

Master of Arts (MA)

This is a guide based on the 2026-2027 Graduate Catalog and is subject to change. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on factors such as dual enrollment, remediation, and summer enrollment. Students meet with an academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their progress.

CURRICULUM CHECKLIST**30 Hours Required¹****Required Courses:**

- ___ GH600 Introduction to Public History (3)
- ___ GH610 Methods of Research in History (3)
- ___ Any EH 500 or 600 Level Course (3)
- ___ Any US 500 or 600 Level Course (3)
- ___ Any WH 500 or 600 Level Course (3)
- ___ GR698 Master's Final Comprehensive Examination (0)

Choose 12 Hours:

- ___ Any EH 500 or 600 Level Course, GH 500 or 600 Level Course, HP 500 or 600 Level Course, US 500 or 600 Level Course or WH 500 or 600 Level Course

Choose 1 Group of 3 Hours:

- ___ HP645 Advanced Project in Applied History (3)
- ___ GH680 Teaching Practicum (3)
- ___ GH695 Thesis (3)
- ___ GH601 Independent Study in History (1) and GH601 Independent Study in History (1) and GH605 Capstone Experience (1)

¹ A minimum of 15 hours must be completed at the 600 level.

Admission Requirements

In addition to the criteria established for general admission to graduate studies, applicants must have the following:

1. Undergraduate GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.
2. A letter of intent which indicates how the applicant's past experiences have prepared them for a graduate degree in History and to succeed at the graduate level.

Letters should be addressed to the Director of Admissions. All documents should be submitted directly to the Office of Admissions.

Provisional and Probationary Admission

An applicant lacking any of the above requirements may, under certain circumstances, be admitted provisionally or on probation.

For graduate studies admissions deadlines, visit

<https://semo.edu/admissions/requirements/graduate.html>.

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