Linn-Benton Community College

**History**
How do the actions of our past affect the current world? This research-focused history degree program, delivered on-campus and online, explores that question and more to prepare students for successful careers as leading thinkers in the workforce. Students immerse themselves in a robust program to better understand contemporary global issues by searching for patterns and relationships from our history.

In addition, students will gain well-rounded intellectual development and essential career skills in critical thinking, writing, argumentation and documentation.

**Your Bachelor’s Degree (BA/BS) in the College of Liberal Arts**

- A minimum of 180 credits are required for graduation; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 credits earned at a community college may be applied toward a bachelor’s degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 can be accepted.
- Some courses can count towards your major and the Baccalaureate Core. Check with your advisor.
- Options available. See "Important Notes".
- See the OSU Catalog for a list of courses required for your major and option: [catalog.oregonstate.edu](http://catalog.oregonstate.edu)

**Courses for this Major** (offered at Linn-Benton Community College)

Priority courses to complete before transferring are distinguished by P

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HST 350, HST 351, HST 391 and HST 392 (do NOT satisfy the upper division non-US/non-European history major requirements; do NOT count as upper division courses at OSU)
Important Notes & Resources

Important Notes for the College and Major:
- Grade requirements can vary; refer to your OSU advisor.
- See a sample degree plan by searching “History” at admissions.oregonstate.edu/find-your-major
- Other similar majors to explore: Religion, Philosophy, English
- Your choice of Major Survey courses and some Baccalaureate Core are priority courses to complete before transferring to OSU.
- Talk with an OSU advisor about your specific timeline for the best time to transfer.
- It is important to speak with your OSU advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

Resources and OSU Information:
- Students do not have to complete a transfer degree in order to transfer to OSU.
  o If you’ve completed the Oregon AAOT, all requirements of the Baccalaureate Core are complete except for Synthesis Courses and Writing Intensive Courses.
- Preparing to apply to OSU? See admissions info: oregonstate.edu/admissions/transfer.html
- Want to take classes at both OSU and an Oregon community college simultaneously? Check out the Degree Partnership Program: partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students
- Visit OSU for a campus tour and meet with an advisor; schedule your visit at visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus

General Education Courses (called the Baccalaureate Core)
- Complete one course in each Perspectives category with no more than two in the same department.
- For full listing of courses that fulfill Baccalaureate Core, please refer to https://admissions.oregonstate.edu/baccalaureate-core-course-equivalencies-linn-benton-community-college

Liberal Arts Core
- Additional 15 credit minimum core of classes for all Liberal Arts majors.
- For full listing of courses that fulfill Liberal Arts Core, please refer to your advisor.
BA/BS Degree Requirements

**BA Requirement:** Second-year proficiency in a second language (including ASL) at the college level with at least a C–.

**BS Requirement:** A minimum 15-credit block of science, computer science, and quantitative studies

For more details and a full list of courses, visit [https://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/liberal-arts/#collegerequirementstext](https://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/liberal-arts/#collegerequirementstext)

Advising Contacts

It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. **See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan.** Also, consider visiting OSU to take a campus tour and meet with an advisor. See [visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus](https://visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus) to schedule your personalized visit.

| Linn-Benton Community College | [https://www.linnbenton.edu/current-students/student-support/advising-center/academic-advising.php](https://www.linnbenton.edu/current-students/student-support/advising-center/academic-advising.php) |
| OSU History | [https://liberalarts.oregonstate.edu/shpr/history/students/advisers](https://liberalarts.oregonstate.edu/shpr/history/students/advisers) |
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