Learning Goals for the MA in Comparative Humanities

Core Skills

1. Beginning-graduate level skills in scholarly research, writing, and oral presentation.
2. The ability to understand and evaluate complex interdisciplinary arguments in the humanities and related fields.
3. The ability to develop and implement an independent learning and research agenda.

Knowledge

4. An understanding of how humanistic inquiry has been conceived and how it relates, conceptually and institutionally, to other kinds of scholarly inquiry.
5. An acquaintance with a wide range of modern interdisciplinary and cross-cultural ideas and methodologies in the humanities.

Social Justice

6. An understanding of how humanistic thought relates to questions of social justice across different historical periods, geographies, and cultures.