

## Registering for modules on the MA/PGD in History

Registration for the academic year, 2026-27, opens on Tues., 18 August 2026 and closes on Wed., 30 Sept. 2026. Early registration is advisable and changes are possible up to 30 Sept., if places are still available in the module you wish to take.

**Full-time MA students** must register for the two core modules -- HI503 and HI6104, the dissertation module HI509 – and three optional modules from the menu available under ‘What you will study’ on the MA in History website. You should register for a total of 90 ECTS.

**Part-time MA students** in their first year must register for just one core module -- HI503 – and three optional modules from the menu available under ‘What you will study’ on the MA in History website. You should register for a total of 45 ECTS.

**Postgraduate Diploma students** must register for the two core modules -- HI503 and HI6104 -- and three optional modules from the menu available under ‘What you will study’ on the MA in History website. You should register for a total of 60 ECTS.

**Please Note:** Only a limited number of places will be available on the placement module, HI6112, and it will not be possible to register for this until you receive the approval of the incoming Course Director, Dr Gearóid Barry. He will inform you of the placements on offer and the selection process in early September. If selected, you will then drop one optional module and add HI6112 before registration closes on 30 September.

**For descriptions of all modules see:**

<https://www.universityofgalway.ie/colleges-and-schools/arts-social-sciences-and-celtic-studies/history-philosophy/disciplines-centres/history/postgraduate-courses/ma-history/>

If you have any questions before 31 August 2026, please contact the (outgoing) Course Director, Dr Róisín Healy, at [roisin.healy@universityofgalway.ie](mailto:roisin.healy@universityofgalway.ie) and subsequently the incoming Course Director, Dr Gearóid Barry, at [gearoid.barry@universityofgalway.ie](mailto:gearoid.barry@universityofgalway.ie).