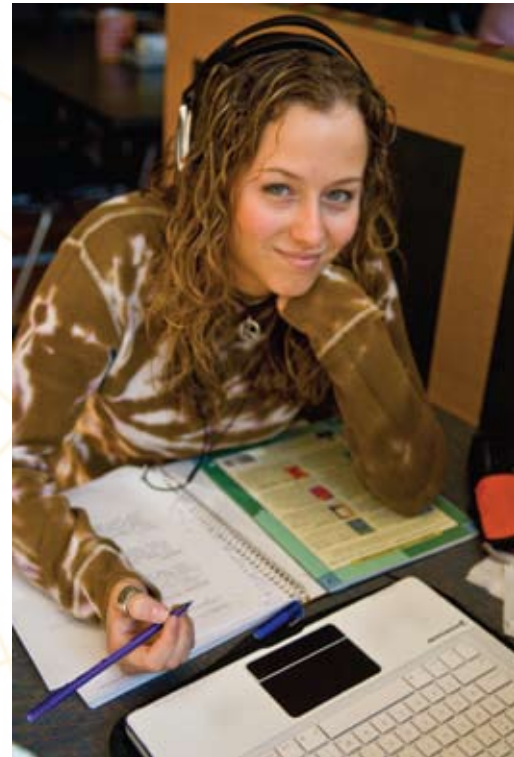




DISCOVER YOURSELF
 DEFINE YOUR WORLD
 DESIGN YOUR FUTURE



The College

- Private, four-year, coeducational college
- Founded in 1894
- 1,798 students from 22 states and 5 countries
- Located in Sioux City, Iowa (greater Siouxland population 143,000)
- 68-acre campus on the National Register of Historic Places

Degrees conferred

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Music Education
- Master of Arts in Teaching

Academic year

- 4-4-1 academic calendar

Campus life

- 50+ student-led clubs and organizations

Majors

- Advertising
- Art
 - Graphic Design
 - Photography
 - Studio
- Biology
- Business Administration
 - Accounting
 - Economics
 - Finance
 - Human Resource Management
 - International Business
 - Management
 - Marketing
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
 - Computer Science
 - Applied Computer Science
- Corporate Communications

• Education

- Elementary
- Secondary
- Special Education
- English
- History
 - American History
- Interdisciplinary (Student-Designed)
- International Affairs
- Mass Communication
- Mathematics
- Medical Technology
- Music
 - Music
 - Music Education

• Music Performance

- Nursing
- Philosophy
- Physics
 - Physics
 - Engineering Physics
 - Engineering Science
- Political Science
- Psychology
 - Biopsychology
 - Counseling
 - General
 - Industrial/Organizational
- Religious Studies
- Spanish
- Theatre

Pre-professional

- Chiropractic
- Dentistry
- Engineering
- Law
- Medical Technology
- Medicine
- Ministry
- Optometry
- Pharmacy
- Physical Therapy
- Physician Assistant
- Veterinary Medicine



The Morningside College experience cultivates a passion for life-long learning and a dedication to ethical leadership and civic responsibility.

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History

Why study HISTORY at Morningside?

Small classes and attentive faculty. Excellent preparation for graduate school and careers in law, government, business, and education. Opportunities to study abroad, conduct independent research, and get real work experience. A chance to participate in local and national political campaigns. An excellent reputation among graduate schools, law schools, and local government agencies.

What makes the program special?

- Graduates with departmental recommendation enjoy a 100 percent placement rate at law schools.
- Students can get plenty of real-world experience by making presentations at professional conferences, writing a senior thesis, and conducting an internship.
- Professors are attentive to students and their goals—a connection that continues even after students graduate.

How will I benefit?

As a history major you will develop

- The ability to read critically, conduct genuine historical research, gather information, evaluate evidence, debate issues, and place issues in their proper historical and human perspective

- An understanding of the human past: ideas, conflict, ambition, personality, wealth and poverty, social interaction, culture, religious values, politics, and economics
- Research, writing, and organizational skills applicable to any career

How about the details? Majors

History majors can choose from

- American history
- American history/American government teaching, which can lead to teacher certification
- American history/world history teaching, which can also lead to teacher certification
- History





HISTORY

Courses

- 131 United States History to 1877
- 132 United States History since 1877
- 150 20th Century World History
- 203 Topics in Early European History
- 204 Topics in Modern European History
- 206 European Civilization
- 209 The Ages of Renaissance, Reformation, and Religious War, 1300 to 1650
- 210 Castles, Crusades, and Cathedrals: Europe in the Middle Ages
- 212 Reason, Religion, and Revolution: Europe in the Modern Era, 1600 to 1945
- 213 Modern Political Theory
- 214 The Greeks and the Romans: The Classical Age
- 223 Topics in Global History
- 229 Modern Southeast Asia
- 233 Topics in the History of the United States
- 237 The Vietnam Wars
- 258 World War II
- 263 History of American Women
- 317 History and Politics of Contemporary Europe
- 323 Imperialism and Colonialism
- 324 Modern East Asia
- 334 Modern Middle East
- 338 History and Politics of Latin America
- 356 The American Revolution
- 358 The United States in the Era of the World Wars, 1900 to 1945
- 359 Contemporary United States History: Campaigns and Elections
- 361 Civil War in America
- 403 Topics in Early European History
- 404 Topics in Modern European History
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- 437 The Vietnam Wars

- 448 United States Constitution
- 450 Internship
- 458 World War II
- 459 United States Foreign Relations
- 463 History of American Women
- 472 Senior Thesis
- 480 Preceptorship

Who are the faculty?

Patrick Bass, Professor

Teaches European and American history, research methods, foreign policy, political thought, and U.S. politics.

Education: B.S., Harvey Mudd College; Ph.D., Claremont Graduate School

Kathleen Green, Instructor

Teaches American and women's history, women in politics, U.S. politics, geography, and teaching methods.

Education: B.A., Hood College; M.A., University of South Dakota

Gregory Guelcher, Associate Professor

Teaches world, Asian and Middle Eastern history, imperialism, and Vietnam history.

Education: B.S., College of Wooster; M.A., Ph.D., University of Illinois

Lillian Lopez, Associate Professor

Teaches Latin American history, U.S. history, the Constitution, world politics, U.S. and international law, and women's rights.

Education: B.A., University of Puerto Rico; M.A., University of South Dakota; J.D., University of Puerto Rico School of Law

Patrick McKinlay, Associate Professor
Teaches European history, political thought, U.S. politics, international relations, citizenship, and political economy.

Education: B.A., University of Northern Iowa; M.A., Ph.D., University of Notre Dame

What happens inside the classroom?

- You'll develop strong writing skills and the ability to present arguments and ideas clearly and logically.
- In the course "The Study of History," you'll learn and practice the principles and methods of historical research and writing.
- You'll examine the evolution of social, religious, and cultural institutions and ideas throughout history.
- With instructor permission, you can explore in depth a subject of particular interest or timeliness.
- You'll read about some of the most important figures and events in history and analyze their impact and relevance to modern society.

What happens outside the classroom?

Internships.

Available in schools, museums, historic preservation groups, and local government agencies, such as:

- SIMPCO, a regional planning agency
- The City of Sioux City Historic Preservation Commission
- The Sioux City Public Museum Education Department
- County Judicial Magistrate's Office
- U.S. District Attorney's Office
- City of Sioux City Archives and Public Museum

Independent study. Some of the areas our students have recently chosen to explore through independent studies include

- Nineteenth-century military and political history
- The Cold War
- Church history
- American political thought

- Modern Japanese history
- Revolutions

Directed summer studies. Work on a research paper, independent study, or internship during the summer and complete it the following semester for academic credit.

Community projects. Use your specialized skills and knowledge in ways that benefit the community:

- Museum work in education and archival preservation
- Participation in Survey Research in historic preservation
- Writing a nomination paper for National Register of Historic Places
- Conducting interviews and research for the Sioux City Oral History Project

What else can I do?

- Promote the principles of your political party, participate in party organization, and develop your leadership skills as a member of the College Republicans or Democrats.
- Work for the local offices of Congressional Representatives or United States Senators.
- Join the Morningside Civic Union, a group that encourages civic engagement and promotes awareness of political and social issues.
- Share your views or report the news in The Collegian Reporter student newspaper.
- If you're planning a teaching career, participate in the Iowa State Education Association-Student Program, which sponsors service projects and special panels related to education.
- Serve on the committee that decides awards and plans parties for the department.

Where can I go from here?

Careers. A sampling of the jobs our alumni hold:

- Manager, Freedom Trail Foundation, Boston, MA
- History and government teacher and head football coach, Lawton Bronson Community Schools, Lawton, IA



- Elementary school counselor, Fredericksburg, VA
- Attorney, Kruse & Dakin, LLP, Boone, IA
- Naval officer, Naval Intelligence, U.S. Navy
- Historic preservation officer, South Dakota State Historical Society, Pierre, SD
- Manager, Danish Immigration Museum, Elk Horn, IA
- Minister, Chicagoland Community Church, Chicago, IL

Graduate and professional school.

Recent graduates have been accepted into programs such as:

- Drake University Law School, with a full tuition fellowship
- Historic Preservation Graduate Program at Ball State University
- Fulbright Scholarship for European studies, Brussels, Belgium
- Seminary at Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas
- Legal Librarian Program at Emporia State University, Kan.
- MA Program in History, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- James Madison Fellowship Program for Secondary Teachers of Social Studies and History
- U.S. Naval Graduate Program in Military Intelligence
- Rural Development and Planning M.A. Program at University of Western Illinois
- Master in Public Administration Program, University of South Dakota
- Public History and Preservation M.A. Program at St. Cloud State University, Minn.

