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# *History*



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# Subject Overview

History is the study of the entire human past from the beginnings of humankind to your last thought. Historians highlight the complexity of human experience and causation. We welcome lively debate on why today's world is as it is, but insist on evidence as the basis of argument.

## What Will You Be Studying?

History at the University of Galway offers a wide range of topics from medieval to modern history and from Ireland to Australasia. In Semester 1 of First Year, you will study Ireland and Europe from the French Revolution to World War I, followed in Semester 2 by the impact of St. Patrick in Ireland and the conquest of the Americas. In Second and Final Year, you are free to choose from a broad menu of social, political and cultural history modules.

## Career Opportunities

Our graduates work in the diplomatic and civil service, international development, NGOs, marketing and media, law, heritage, and education.

<b>Subject Name:</b>	History
<b>Course Code:</b>	GY101
<b>CAO Entry Points 2025:</b>	350
<b>Duration:</b>	3 Years BA / 4 Years BA (International)
<b>Entry Requirements:</b>	Minimum Grade H5 in two subjects and passes in four other subjects at O6/H7 in the Leaving Certificate, including Irish, English, another language and three other subjects recognised for entry purposes.