Applications for the M.A. degree in History are reviewed continually during the calendar year. However, students must have their applications completed six weeks prior to the beginning of the desired semester of admission.

Please contact Dr. Massimiliano Vitiello, History Graduate Advisor, to convey your interest in applying or for questions regarding the History MA program. Inquiries can also be emailed to history@umkc.edu

The History department will consider for admission as a regular Graduate Student any student

- whose undergraduate major was History
- who had a 3.0 grade point average in History courses and a 3.0 grade point average overall

Applicants who do not hold an undergraduate degree in History, but whose baccalaureate program included substantial training in History and/or related subjects, may also be considered for regular admission.

How to Apply for the M.A. in History:

- To the Office of Admissions
  - Application
  - Official Transcripts and Test Scores (the GRE is not required)
- To the History Department
  - A statement of purpose, explaining your academic and professional goals; what sparked your interest in graduate study; relevant academic and work-related activities; elaborate on academic interest, including the faculty with whom you wish to study (typically 2 pages)
  - A sample of your scholarly writing (varying according to size of paper)
  - Three letters of recommendation (sent from the writer)

Materials may be submitted in one of the following forms:

- Emailed to history@umkc.edu (please email all attachments in one email)
- Faxed to 816-235-5723 (please include cover sheet and number all pages)
- Mailed to UMKC History MA Committee, Cockefair Hall 203, 5121 Rockhill Rd, Kansas City, MO 64110

It is your responsibility to confirm the receipt of all materials.

FINANCIAL AID:
There are a limited number of Graduate Teaching Assistantships and Funded Internships available. Applications are due by February 1 for the following academic year. For information and forms, contact the History office directly.

NOTE: To be considered for a GTA or Funded Internship, all application materials must also be submitted by February 1.

The School of Graduate Studies also administers graduate fellowships and scholarships. For all other inquiries about financial aid, contact the UMKC Financial Aid Office, 5115 Oak St., Kansas City, MO 64110.