

Overview of the Master's Program "American History, Culture and Society"

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4th Semester (Summer)	P 4 (30 CP) Master's Thesis Module <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thesis • Class on Writing a Thesis 					30 CP
	↑ P 4 must be completed (one class and the thesis)					
3rd Semester (Winter)	P 3 (12 CP) New Fields of Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Lecture 	WP 9 (12 CP) Literature and Media: Advanced Case Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 10 (6 CP) Interdisciplinary Theories and Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Course 	WP 11 (12 CP) History and Society: Advanced Case Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 12 (6 CP) Independent Study Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independent Research and Fieldwork 	30 CP
	↑ P 3 must be completed (two classes)	↑ CHOOSE two out of four	↑ modules for 18 credit points*	↑ (i.e. one 12 CP module with two classes and one 6 CP	↑ module with one class)	
2nd Semester (Summer)	P 2 (12 CP) Major Research Traditions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Lecture 	WP 5 (12 CP) Literature and Media: Advanced Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 6 (6 CP) Literary and Media Studies: Advanced Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Course 	WP 7 (12 CP) History and Society: Advanced Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 8 (6 CP) The Study of History: Advanced Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Course 	30 CP
	↑ P 2 must be completed (two classes)	↑ CHOOSE two out of four	↑ modules for 18 credit points	↑ (i.e. one 12 CP module with two classes and one 6 CP	↑ module with one class)	
1st Semester (Winter)	P 1 (12 CP) American Studies: Fields and Topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Lecture 	WP 1 (12 CP) Literature and Media: Basic Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 2 (6 CP) Literary and Media Studies: Basic Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Course 	WP 3 (12 CP) History and Society: Basic Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Seminar • Reading Course 	WP 4 (6 CP) The Study of History: Basic Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Course 	30 CP
	↑ P 1 must be completed (it consists of two classes)	↑ CHOOSE two out of four	↑ modules for 18 credit points	↑ (i.e. one 12 CP module with two classes and one 6 CP	↑ module with one class)	

P = Pflichtmodul/compulsory module, WP = Wahlpflichtmodul/elective module, CP = Credit Points

***ALTERNATIVE OPTION in the THIRD SEMESTER:** Choose 18 credit points from programs offered in the "Profilbereich" (Profile Area) by other disciplines at the LMU. Please note that many courses in the "Profilbereich" will be taught in German.

This overview represents the general template of modules and courses to be completed in the program. **The classes offered in this study program have individual titles.**