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|  | **BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.) IN HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE (120 CREDITS)**  **With MILITARY HISTORY CERTIFICATE** | | | | | | |
|  | The 4-year plan below is for guidance only. Always review your individual check sheet for your degree requirements and progress. For full course descriptions, see the [RMU Course Catalog](https://sentry.rmu.edu/OnTheMove/findoutmore.open_page?ipage=701). **For more information, including on the Political Science Early Law Program, contact: Dr. Soren Fanning, Interim Department Head of Social Sciences and Associate Professor of History at** [**fanning@rmu.edu**](mailto:fanning@rmu.edu) | | | | | | |
|  | **RMU CORE COURSES - 39 CREDITS REQUIRED** | | | | | | |
| CSEN or CSCM | | 1010 or  2050 | Reading & Writing Strategies or  Intercultural Communications (Honors section: CSHR2050) | 3 | | |  |
| CSEN | | 1020 | Argument & Research (Honors section: CSHR1020) | 3 | | |  |
| CSCM | | 1030 | Public Speaking & Persuasion (Honors section: CSHR1030) | 3 | | |  |
| CSCM | | 2040 | Professional Communication in Workplace (Honors section: CSHR2040) | 3 | | |  |
| ECON | | 1020 | Principles of Macroeconomics – Minimum of “C” must be earned | 3 | | |  |
| HUMA | | 1010 | Humanities: Art and Music (Honors section: HUMA1015) | 3 | | |  |
| INFS | | 1020 | Fundamentals of Information Technology (Honors section: INFS1025) | 3 | | |  |
| MATH or MATH or MATH | | 1050 or  1010 or  1020 | Mathematical Reasoning and Application or College Mathematics or  Pre-Calculus | 3 | | |  |
| PSYC | | 1010 | General Psychology (Honors section: PSYC1015) | 3 | | |  |
| HIST | | 1100 | United States History I ((Honors section: HIST1105) – Minimum of “C” must be earned | 3 | | |  |
| SOCI or SOCI | | 1010 or  1020 | Principles of Sociology or  Contemporary American Social Problems (Honors section: SOCI1025) | 3 | | |  |
| ENGL | |  | Literature Elective Choose from 1040, 1050, 1060, 2030, 2040, 2055 (Honors section: ELIT2065), or 2080 | 3 | | |  |
|  | |  | Natural Science Elective Choose from BIOL1040, BIOL1050, BIOL1060, BIOL1250, BIOL1320, CHEM1220, ENVS1140, ENVS1160, ENVS1170, GEOL1090 (HNRS GEOL1095), GEOL1100, GEOL1130, PHYS1060, or SCIE1020 | 3 | | |  |
|  | **MAJOR - 33 CREDITS REQUIRED – Minimum of “C” must be earned for each course** | | | | | | |
| GEOG | | 1020 | World Geography | 3 | | |  |
| HIST | | 1200 | United States History II | 3 | | |  |
| HIST | | 1700 | World Civilizations I | 3 | | |  |
| HIST | | 1800 | World Civilizations II | 3 | | |  |
| POLS | | 1010 | Introduction to Political Science | 3 | | |  |
| POLS | | 1020 | American National Government | 3 | | |  |
| POLS | | 1030 | Comparative Contemporary Political Systems | 3 | | |  |
| POLS | | 1040 | International Relations | 3 | | |  |
| HIST or POLS | | 4800 | Senior Research Project | 3 | | |  |
| HIST or POLS | | 4803 | Political Science Practicum | 3 | | |  |
| HIST or POLS or SOSC | | 3900  3800  3800 | Social Science Research Methods | 3 | | |  |
|  | **RESTRICTED ELECTIVES – 24 CREDITS REQUIRED – Minimum of “C” must be earned for each course** | | | | | | |
| HIST | | 3000+ | Restricted Elective | | 3 |  |  |
| HIST | | 3000+ | Restricted Elective | | 3 |  |  |
| POLS | | 3000+ | Restricted Elective | | 3 |  |  |
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| HIST or POLS | | 3000+ | Restricted Elective | | 3 |  |  |
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|  | **CERTIFICATE – 12 CREDITS REQUIRED – Minimum of “C” must be earned for each course** | | | | | | |
| HIST | | 3100 | American Revolution | | 3 |  |  |
| HIST | | 3120 | Civil War | | 3 |  |  |
| HIST | | 3260 | World War II | | 3 |  |  |
| HIST | | 3280 | Vietnam War | | 3 |  |  |
|  | **OPEN ELECTIVES – 12 CREDITS REQUIRED** | | | | | | |
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A cumulative GPA of 2.00 or higher is required for graduation.

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