

## History Department Senior Assessment Timeline

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### FALL SEMESTER 2024

F September 27 (Week 4)	draft of Honors-Thesis Proposals to advisor
<b>Th October 3 (Week 5)</b>	<b>Honors Thesis Application/Proposals due to Dept Chair</b>
W October 9 (Week 6)	draft of Capstone Proposals to faculty w/closest expertise
<b>F October 18 (Week 7)</b>	<b>Capstone Proposals + Statement of Courses to Dept Chair</b>
F December 13 (End of Classes)	<b>Source review for all seniors due to 401 instructors</b>
<b>W December 15 (End of Sem.)</b>	<b>Honors Theses (Ind. Study): chapter due to advisor</b>

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### SPRING SEMESTER 2025

<b>January (pre-semester)</b>	<b>Honors Thesis Planning Sessions (meet with advisor)</b>
First week of semester (Jan 21-24)	<b>Capstone Planning Session (meet with first reader)</b>
F January 24 (Week 1)	<b>Thesis:</b> Draft of <b>Chapter One</b> due to advisor (meeting to discuss Chapter One, Week 2)
<b>F January 31 (Week 2)</b>	<b>Revised Capstone Proposals + Annotated Bibliography Due to Dept Chair</b>
F February 7 (Week 3)	<b>Thesis</b> Draft of <b>Chapter Two</b> due to advisor (meeting to discuss Chapter Two, Week 4)
February 10-14 (Week 4)	<b>Capstone Check-Ins (meet with first reader)</b>
F February 21 (Week 5)	<b>Thesis</b> Draft of <b>Chapter Three</b> due (meeting to discuss Chapter Three, Week 6)
Feb 24-28 (Week 6)	<b>Capstone Check-Ins (meet with first and second readers)</b>
F March 7 (Week 7)	<b>Thesis</b> Draft of <b>Chapter Four</b> due (meeting to discuss Chapter Four, Week 8)
F March 14 (Week 8)	<b>Capstone complete rough drafts due to Dept Chair</b>

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F April 4 (Week 9)	( <i>Spring Break...</i> ) <b>Thesis</b> Draft of <b>Intro &amp; Conclusion</b> due
March 31-April 4 (Week 9)	<b>Capstone Check-Ins (meet with both readers)</b>
<b>F April 11 (Week 10)</b>	<b>Final Capstone due to Dept. Chair</b>
<b>F April 18 (Week 11)</b>	<b>Full Draft of Thesis due to Dept. Chair</b> (meeting(s) as necessary)
<b>April 21-25 (Week 12): Capstone Oral Defenses scheduled by faculty</b>	
<b>April 28-May 2 (Week 13): Thesis Oral Defenses scheduled by faculty</b>	
F May 9 (Week 14)	Thesis Final Rewrites due
<b>W May 14 (Week 15)</b>	<b>Theses due at the Library</b> (for guidelines, requirements, and to download the Word Doc template, see here: <a href="https://libguides.whitman.edu/thesis">https://libguides.whitman.edu/thesis</a> )