Interdisciplinary Learning</b> , please see: <a href="http://www.college.manchester.ac.uk/units/">http://www.college.manchester.ac.uk/units/</a>	<b>10 or 20</b>
For free choice units available from the <b>University Language Centre</b> , please see: <a href="https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/study/university-language-centre-leap-courses">https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/study/university-language-centre-leap-courses</a>  <b>Note: Academic Advising</b> – Students thinking about taking University Language Centre course units are encouraged to speak with their Academic Advisor to discuss suitable options.	<b>10 or 20</b>

<b>Step 5: If you have credits remaining, you must select 20 credits from List E</b>	<b>Min. 0 credits</b>	<b>Max. 20 credits</b>
<b>LIST E</b>		<b>Credits</b>
HIST21192 Histories of the Islamic World [ <b>Not available to those who took HIST10171/2</b> ]		20
HIST21242 Silk Roads: Eurasian connections from the Mongols to Manilla, 1200-1800		20
HIST21252 Revolutionary Cities: The Urban World of the Middle Ages		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
CAHE20061 Politics And Society In Classical Greece		20
CAHE20531 Roman Women in 22 Objects		20