

Thank you for your interest in the Master of Arts in History program at Simmons College. Due to the recent addition of this program, the History degree is not represented in our current application. Please use the following guidelines to apply to the program.

1. On the eighth page of the application, please write “Master of Arts in History” next to the DESIRED PROGRAM OF INTEREST (SELECT ONE) header.
2. For the STATEMENT OF PURPOSE/ESSAY QUESTIONS, please address the following questions:
 - a. In 500 words or more, discuss your reasons for pursuing history at the graduate level.
 - b. What intellectual preparation do you bring to the program, in history and related disciplines?
 - c. What areas of history interest you most and why?
 - d. What do you hope to gain from the further study of history?
3. Please submit the following additional requirements:
 - a. An analytical writing sample, preferably a research paper written for a college course
 - b. At least one, and preferably both, of the recommendations should come from academic sources
 - c. Interview (recommended)

Please call 617-521-2915 or email gsa@simmons.edu with questions.