HUMANITIES, B.A.

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: Harrisburg

Program Learning Objectives

• Think critically about materials from varied Humanities disciplines and points of view.
  • Write analytical and interpretive essays that effectively integrate the perspectives of two or more Humanities disciplines.
  • Comprehend, interpret, and evaluate visual and written texts.

• Write and speak clearly and persuasively about complex subjects involving multiple Humanities disciplines and perspectives.
  • Demonstrate the ability to use spoken, written, and visual language to communicate complex ideas.
  • Employ a wide range of strategies to communicate effectively with a variety of audiences.

• Understand the methods, approaches, and significant content of several disciplines within the Humanities.
  • Identify and assess a variety of interpretive methods in the Humanities.
  • Effectively employ a variety of the interpretive methods in the Humanities in written work and oral presentations.
  • Explain and analyze the relationship between texts and the historical periods that produced them.

• Demonstrate the ability to conduct in-depth research in the Humanities.
  • Locate, evaluate, and interpret major scholarship in the Humanities.
  • Demonstrate understanding of significant questions and problems in the Humanities.
  • Integrate source materials effectively into essays on a variety of topics.

• Apply and extend the understanding of goals 1 through 4 effectively in internships, employment, further academic or professional study, creative work, or voluntary activity after graduation.