HISTORY (For Transfer)

DEGREES, CERTIFICATES AND AWARDS
Associate in Arts Degree in History for Transfer (AA-T)

DESCRIPTION
History is the study of all human experience. It examines the people, institutions, ideas, and events of the past. The study of history contributes to cultural literacy, global awareness, and develops critical thinking skills, while helping students understand the present. Historical study provides a solid, fundamental preparation for careers in business, industry, government, and education. It also serves as excellent preparation for law school, Foreign Service, international work, urban affairs, and library science. History is an academic discipline offering both breadth and focus. While it can be valuable for those going into other professions, it also produces a person capable of handling many different jobs and positions where critical analytical skills are in demand.

The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor’s degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing this degree (AA-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES
1. Identify and recall key information from a historical text and be able to describe the causes and/or impact of historical events.
2. Analyze and evaluate historical texts and differentiate between the facts and the author’s interpretation and main thesis.
3. Write an original research paper that includes a bibliography of primary and secondary historical sources and explains different historical interpretations.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM (For Transfer)
The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) or the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor’s degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing these degrees (AA-T or AS-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major. In order to earn one of these degrees, students must complete a minimum of 60 required semester units of CSU-transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.0. Students transferring to a CSU campus that does accept the AA-T or AS-T will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor’s degree (unless the major is a designated “high-unit” major). This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor when planning to complete this degree for more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Of the career opportunities identified many will usually require the completion of degree requirements at 4-year colleges and universities.

- Historian
- Pre-Law/Lawyer
- Foreign Service
- Teacher
- Archivist
- Researcher/Research Analyst
- Museum Curator
- State Park Historian
- Librarian
- Businessperson
- Writer
- Consultant
- Market Research
- Travel
- Historical Societies
- Journalist
- Communications

Gainful Employment: Federal regulations require institutions to provide students with Gainful Employment information for specific certificate programs offered at IVC. Please click on our Programs of Study link to view the information for each certificate program: http://www.imperial.edu/courses-and-programs/programs-of-study/

TRANSFER PREPARATION
Courses that fulfill major requirements for an associate degree at Imperial Valley College may not be the same as those required for completing the major at a transfer institution offering a bachelor’s degree. Students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university should schedule an appointment with an IVC Counselor to develop a student education plan (SEP) before beginning their program.

Transfer Resources:
- www.ASSIST.org – CSU and UC Articulation Agreements and Majors Search Engine
- www.CSUMentor.edu – CSU System Information
- www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/index.html – UC System Information
- www.aiccu.edu – California Independent Colleges and Universities, Association of
- http://wiche.edu/wue – Western Undergraduate Exchange Programs

FINANCIAL AID
Paying for the cost of a college education requires a partnership among parents, students and the college. As the cost of higher education continues to rise we want you to know that IVC offers a full array of financial aid programs – grants, work study, scholarships, and fee waivers (we do not participate in the federal loan programs). These programs are available to both full and part time students who are seeking a degree or certificate. For those who qualify, financial aid is available to help with tuition, fees, books and supplies, food, housing, transportation, and childcare. Please log onto our website for additional information: www.imperial.edu/students/financial-aid-and-scholarships/
ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM

HISTORY
Associate in Arts Degree in History for Transfer (AA-T) – 18.0-20.0 units

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE

I. Units/GPA – Must complete a maximum of 60 CSU-transferable semester units with a minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework. NOTE: While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some institutions and majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.

II. General Education – Must complete one of the following general education transfer patterns:
   A. California State University General Education Breadth Pattern (CSU GE-B) – 39 units minimum
   B. Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) – 37 units minimum

III. Eighteen to Twenty (18-20) units required for the major.
   Required for the Major (6 units)
   HIST 120 United States to 1877 3.0
   HIST 121 United States History: Reconstruction to Present 3.0
   List A: Select two (6 units): 6.0
   Select one from:
   HIST 100 Early World History (3.0)
   OR
   HIST 110 Early Western Civilizations (3.0)
   AND
   Select one from:
   HIST 101 Modern World History (3.0)
   OR
   HIST 111 Modern Western Civilizations (3.0)
   List B: Select one course from each area (3-5 units): 6.0-8.0
   Area 1 (3-5 units):
   AIS/ANTH 106 Indians of North America (3.0)
   AIS/ANTH 108 Indians of the Southwest (3.0)
   ARAB 100 Elementary Arabic (5.0)
   ART 106 Women Artists (3.0)
   ENGL 223 Survey of World Literature (3.0)
   ENGL/HUM 226 Introduction to Mythology (3.0)
   FREN 100 Elementary French I (5.0)
   FREN 110 Elementary French II (5.0)
   FREN 201 Intermediate French I (5.0)
   FREN 211 Intermediate French II (5.0)
   FREN 230 Intermediate Conversational French I (3.0)
   GEOG 108 World Regional Geography (3.0)
   HIST 100* Early World History (3.0)
   HIST 101* Modern World History (3.0)
   HIST/LAS 130 Early Latin America (3.0)
   HIST/LAS 131 Modern Latin America (3.0)
   HIST/LAS 132 History of Mexico (3.0)
   HIST 140 East Asian History (3.0)
   HIST 150 Survey of African History (3.0)
   HIST 160 Middle East from 600 (3.0)
   HIST 220 Women in American History (3.0)
   HIST/LAS 225 Mexican American History (3.0)
   HUM/SPAN 262 Introduction to Chicano/a Studies (3.0)
   POLS 106 Introduction to International Relations (3.0)
   RELS 100 Religions of the Modern World (3.0)
   SPAN 100 Elementary Spanish I (5.0)
   SPAN 110 Elementary Spanish II (5.0)
   SPAN 200 Intermediate Spanish I (5.0)
   SPAN 210 Intermediate Spanish II (5.0)
   SPAN 220 Bilingual Spanish I (5.0)
   SPAN 221 Bilingual Spanish II (5.0)
   SPAN 222 Bilingual Oral Spanish (3.0)
   SPAN 225 Introduction to Spanish American Literature (3.0)
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Total Major Units: 18.0
CSU-GE or IGETC Pattern: 37.0-39.0
Electives (as needed to reach 60 degree applicable units)

**Total Maximum Units:** 60.0
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