



# DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

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## Dear Student,

This short bulletin will reach you at the end of the fall term, just in time for the holidays! We hope your first semester in university has been rewarding and enriching. As the semester comes to an end and you start thinking of the year ahead, the information in this bulletin will help you learn more about the exciting opportunities that the Department of History offers.

The **Undergraduate Program in History** at Queen's offers a unique learning experience that leaves our graduates with a deep insight into the roots of the contemporary world. A degree in History involves training in historical thinking with an emphasis on analysis, critical thinking, research, communication, and writing skills, which in turn prepare our students for a diverse range of careers, including law, education, public policy, business, museums, publishing, research, and media.

- **Small seminar classes:** Seminars offer a supportive and welcoming atmosphere, where students get to know the professors and fellow classmates.
- **Peer Advising Team in History (PATH):** Upper-year students offer advising appointments to first-year students and answer questions about History.
- **Independent research courses:** Students profit from the rich learning experience of independent historical research under the supervision of a faculty member.
- **The History Department Student Council (DSC):** The heart of our undergraduate community, hosting social and academic events to connect students across campus.
- **Internship opportunities:** Expand the educational experience outside the classroom. Internship placements include museums, academic publishing, libraries and archives, research, teaching, and marketing.
- **Questions?** Get in touch with Alex Geris, History's Undergraduate Program Assistant at [hist.undergrad@queensu.ca](mailto:hist.undergrad@queensu.ca).

**All the best, and happy holidays!**