M.A./Advanced Certificate Social Studies Education

Degree Requirements M. A. (39-42 Total Credits) / Advanced Certificate (24-29 Credits)

I. Content Core (15 credits) for M.A. Candidates Only
   In addition to the prerequisites listed above, students will take five history courses
   1. _____ HIW 533 (3) World History and Historiography
      (Taken concurrently with ESC 533) in the fall semester
   2. _____ HIU 534 (3) U.S. History and Historiography
      (Taken concurrently with ESC 534) in the spring semester
   3. _____ Optional history course achieving a balance among American, European, and
      Non-European histories (3)
   4. _____ Optional history course achieving a balance among American, European, and
      Non-European histories (3)
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      Non-European histories (3)

II. Pedagogical Core (21 credits)
   A total of 18 graduate credits in sequence:
   General Education (+12 credits)
   1. _____ ESC 501 (3) Psychological Foundations of Education (+25 field hours)
   2. _____ ESC 502 (3) Historical Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective
      (+25 field hours)
   3. _____ ESC 506 (3) Special Needs Education/TESOL/Secondary
   4. _____ ESC 529 (3) Language, Literacy and Educational Technology (+25 field hours)
   Social Studies Education (+9 credits)
   1. _____ ESC 533 (3) Teaching World History in Middle and High School
      (Taken concurrently with HIW 533) in the fall semester (+25 field hours)
   2. _____ ESC 534 (3) Teaching U.S. History and Government
      (Taken concurrently with HIU 534) in the spring semester
   3. _____ ESC 708 (3) Project Seminar in Curriculum, Materials, and Assessment in
      Specialized Areas in the fall semester

III. Practicum for Current Teachers or Student Teachers (3-6 credits)
   Student Teachers
   Current Teachers
   1. _____ ESC 595 (2) Internship in Classroom Teaching
   2. _____ ESC 611 (1) Seminar in Secondary and TESOL Education
   Student Teachers
   1. _____ ESC 596 (3) Student Teaching in Middle and High School; and
   2. _____ ESC 612 (3) Seminar in Secondary and TESOL Education

Additional Social Science 3-Credit Courses Required for NYS 7-12 Social Studies Certification

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