

HISTORY

COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT POLICY STATEMENT

I. PURPOSE AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

A. Library Collection Development Objective

The Library seeks to support curricular development and student and faculty research in history, including the primary fields of United States, Latin America, European, and Asian history, and Asian history and Africa, Middle Eastern, and Women's history as secondary fields. It supports the needs of undergraduate and graduate students, and faculty.

B. Description of User Groups Supported

The following changes in user population were observed during the five years prior to 2006: Native American History to the Present, especially Southeastern groups and American Political Culture, Colonial North America and the Atlantic World, the American Revolutionary Era, Spanish Borderlands, the American West, the Early Republic, American Legal and Constitutional History, Nineteenth-Century Social (emphasis in antebellum US), Women and Gender, and Latin America (Colonial and modern).

C. New and Expanding Areas of Interest

New and expanding areas of interest are: African, Middle Eastern, Afro-American, and Women's history courses.

D. Areas of Established Specialization

Areas of established specialization are in the areas of United States, Latin American, European, and Asian history.

II. TREATMENT OF SUBJECT DEPTH

A. Treatment of Depth

To support the History Program, the library will collect materials in the following subject areas at the Advanced Study or Instruction Support Level (3C):

Subject Subdivision	Collecting Level
African History	3C
African American History	3C
African nationalism	3C
American and German Cultural Studies	3C
Ancient History	3C
Antebellum South	3C
Asia	3C
Colonial North America	3C
Constitutional History	3C
Diplomacy and International Studies	3C
Early American Social and Cultural History	3C
Early Modern Europe	3C
East Asia	3C
Economic History	3C
France	3C
French Revolutionary and Napoleonic Era, 1789-1815	3C
Genealogy	3C
Georgia History	3C
German History	3C
Heraldry	3C
Historiography and Philosophy of History	3C
Islamic History	3C
Jewish Studies	3C
Latin America	3C
Legal History	3C
Local and Regional History	3C
Mexico	3C
Middle East	3C
Modern Britain	3C
Modern Europe	3C
Multiculturalism	3C
Native American	3C
New South	3C
North America	3C
Numismatics	3C
Pan-Africanism	3C
Popular Culture Studies	3C
Race and Gender (U.S.)	3C
Reformation	3C
Religious History (Southern U.S.)	3C
Renaissance	3C
Revolutionary and Early U.S.	3C

Revolutionary Europe to 1914	3C
Science and Civilization	3C
Science, History of	3C
Scotland	3C
South Asia	3C
Southern States	3C
Spanish Borderlands	3C
U.S. History 1789-1850, 1877-1932, 1920-1945, 1945-Present	3C
U.S. Civil War History	3C
U.S. Constitutional and Legal History	3C
U.S. Diplomatic History	3C
U.S. Intellectual History	3C
U.S. Political History	3C
U.S. Social History	3C
U.S. West	3C
U.S. Women's History	3C
Vietnamese Conflict	3C
Women and Gender in Africa	3C
Women's History	3C
Women- Social Conditions	3C
World Military History	3C

B. Specific Delimitations

Formats collected: Microformat collections, Monographs, Periodicals extensively, Annuals and other serials, Audiovisual, Electronic, Maps, Reference tools, selectively, Dissertations, Textbooks, Other excluded.

Imprint dates collected: Current, 20th century extensively, 19th century, Earlier excluded.

Chronological focus: Current, 20th century, 19th century, Earlier extensively.

Languages collected: English extensively.

Place of Publication: United States extensively.