## **HISTORY**

The Department of History offers courses in U.S. and world history and major degrees in both the liberal arts and secondary education. A history minor is also available to nonhistory majors. The department's program in secondary education provides teaching certification. Academic counseling is available for students choosing careers in history.

A degree in history may be an end in itself. It is, however, an excellent choice for anyone who wishes to pursue entry into a wide variety of careers. Many recent graduates have gone on to graduate study in history, law, archaeology, museum studies, library studies, and other fields. The BA degree in History requires 120 credits, with 42 of those in History. Required courses include surveys of US and World History, four skills courses, and electives in four geographical categories (European, US, Asian/African/Latin American, and Transnational) and two chronological categories (pre-1815 and post-1815). At least three courses must be 300-level or higher.