

Academic Year 2026/27

Master of Arts in Public History

Code: 4169F/P

Notes

- (i) These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.
- (ii) A core module is a module which a student must pass.
- (iii) A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.
- (iv) All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning, distance learning or blended.

1. Programme Structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 1 year. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 2 years starting in September.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180, with a maximum of 70 credits in Semesters 1 or 2.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type	Mode
HIS8098	Research Skills and Dissertation Training	20	10	10		7		
HIS8121	Dealing with Difficult Pasts: International Public Histories	20		20		7		
HIS8123	Oral History and Public History	20	20			7		
HIS8125	Public History Project	60			60	7		

Candidates must take 20 credits and may take up to 40 credits from List A below.

List A:

MCH8552	Heritage Processes: global Perspectives, practises and politics	20		20		7		
MCH8612	Heritage Lives: Media, Messages and Form	20	20			7		

Candidates must take 20 credits and may take up to 40 credits from List B below

List B:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type	Mode
ARA8291	Practicing Archaeology in a New World - Decolonisation, Heritage and Stakeholder Engagement	20	20			7		
HIS8053	Conflict in European History: Case Studies	20	20			7		
HIS8061	The Practice of History	20	20			7		
HIS8120	Missions, Missionaries and Empires in World History: British, European and Informal Empires	20	20			7		
HIS8145	The First Information Revolution? Print Culture and the Public Sphere in Early Modern Europe	20		20		7		
HIS8173	In Sickness and in Health: Historical perspectives on patients, diseases and healthcare workers	20		20		7		

With the approval of the Degree Programme Director and depending upon the academic background of the candidate, alternative optional modules to those listed above to the value of up to 20 credits may be selected from MA modules within the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. These credits could consist of an MA module from within the School of History, Classics and Archaeology, continuation of language study, or an MA module from within the Faculty.

- (e) The pattern of study for part-time students is negotiated on an individual basis with the Degree Programme Director.

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module is explained in the module outline.