**Proposed Revision to the History Honors Program (3/3/08)**

*Note: The primary need for this revision was to make sure the History Honors Program required the same number of credit hours for completion as the normal BA degree in History. Due to an oversight, the change to the History Honors Program was not made when the department revised its major several years ago.*

**Current History Honors Program**
The History Honors program for History is a 36sh credit hour program. The application procedure and specific program requirements are listed below.

Application:
1. Open to all students with a 3.5 GPA in History after completion of 15 hours in History.
2. Students should apply to departmental chair.
3. Applications will be reviewed by the departmental chair and the student’s mentor.

Requirements:
1. History 491 Honors Research Thesis (6 hours) (The thesis will be supervised by the student’s mentor and reviewed by an additional History faculty member.)
2. Students must complete their History major with a minimum 3.5 GPA.

**Proposed History Honors Program**
The History Honors program in a *39 credit hour* program that includes the History major. The application procedure and specific program requirements are listed below.

Application:
1. Open to all students with a 3.5 GPA in History after completion of 15 hours in History.
2. Students should apply to departmental chair.
3. Application will be reviewed by the departmental chair and the student’s mentor.

Requirements:
1. Completion of the History BA Major with a 3.5 GPA in courses applied toward the major.
2. His 499 Honors Research Thesis (6 sh) The 6sh thesis will fulfill the 6sh electives required in the major. The thesis is supervised by the student’s mentor and reviewed by an additional history faculty member.