

The recommended four-year plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students will work with their Academic Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

The GC Journeys Program will transform your way of thinking and experiencing college. By participating in five inside and outside the classroom transformative experiences during your time at Georgia College, you will step outside of your usual surroundings, gain authentic experiences, solve problems, become a leader, participate in real-world settings and put ideas into action. Examples of ways to incorporate your GC Journeys options are shared in the plan below.

This recommended Four-Year Plan is applicable to students admitted during the 2020-2021 academic year.

Total Credits Required: 120 credits

Required GPA for Graduation: 2.0 (overall), Earn a grade of C or higher in all HIST courses.

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Year 1									
Fall				Spring				Summer	
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes	
HIST 0001	First Year Academic Seminar	1		Engl 1102	English Composition II	3	A	GC Journeys: First-Year Experience events, programs, and activities will be planned throughout the first year to help you become familiar with GC and develop skills to thrive in the liberal arts environment. GC Journeys: Career Milestones for year one will be completed in First-Year seminar.	
Engl 1101	English Composition I	3	A	HIST 1132	World Civilization II	3	E/F		
Area A Math	Any Area A Math	3	A	Area D Sci	Any area D Science W/lab	4	D		
HIST 1131	World Civilization & Soc I	3	F	Core Choice	Area C1 Humanities and Ethics	3	C		
HIST 2111	The United States to 1877	3	F	Core Choice	Area E Social Science Choice 1	3	E		
GC1Y 1000	Critical Thinking	3	B						
Total		16		Total		16			

Area A and GC1Y 1000 must be completed by 30 earned hours.
 HIST 0001 does not count toward the 120 credit hour graduation requirement.

Year 2										
Fall				Spring				Summer		
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes		
GC2Y 2000	Global Perspectives	4	B	HIST 3001	Historical Research & Writing	3	Major	GC Journeys: Career Milestones for year two are a resume review and creating a Linked In Profile		
HIST 2112	The United States Since 1877	3	F	Upper Level Elec	3000/4000 Level Course	3	Elec			
Foreign Language	Any F. Language 1001 Level	3	Elective	Foreign Language	Any F. Language 1002 Level	3	F			
Core Choice	Area C2 Fine Arts	3	C	Area D	Any Area D Course	4	D			
Area D	Any Area D Course	3	D	Core Choice	Area E Social Science Choice 2	3	E			
Total		16		Total		16				
GC2Y 2000 must be taken between 30-59 earned hours. HIST 3001 must be completed with a C or better prior to signing up for your Senior Thesis course - HIST 4970 Students must complete the same language through the 2002 level.										
Year 3										
Fall				Spring				Summer		
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes		
HIST 4020	Public History	3	Major	HIST 3000-4999	Additional Public History Course	3	Major	GC Journeys: Research lab, practicums, and leadership programs are options that can be used to fulfill electives.		
HIST 3000-4999	Any European History	3	Major	HIST 3000-4999	Any Non-western History	3	Major			
Foreign Language	Any F. Language 2001 Level	3	F	Foreign Language	Any F. Language 2002 Level	3	F			
Upper Level Elec	3000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec	Upper Level Elec	3000-4000 Level Course	3	F			
Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec	Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec			
								GC Journeys: Community-Based Learning (The ENGAGE Project), are hands-on learning courses where you take ideas learned in the classroom and apply them into the community.		
Total		15		Total		15				

Year 4									
Fall				Spring				Summer	
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area		
HIST 4960	Internship	3	Major	HIST 4970	Senior Thesis	3	Major	Notes	
HIST 3000-4999	Any European History	3	Major	HIST 3000-4999	Any upper level History	3	Major	GC Journeys: Senior History majors will complete a capstone course (HIST 4970) which is a GC Journeys transformative experience.	
Upper Level Elec	3000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec	Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec		
Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec	Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec	GC Journeys: Career Milestones for year four are meeting with a Career Advisor for a Senior Check-in and uploading a resume to Handshake.	
Elective	Any 1000-4000 Level Course	3	Elec						
Total		15		Total		12			

You must submit a "Senior Thesis Prospectus" to the department chair prior to entry into HIST 4970. This is due by the term previous to the term that you intend to take the course. A digital portfolio of papers and personal reflection on the program of study to include Senior Thesis to be completed as part of HIST 4970.

Legend	
Area	This section of the plan references the area of the curriculum the course fulfills.
	A=Core Area A: Communication and Quantitative Skills
	B=Core Area B: Institutional Options
	C=Core Area C: Humanities and Fine Arts
	D=Core Area D: Science, Technology, and Math
	E=Core Area E: Social Sciences
	F=Core Area F: Major Directed Core
	Major=Major Required Course
	Elective=a course a student chooses to help meet overall graduation hours.