**HISTORY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS AS OF SPRING 2016**

Undergraduate History courses at Rutgers-Camden are designated by two sets of numbers, for instance, 510:365.

The first number—which is 509, 510, 512, or 516—indicates the theme or geographical area covered by the course. The 509 prefix refers to courses in “Historical Methods or Research,” the 510 prefix refers to courses in European history, the 512 prefix refers to courses in US history, and the 516 prefix refers to courses covering the rest of the world.

The second number indicates the difficulty level of the course. There are four levels: 100-level, 200-level, 300-level, and 400-level, with 100-level being the least demanding and 400-level being the most demanding.

To complete the requirements of the History major, students must take credits in a range of geographical regions and difficulty levels. These requirements are detailed below.

REQUIRED FOR ALL MAJORS: Perspectives in History (509:299) – 3 credits

* *Students should enroll in Perspectives as soon as possible*

ADDITIONAL 30 CREDITS REQUIRED IN HISTORY COURSES: 510, 512, 516

* 18 of these credits (i.e. 6 classes) must be taken at the 300-400 level
* 18 of these credits must be from history courses taken at Rutgers University
* 12 credits may be at the 100-200 level, but no more than 6 credits are accepted for the major from Western Civilization I & II (510:101, 102) and Development of the United States I & II (512:201, 202)
* At least one 3-credit course must be from EACH of the 3 geographical areas: 510 (European), 512 (U.S.), and 516 (African, Asian, Latin American, and comparative history)
* *TAKING EFFECT IN FALL 2016: no more than 9 credits will be accepted for the major from online courses, of which 6 credits may be at the 100-200 level, and 3 credits may be at the 300-400 level. This policy will NOT apply to students who declared the History major before Fall 2016.*

**Please see the next page for a worksheet to track your completion of the requirements of the major.**

**COURSE NAME CREDITS COURSE NUMBER**

 **EARNED & SEMESTER/YEAR**

1. Perspectives 3 509:299

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3 510:

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3 512:

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3 516:

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