

## **Minor in History**

### **Why Minor in History?**

The minor is designed to address the needs of students in other fields who wish to gain a broad base in the humanities and social sciences by incorporating historical perspective into their majors and thus enhance their ability to reach higher levels of achievement in their own professional specialization. We believe that a history minor would enrich upper level history courses for all students because of the increased variety of perspectives brought to such classes by students majoring in different disciplines.

#### **How to declare a History Minor:**

1. See Dr. Joy Wiltenburg, advisor, to discuss requirements for the minor. She is located in Robinson Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, History Department, Room 216D. To make an appointment by email at [wiltenburg@rowan.edu](mailto:wiltenburg@rowan.edu) or by phone at 856-256-4500, ext. 3992.
2. Declare the History minor at the Career Center on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of Savitz Hall.

#### **The Course of Study for a Minor in History:**

##### **The curriculum consists of 18 credits in history, including:**

1. At least three courses (9 credits) at the 300 or 400 level.
2. At least one course at either the introductory or advanced level must be taken in each of the following areas of concentration: American (3 credits), European (3 credits) and Global (3 credits).
3. Minors must maintain at least a 2.0 GPA in all history courses.
4. Minors are encouraged, but not required, to take *Historical Methods-WI* (Hist.05.306).
5. Students pursuing the minor should plan their courses in collaboration with Dr. Wiltenburg or a Department History faculty member in addition to an advisor from their major.

#### History Department Faculty:

Dr. Corinne Blake, Middle East  
Dr. Emily Blanck, Early America  
Dr. Kelly Duke-Bryant, African  
Dr. William Carrigan, US/19<sup>th</sup> Century (**Chair**)  
Dr. Stephen Hague, Modern European/British  
Dr. James Heinzen, Russia  
Dr. Melissa Klapper, US/Cultural/Urban  
Dr. Lee Bruce Kress, US (**Emeritus**)  
Dr. Janet Lindman, US/Women  
Dr. Scott Morschauser, Ancient  
Dr. Chanelle Rose, African American  
Dr. Christy Thornton, Latin America  
Dr. Edward Wang, Asian  
Dr. Joy Wiltenburg, European