

# History and Global Studies

# **Overview of the Major**

Tyndale's Bachelor of Arts degree in History and Global Studies will teach you to think critically and write persuasively about the political theories, social patterns and cultural traditions of the past so that you can make a difference for the future. Faculty members will engage you at a personal level and prepare you to make connections and communicate your own thoughts effectively. So that you can be successful in graduate and professional studies and/or in your career.

# **Careers in the Field**

This is not a complete list, but a broad overview of job titles to consider.

- Administrative Officer
- Anthropologist
- Archaeologist
- Archivist
- Bank Manager
- Biographer
- Broadcaster
- Canadian Security Intelligence Service
- Career Officer in Military Service
- College Professor
- Community Relations Director
- Conservation Technician
- Cultural Advisor/Bilingual Consultant
- Cultural Resources Manager
- Curator
- Customs Officer
- Demographer
- Economist
- Editor
- Foreign Correspondent
- Foreign Service Officer

- Investigator
- Journalist
- Judge
- Lawyer
- Librarian
- Linguist
- Lobbyist
- Marketing Research Analyst
- Media Consultant
- Mediator
- Military Historian
- Municipal Administrator
- Museum Director
- Museum Researcher
- Office Assistant
- Paralegal
- Personnel Manager
- Policy Analyst
- Political Scientist
- Public Relations Officer
- Publication Assistant

- Foundation Staffer
- Gallery Assistant
- Genealogist
- Historian
- Historic Site Interpreter
- Historical Artifact Conservator
- Historical Sites Administrator
- Information Officer
- International Relations Specialist
- Interpretive Guide

- Radio/ TV Researcher
- Records Manager
- Researcher
- Social Scientist
- Teacher
- Television Production Assistant
- Tour Guide
- University/College Professor
- Writer

## Skills Developed as a History and Global Studies major

- Ability to write clearly and read critically
- Understanding of the types and uses of historical evidence
- Familiarity with the range and diversity of human society
- Perspective to compare and contrast different historical eras
- Educated to overcome bias
- Trained to synthesize large amounts of information

### **Graduate Degree Options**

Here are some degrees to consider after you graduate as a History major. This is not an exhaustive list but merely represents Graduate degrees related to the History field. Some Doctoral programs will have direct entry from Undergraduate degrees as well.

BEd (Bachelor of Education) PhD (Doctor of Philosophy) in History JD (Juris Doctor) MA (Master of Arts) Ancient Culture, Religion and Ethnicity MA Anthropology MA Classics MA Cultural Studies MA History MA Peace and Conflict Studies MA Public Policy MEd (Master of Education)

#### **Professional Associations and Organizations**

Canadian Council of Archives: http://www.cdncouncilarchives.ca

Canadian Historical Association (CHA/SHC): <u>http://www.cha-shc.ca/</u>

Canadian Museums Association: <u>http://www.museums.ca/</u>

Jurist Canada - The Legal Education Network: <u>http://jurist.law.utoronto.ca/</u>

The National Trust for Canada: <u>https://nationaltrustcanada.ca/</u>

American Association for State and Local History: <a href="http://www.aaslh.org/">http://www.aaslh.org/</a>

American Historical Association: <u>http://www.historians.org/</u>

Society of American Archivists: <a href="http://www.archivists.org/">http://www.archivists.org/</a>