

2019 MAJOR – Modern History

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Archaeology)

Studying modern history gives students a rich perspective on the evolution of today's complex world, by considering continuity, change, contingency and context. Using a wide range of sources and methods historians can provide a perspective on change over time that can inform current decision-making and policy contexts. As well as being the home of 'Big History', Modern History offers diverse programs of study, with particular strengths in Australian, World and European history. The Modern History major develops important transferable skills in critical and analytical thinking, communication, cultural awareness, problem-solving, social engagement and sound judgement, for a range of career opportunities in the fields of diplomacy and foreign affairs, journalism, travel and tourism, heritage and cultural agencies, administration, research and education. History units also complement most other disciplines, especially politics, law, international studies, education and the social sciences.



The table below is a suggested first session for students beginning in Session 2, 2019. Please make your selection of units after reviewing the requirements of your award in the 2019 Handbook:

www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Archaeology

Suggested First Session

Session 2, 2019

Unit Code	Unit Name
AHIS191	World Archaeology
MHIS114 or MHIS121	The World Since 1945: An Australian Perspective After the Black Death: Europe 1348-1789
ACSH100 or ABST100	Academic Communication in the Social Sciences and Humanities Introducing Indigenous Australia
Elective	Choose an elective unit

- You must also meet the general requirements for the degree for which you will qualify.
- It may be possible to satisfy the requirements of your degree by taking a different selection of units in your first session from those suggested above.
- Consider what units you will want to study in second and third year. Prerequisite requirements for those units must be completed prior to enrolment in the higher-level unit.
- You must select a Professional and Community Engagement (PACE) unit as part of the elective component of your degree. It is important to plan ahead for this requirement and allocate elective space for your chosen PACE unit. A list of eligible units is available at www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Units/PACE.
- For a double major complete required units for both majors where possible in the first year. If considering a double major consult the criteria found at www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Majors.

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- You can receive specific program advice from the faculty at any stage in your degree by lodging a “Program Advice” enquiry via <http://ask.mq.edu.au>.



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