# Bachelor of Arts (BA) Social Studies Composite

2018-2019

!	Н	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
	3	Choose 1	Communication (Core)	С	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on ENGL portion of ACT test or TSI reading/writing exams or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302/1388, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301/1387.	See General Education Core for more details Options: ENGL 1301 or ENGL 1305 <b>or</b> ENGL 1387 (H)
!	3	Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details.  Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 1387(H) or HIST/MASC 2327
FALI	3	Choose 1	Mathematics (Core)	С	020	Satisfactory scores on Math portion of ACT test or TSI math exam or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options.
	3	Choose 1	Creative Arts (Core)		050		See General Education Core for course options.
N N	3	ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	С	080		Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
ΥEΑ		UNIV 1301	Learning Framework				Only if required, based on ACT/SAT and high school rank.
ST	15	Semester Total Hours	3				
FIR	3	Choose 1	Communication (Core)	С	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on ENGL portion of ACT test or TSI reading/writing exams or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302/1388, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301/1387.	See General Education Core for more details Options: ENGL 1302 or ENGL 1305 <b>or</b> ENGL 1388 (H)
SPRING	3	Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details.  Options: HIST 1302 or HIST 1388 (H) or HIST/MASC 2328
SPR	3	Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture (Core)		040		See General Education Core for course options.  Recommended: HIST 2321 or HIST 2322.
	3		Government/Political Science (Core)		070		See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2305 or POLS 2385 (H)
	3		Principles of Microeconomics			ECON 2301 with a grade of 'C' or better.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		Semester Total Hours					
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	3	Choose 1	Government/Political Science (Core)		070		See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2306 or POLS 2386 (H)
	4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030		See General Education Core for course options.
FALL	3	Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core	)	090		See General Education Core for course options.
AR	3	HIST 2321	World History I				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
ΥE	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
DNC .	16	Semester Total Hours	3				
20	3	HIST 2322	World History II				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
S	4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030		See General Education Core for course options.
S	1	Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core	)	090		See General Education Core for course options.
SPRING	3	HIST 3300	Historiography and Methods	С			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
o	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
	14	Semester Total Hours	· ·				

CORE: The 2018-2019 list of core courses can be found at: www.utrgv.edu > Academics > Undergraduate > General Education Core www.utrgv.edu/core

# Symbols Key

Critical ('!'): sequence sensitive course.

Minimum Grade: A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.

General Education Core (GEC) Sections: 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences; 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; 090 - Humanities; 090 - Leadership; 090 - Science Labs; 090 - Interdisciplinary; 090 - Technologies; 090 - Language Diversity & Writing.

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	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Elective		HIST 3300	U.S. History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Elective		HIST 3300	<b>European History Electives.</b> See Degree Plan for course options.
FALL	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Restricted Elective		HIST 3300	General History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options. Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.
EAR	3	ECON 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Restricted Elective		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302; additional prerequisites may apply pending course selection	
7 Y	3	33XX-43XX	Free Advanced Elective			
¥	15	Semester Total Hours				
Ė	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Elective		HIST 3300	U.S. History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Elective		HIST 3300	Latin American History Electives. See Degree Plan for course options.
2	3	HIST 3302	Geography and Environment in History		HIST 3300	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
SPRING	3	POLS 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Restricted Elective		POLS 2305 (or POLS 2385); pending course selection may also require POLS 2306 (or POLS 2386)	
	3	33XX-43XX	Free Advanced Elective			
	15	Semester Total Hours				
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		HIST 33XX - 43XX		Min. GE		U.S. History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.  World History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.
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## **Restricted Electives**

Choose 6 hours of advanced History, 6 hours of advanced Political Science, and 6 hours of advanced Economics.

#### Note

HIST 3301 will not count as an advanced HIST elective for this degree plan.

## **Progression Requirements**

Majors must earn a grade of "C" or better in HIST 3300 before taking advanced HIST classes, or may progress at the discretion of the instructor.

## **Graduation Requirements**

In addition to the graduation requirements listed in the UTRGV 2018-2019 Undergraduate Catalog, demonstration of proficiency in a language other than English is required at the undergraduate level equivalent to a minimum of six credit hours. Proficiency can be demonstrated by a college credit exam, a placement test approved through the UTRGV department of Writing and Language Studies, and/or up to six credit hours of college-level language coursework.

120 TOTAL HOURS (63) TOTAL ADVANCED HOURS Approved: Wednesday, March 21, 2018 Revised: Wednesday, May 9, 2018