



MAJORING IN HISTORY AT LA ROCHE COLLEGE

To prepare for citizenship in a 21st-century global economy, one must have a firm grasp of the past. If you are considering a career in law, politics or business, an undergraduate degree in history from La Roche College will provide you with a strong foundation. International in focus, the La Roche program provides a broad overview of American and European history as well as the history of developing nations in Latin America, Asia and Africa.

The La Roche Approach

For you to obtain an edge before you graduate, you need a solid base of knowledge and the chance to gain practical experience integrating history into the modern world. You will have that opportunity at La Roche.

Our history program's international focus, which connects U.S. History with the histories of other regions of the world, is unique in our region. The program involves eight different career tracks, which are tailored to meet your specific career goals. We offer programs specially geared toward students interested in government, law, business, journalism, non-governmental organizations, secondary education, archives, museum and public history studies and graduate school. Each track involves internship and fieldwork possibilities to provide practical skills in the course of study. All tracks provide a unique global perspective, the opportunity to sharpen analytical skills, and a rich body of knowledge of U.S. and world history that has a vibrant relevance to present and future developments.

Want to see how professionals in the field work? You'll have that chance through our internship program. Our students have interned at a variety of locations, including the Heinz History Museum, the Andy Warhol Museum and the Fort Pitt Museum.

Faculty Focus

Members of La Roche's faculty who teach history include a professor who recently participated in a forum hosted by the International Peace Academy (IPA) in New York City. The forum brought together a dozen expert scholars who helped create the IPA's Security-Development Nexus Program, which will offer concrete policy recommendations to the UN on how to achieve sustainable peace and development in conflict-prone nations. Another professor recently taught in the acclaimed Semester at Sea program, which brings college students from across the nation together to learn as they travel the world. Several of La Roche's history professors are prolific authors.



What Can I Do With My Degree?

A degree in History prepares students for a wide variety of careers:

- Government and politics
- Law
- Journalism
- International business
- Secondary school teachers
- Archival and museum work
- Graduate school

Tell Me More!

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